# PART C: ANNUAL FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

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# THE YEAR AT A GLANCE

### IN 2011/12 THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS:

#### **Financial health**

- > received a rating of 4.30 (out of 5) in the Audit New Zealand Department Internal Control Evaluation (DICE)
- received a "well placed" rating for both Financial and Asset Management as part of the

#### **Financial process improvements**

- > refinement of processes, including budgeting and reforecasting, to achieve greater efficiencies
- > phased out credit cards, petty cash facilities and reduced the number of

#### **Expenditure**

- > managed a \$1.2 billion budget within 1%
- > achieved a reduction in domestic travel expenditure of \$1.3 million compared to budget
- > improved controls around contractors and consultants resulting in \$2.7 million under spend against budget.

#### **Pressures**

- > absorbed the increased costs associated with settling the wage negotiations

> absorbed the cost of the Restructure and Prison Reconfiguration.

## STATEMENT OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME

For the year ended 30 June 2012

2011 Actual		Notes	2012 Actual	2012 Main	2012 Supp.
\$000			\$000	Estimates \$000	Estimates \$000
	REVENUE				
1,129,325	Crown		1,132,967	1,131,175	1,133,117
10,013	Departmental revenue		10,609	10,650	10,650
48,300	Other revenue	2	35,920	30,998	38,398
312	Dividends		443	_	-
11	Earthquake related income		-	-	-
1,187,961	Total operating revenue		1,179,939	1,172,823	1,182,165
	EXPENDITURE				
520,320	Personnel costs	3	519,364	543,040	525,818
323,312	Operating costs	4	326,466	320,431	330,371
122,277	Depreciation and amortisation	5	144,304	134,344	145,333
158,278	Capital charge	6	180,493	175,008	180,493
11,103	Earthquake related		2,407	-	-
189	Biological stock loss/(gains)	14	4,089	_	-
1,135,479	Total operating expenses		1,177,123	1,172,823	1,182,015
52,482	Net surplus/(deficit)		2,816	-	150
	OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INCOME				
60,163	Revaluation gains/(losses) and impairments on land and buildings		(25,856)	_	_
	Fair value through other comprehensive income		_	_	-
60,163	Total other comprehensive income		(25,856)	_	-
112,645	Total comprehensive income		(23,040)	_	150

Remeasurement gains are included in the Statement of Comprehensive Income under Other revenue.

The accompanying notes form part of these financial statements. For information on major variances against budget refer to Note 27 (page 103).

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN TAXPAYERS' FUNDS

For the year ended 30 June 2012

2011 Actual		Notes	2012 Actual	2012 Main Estimates	2012 Supp. Estimates
\$000			\$000	\$000	\$000
2,128,523	Taxpayers' funds at 1 July		2,261,627	2,193,059	2,261,627
	Changes in taxpayers' funds during the year				
	Transfers from statement of comprehensive inco	ome			
52,482	Add/(deduct) net surplus/(deficit)		2,816	_	-
60,163	Increase/(decrease) in revaluation reserves	18	(25,856)	-	-
	Net write-back of revaluation gains/(losses) related to previous year				
112,645	Total comprehensive income		(23,040)	_	-
	Adjustment for flows to and from the Crown				
100,876	Add capital contributions from the Crown during the year	18	95,965	95,587	95,965
(36,340)	Less capital returned to the Crown during the year	18	(10,920)	(10,920)	(10,920)
(44,077)	Provision for payment of surplus to the Crown		(8,827)	-	-
20,459	Total adjustments for flows to and from the Crown		76,218	84,667	85,045
2,261,627	Taxpayers' funds at 30 June		2,314,805	2,277,726	2,346,672

## STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION

As at 30 June 2012

2011 Actual \$000		Notes	2012 Actual \$000	2012 Main Estimates \$000	2012 Supp. Estimates \$000
	ASSETS				
	Current assets				
216,331	Cash and cash equivalents	7	315,186	180,083	251,851
1,792	Prepayments	8	2,043	3,025	3,025
48,889	Debtors and other receivables	9	72,815	6,976	73,486
5,471	Inventories	10	4,972	6,231	6,231
272,483	Total current assets		395,016	196,315	334,593
	Non-current assets				
5,590	Investments	11	5,560	5,590	5,590
2,122,846	Physical assets	12	2,015,461	2,152,099	2,078,720
32,674	Intangible assets	13	47,842	38,511	49,144
49,347	Biological assets	14	45,258	41,131	49,347
2,210,457	Total non-current assets		2,114,121	2,237,331	2,182,801
2,482,940	Total assets		2,509,137	2,433,646	2,517,394
	LIABILITIES				
	Current liabilities				
90,929	Creditors and other payables	15	82,638	69,000	83,802
66,424	Employee entitlements	16	68,053	66,523	66,523
7,775	Provisions	17	19,695	7,779	7,779
44,077	Provision for repayment of surplus to the Crown	18	8,827	-	-
209,205	Total current liabilities		179,213	143,302	158,104
	Non-current liabilities				
12,108	Employee entitlements	16	15,119	12,618	12,618
12,108	Total non-current liabilities		15,119	12,618	12,618
221,313	Total liabilities		194,332	155,920	170,722
	TAXPAYERS' FUNDS				
1,676,035	General funds	18	1,755,069	1,750,030	1,761,080
585,592	Reserves	18	559,736	527,696	585,592
2,261,627	Total taxpayers' funds		2,314,805	2,277,726	2,346,672
2,482,940	Total liabilities and taxpayers' funds		2,509,137	2,433,646	2,517,394

The accompanying notes form part of these financial statements. For information on major variances against budget refer to Note 27 (page 103).

## STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS

For the year ended 30 June 2012

2011 Actual	Notes	2012 Actual	2012 Main Estimates	2012 Supp. Estimates
\$000		\$000	\$000	\$000
	CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES			
	Cash provided from:			
	Supply of outputs to			
1,087,499	Receipts from Crown	1,107,283	1,131,175	1,107,433
9,866	Receipts from Departments	12,454	10,650	11,305
38,542	Receipts from Other revenue	34,772	30,998	38,830
10,796	Change in GST payable (net)	(4,701)	-	-
	Cash disbursed to:			
(519,732)	Payments to Employees	(502,424)	(539,440)	(521,109)
(313,163)	Payments to Suppliers	(331,260)	(323,818)	(343,587)
(158,278)	Payments for Capital charge	(180,493)	(175,008)	(180,493)
155,530	Net cash flows from operating activities 19	135,631	134,557	112,379
	CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES			
	Cash provided from:			
312	Receipts from interest and dividends	443	-	-
2,063	Receipts from sale of physical, biological and intangible assets	1,715	1,000	1,688
	Cash disbursed to:			
(172,450)	Purchase of physical and biological assets*	(56,156)	(177,581)	(100,273)
(8,385)	Purchase of intangible assets*	(23,746)	(10,165)	(19,242)
(178,460)	Net cash flows from investing activities	(77,744)	(186,746)	(117,827)
	CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES			
	Cash provided from:			
100,876	Capital injections	95,965	95,587	95,965
	Cash disbursed to:			
(36,340)	Return of capital	(10,920)	(10,920)	(10,920)
(29,572)	Return of operating surpluses	(44,077)	_	(44,077)
34,964	Net cash flows from financing activities	40,968	84,667	40,968
12,034	Net increase in cash	98,855	32,478	35,520
204,297	Cash at the beginning of the year	216,331	147,605	216,331
216,331	Cash at the end of the year	315,186	180,083	251,851

\* During the period, the Department acquired no property, plant and equipment by means of finance leases (2011: nil).

The accompanying notes form part of these financial statements. For information on major variances against budget refer to Note 27 (page 103).

