

ANY REPLY OR SUBSEQUENT REFERENCE SHOULD BE ADDRESSED TO THE <u>FINANCIAL SECRETARY</u> AND THE FOLLOWING REFERENCE NUMBER QUOTED:-

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## **Appropriation Account**

The attention of Permanent Secretaries and Heads of Departments is invited to section 24(I) of the Financial Administration and Audit Act regarding the submission of appropriation and other annual accounts within four (4) months after the end of each financial year.

With immediate effect, Accounting and Officers are required to submit four (4) copies of these accounts to the Auditor General and one (1) copy to the Financial Secretary.

Upon completion of his audit, the Auditor General shall submit certified copies of these statements, to the following:

- 1. The relevant ministry /department;
- 2. Parliament; and
- 3. Ministry of Finance and Planning

The remaining copy will be kept by the Auditor General.

Please ensure that this circular is brought to the attention of all relevant officers in your ministry/department.

Shirley Tyndall (Miss) Financial Secretary