## STATEMENT OF COMMITMENTS

As at 30 June 2012

2011		2012
Actual		Actual
\$000		\$000
	CAPITAL COMMITMENTS	
	Property, plant and equipment	
29,475	Less than one year	20,334
29,475	Total capital commitments	20,334
	NON-CANCELLABLE OPERATING LEASE COMMITMENTS	
	Office accommodation	
12,055	Less than one year	11,016
27,578	One to five years	29,231
8,597	More than five years	16,517
48,229	Total non-cancellable operating lease commitments	56,764
77,704	Total commitments	77,098

#### **Capital commitments**

Capital commitments are the aggregate amount of capital expenditure contracted for the acquisition or construction of property, plant and equipment, and intangible assets that have not been paid for or not recognised as a liability at the balance sheet date.

#### Non-cancellable operating lease commitments

The Department leases premises at many locations throughout New Zealand. The annual lease rentals are subject to regular reviews, usually ranging from two years to three years. The amounts disclosed above as future commitments are based on current rental rates.

#### Commitments arising from other contracts

There is no GAAP requirement to disclose "Commitments arising from other contracts" for the year ended 30 June 2012. Prior year's commitment was \$351.252 million.

#### Operating lease commitments – Department as lessor

The Department has operating leases for some of its premises. These premises are fair valued under NZ IAS 16 – Property, Plant and Equipment as they are maintained solely to provide rental income. Revenue earned under operating leases are disclosed as board and rents and reported under Note 2: Other Revenue.

## STATEMENT OF CONTINGENT LIABILITIES AND ASSETS

As at 30 June 2012

#### CONTINGENT LIABILITIES

4,345	Total quantifiable contingent liabilities	1,837
453	Personal grievances	333
3,892	Legal proceedings	1,504
2011 Actual \$000		2012 Actual \$000

#### Legal proceedings

The Department was defending 39 (2011:24) legal proceedings claims by prisoners and related/external parties as at 30 June 2012. They cover a range of areas, including breach of the New Zealand Bill of Rights Act 1990, seeking compensation or other redress for perceived/alleged instances of wrongful action or decision making by the Department and individuals.

#### **Personal grievances**

The Department was also defending 17 (2011: 21) employment related claims made by staff members as at 30 June 2012.

#### UNQUANTIFIED CLAIMS

The Department is a participating employer in the Defined Benefit Plan Contributors Scheme (the Scheme), managed by the Board of Trustees of the National Provident Fund. The Scheme is a multi-employer defined benefit scheme. If the other participating employers ceased to participate in the Scheme, the Department could be responsible for the entire deficit of the Scheme. Similarly, if a number of employers ceased to participate in the Scheme, the Department could be responsible for the entire deficit of to an increased share of the deficit. The Department considers the risk of these events occurring to be minimal.

The Actuary of the Scheme has recommended the employer contribution should remain at two times contributor's contributions until the past service deficit is extinguished and then reduces to the employer contribution rate required to meet the net future service liability after that. The multiplication by two is inclusive of Employer Superannuation Contribution Withholding Tax.

Insufficient information is available to use defined benefit accounting and it is not possible to determine from the terms of the Scheme, the extent to which the deficit will affect future contributions by individual employers, as there is no prescribed basis for allocation.

#### **Unquantified Contingent Assets**

The Department has a contingent asset in relation to current and future insurance claims in respect of assets that were damaged during the earthquakes that occurred in Christchurch.

## STATEMENT OF DEPARTMENTAL EXPENDITURE AND CAPITAL EXPENDITURE AGAINST APPROPRIATIONS

For the year ended 30 June 2012

2011		2012	2012
Expenditure		Expenditure	Appropriation
Actual		Actual	Voted
\$000		\$000	\$000
	VOTE: CORRECTIONS		
	Departmental output expenditure		
62,109	Information Services	57,559	60,494
4,868	Policy Advice and Ministerial Services	4,622	4,779
725,380	Prison-based Custodial Services MCOA	753,802	758,784
168,782	- Custody of Remand Prisoners	164,752	154,944
556,598	- Custody of Sentenced Prisoners	589,050	603,840
130,402	Rehabilitative Programmes and Reintegrative Services	153,567	154,023
188,459	Sentences and Orders Served in the Community	193,842	194,483
24,261	Management of Third Party Custodial Services	7,720	9,452
1,135,479	Total departmental output expenditure	1,171,112	1,182,015
	Re-measurements	6,011	-
1,135,479	Total departmental operating expenditure	1,177,123	1,182,015
	Appropriation for capital expenditure		
171,458	Corrections – Permanent Legislative Authority	80,658	125,890

Refer to Part B: Statement of Service Performance for detailed performance against each output class (page 37).

The Department intends to utilise the full amount of funding included in the appropriation for capital expenditure.

#### **Changes in Appropriation Structure**

There were no changes in appropriation structure during the year.

## STATEMENT OF UNAPPROPRIATED EXPENDITURE

For the year ended 30 June 2012

2011 Unappropriated Expenditure \$000		2012 Actual Expenditure \$000	2012 Appropriation Voted \$000	2012 Unappropriated Expenditure \$000
	VOTE: CORRECTIONS			
	Appropriations for output expenditure			
-	Information Services	57,559	60,494	-
-	Policy Advice and Development	4,622	4,779	-
	Prison-based Custodial Services MCOA	753,802	758,784	
-	- Custody of Remand Prisoners	164,752	154,944	-
-	- Custody of Sentenced Prisoners	589,050	603,840	-
-	Rehabilitative Programmes and Reintegrative Services	153,567	154,023	-
-	Sentences and Orders Served in the Community	193,842	194,483	-
-	Management of Third Party Custodial Services	7,720	9,452	-
	Total	1,171,112	1,182,015	_

There was no unappropriated expenditure for the years ended 30 June 2011 and 30 June 2012.

## STATEMENT OF TRUST MONIES

For the year ended 30 June 2012

	As at 1 July 2011	Contribution	Distribution	As at 30 June 2012
	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000
Prison Trust Accounts	1,199	12,967	(12,810)	1,356
	1,199	12,967	(12,810)	1,356

Prison Trust accounts represent monies held in trust at each prison on behalf of prisoners to account for prisoner earnings, reduced by purchases while in prison and other receipts/withdrawals of prisoner funds.

Trust monies are not included in the Department's reported bank balances. Trust monies are held on behalf of the prisoners in bank accounts maintained by the prisons (one bank account per prison).

### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

For the year ended 30 June 2012

#### **NOTE 1: STATEMENT OF ACCOUNTING POLICIES**

#### **REPORTING ENTITY**

The Department of Corrections is a government department as defined by Section 2 of the Public Finance Act 1989 and is domiciled in New Zealand.

These are the financial statements of the Department of Corrections prepared pursuant to Section 45B of the Public Finance Act 1989.

The Department of Corrections has reported trust monies, which it administers.

The Department of Corrections administers the corrections system in a way designed to improve public safety, reduce re-offending and contribute to the maintenance of a fair and just society. Under the New Zealand equivalents of International Financial Reporting Standards (NZ IFRS), the Department of Corrections is classified as a Public Benefit Entity. This has affected the selection of accounting policies required or permitted under the NZ IFRS.

The financial statements of the Department of Corrections are for the year ended 30 June 2012. The financial statements were authorised for issue by the Chief Executive of the Department of Corrections on 28 September 2012.

#### **BASIS OF PREPARATION**

These financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Public Finance Act 1989, which includes the requirements to comply with New Zealand Generally Accepted Accounting Practice (NZ GAAP) and Treasury Instructions. They comply with NZ IFRS, and other applicable financial reporting standards, as appropriate for public benefit entities.

#### NEW ACCOUNTING STANDARDS AND INTERPRETATION

## Standards, amendments, and interpretations issued that are not yet effective and have not been early adopted

Standards, amendments, and interpretations issued but not yet effective that have not been early adopted, and which are relevant to the Department, are:

- > NZ IFRS 9 Financial Instruments will eventually replace NZ IAS 39 Financial Instruments: Recognition and Measurement. NZ IAS 39 is being replaced through the following three main phases: Phase 1 Classification and Measurement, Phase 2 Impairment Methodology, and Phase 3 Hedge Accounting. Phase 1 has been completed and has been published in the new financial instrument standard NZ IFRS 9. NZ IFRS 9 uses a single approach to determine whether a financial asset is measured at amortised cost or fair value, replacing the many different rules in NZ IAS 39. The approach in NZ IFRS 9 is based on how an entity manages its financial assets (its business model) and the contractual cash flow characteristics of the financial assets. The financial liability requirements are the same as those of NZ IAS 39, except for when an entity elects to designate a financial liability at fair value through the total comprehensive income. The new standard is required to be adopted for the year ended 30 June 2016. The Department does not expect to early adopt this standard.
- > Financial Reporting Standards (FRS)-44 New Zealand Additional Disclosures and Amendments to NZ IFRS to harmonise with IFRS and Australian Accounting Standards (Harmonisation Amendments). These were issued in May 2011 with the purpose of harmonising Australia and New Zealand's accounting standards with source IFRS and to eliminate many of the differences between the accounting standards in each jurisdiction. The amendments must first be adopted for the year ended 30 June 2012. The Department has not yet assessed the effects of FRS-44 and the Harmonisation Amendments.

The Minister of Commerce has approved a new Accounting Standards Framework (incorporating a Tier Strategy) developed by the External Reporting Board (XRB). Under this Accounting Standards Framework, the Department is classified as a Tier 1 reporting entity and it will be required to apply full Public Benefit Entity Accounting Standards (PAS). These standards are being developed by the XRB based on current International Public Sector Accounting Standards. The effective date for the new standards for public sector entities is expected to be for reporting periods beginning on or after 1 July 2014. This means the Department expects to transition to the new standards in preparing its 30 June 2015 financial statements. As the PAS are still under development, the Department is unable to assess the implications of the new Accounting Standards Framework at this time. Due to the change in the Accounting Standards Framework for public benefit entities, it is expected that all new NZ IFRS and amendments to existing NZ IFRS will not be applicable to public benefit entities. Therefore, the XRB has effectively frozen the financial reporting requirements for public benefit entities up until the new Accounting Standards Framework is effective. Accordingly, no disclosure has been made about new or amended NZ IFRS that exclude public benefit entities from their scope.

#### **REPORTING PERIOD**

The reporting period covers the 12 months from 1 July 2011 to 30 June 2012. Comparative figures for the year ended 30 June 2011 are provided.

#### MEASUREMENT BASE

The financial statements have been prepared on an historical cost basis, modified by the revaluation of certain non-current assets.

#### FUNCTIONAL AND PRESENTATION CURRENCY

The financial statements are presented in New Zealand Dollars and all values are rounded to the nearest thousand dollars (\$000). The functional currency is New Zealand Dollars.

#### ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The following accounting policies, which materially affect the measurement of financial results and financial position, have been applied.

The Department does not qualify for differential reporting exemptions.

The accounting policies set out below have been applied consistently to all periods presented in these financial statements.

#### REVENUE

#### Revenue – Crown

The Department derives revenue through the provision of outputs to the Crown.

Crown revenue is recognised at the fair value of the consideration received or receivable when earned.

#### **Revenue – Department**

The Department derives revenue through the provision of goods and services to other Departments. Departmental revenue is recognised at the fair value of the consideration received or receivable when earned.

#### Other Revenue – External Sales of Goods and Services

The Department derives other revenue from the sale of goods and services to third parties. Revenue is recognised when the significant risks and rewards of ownership have been transferred to the buyer. No revenue is recognised:

- where there are significant uncertainties regarding recovery of the consideration due, associated goods or possible return of goods;
- > where there is continuing management involvement with goods;
- > where the amount of revenue cannot be measured reliably;
- > where it is not probable that the economic benefits associated with the transaction will flow to the Department; and
- > where the costs incurred or to be incurred in respect of the transaction cannot be measured reliably.

#### Revenue – Interest

Revenue from interest is recognised using the effective interest method, using the effective interest rate.

#### Revenue – Dividends

Revenue from dividends is recognised when the shareholder's right to receive payment is established.

#### DEPRECIATION AND AMORTISATION

Depreciation and amortisation are provided on a straight-line basis on all property, plant, equipment and intangible assets, other than freehold land and assets under construction, over their estimated economic useful lives. There is no allowance for residual values, except for 'motor vehicles – other', which have a residual value of 20% of cost. Revalued assets are depreciated or amortised on their revalued amount on a straight-line basis over their remaining useful lives.

#### Depreciation

The economic useful lives and associated depreciation rates of classes of assets have been estimated as follows:

Buildings		
Buildings – concrete	50 – 65 years	(2.0% to 1.5%)
Buildings – commercial	75 years	(1.3%)
Buildings – wood	25 years	(4.0%)
Buildings – fit-outs	3 to 20 years	(33.3% to 5.0%)
Hut complexes – concrete	50 years	(2.0%)
Hut complexes – wood	25 years	(4.0%)
Hut – fit-outs	3 to 20 years	(33.3% to 5.0%)
Leasehold Improvements		
Leasehold improvements	10 years	(10.0%)
Plant and Equipment		
Plant and machinery	10 years	(10.0%)
Office equipment	5 years	(20.0%)
Tools and equipment	5 years	(20.0%)
Furniture and Fittings		
Furniture and fittings – office	5 years	(20.0%)
Furniture and fittings – prisoner	3 years	(33.3%)
Computer Hardware		
Information technology – network	5 years	(20.0%)
Information technology – specialised	3 to 10 years	(33.3% to 10.0%)
Information technology – PC based	3 years	(33.3%)
Motor Vehicles		
Motor vehicles – heavy duty	8 years	(12.5%)
Motor vehicles – other	5 years	(20.0%)

The useful life of buildings is reassessed following any revaluation.

Where the fixed term of a lease is for less than 10 years, excluding rights of renewal, leasehold improvements are depreciated over the unexpired period of the lease or the estimated remaining useful lives of the improvements, whichever is the shorter.

#### Amortisation

The economic useful lives and associated amortisation rates of classes of assets have been estimated as follows:

Computer Software		
Information technology – network	5 years	(20%)
Information technology – specialised	3 to 10 years	(33.3% to 10%)
Information technology – PC based	3 years	(33.3%)

#### **OPERATING LEASES**

Leases where the lessor effectively retains substantially all the risks and benefits of ownership of the leased items are classified as operating leases. Operating lease payments are recognised as an expense on a straight-line basis over the lease term.

#### CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS

Cash includes cash on hand and cash held in bank accounts and is measured at face value.

#### DEBTORS AND OTHER RECEIVABLES

Debtors and other receivables are initially measured at fair value and subsequently measured at amortised cost using the effective interest rate, less impairment changes.

Impairment of a receivable is established when there is objective evidence that the Department will not be able to collect amounts due according to the original terms of the receivable. Significant financial difficulties of the debtor, probability that the debtor will enter into bankruptcy, and default in payments are considered indicators that the debtor is impaired.

The amount of the impairment is the difference between the asset's carrying amount and the present value of estimated future cash flows, discounted using the original effective interest rate. The carrying amount of the asset is reduced through the use of an allowance account, and the amount of the loss is recognised in the total comprehensive income.

Subsequent recoveries of amounts previously written off are credited against the total comprehensive income.

Overdue receivables that are renegotiated are reclassified as current (i.e. not past due).

#### INVENTORIES

Inventories held for distribution, or consumption in the provision of services, that are not supplied on a commercial basis are measured at the lower of cost (calculated using the weighted average method) and current replacement cost. Where inventories are acquired at no cost, or for nominal consideration, the cost is the current replacement cost at the date of acquisition.

The replacement cost of the economic benefits or service potential of inventory held for distribution reflects any obsolescence or any other impairment.

Inventories held for sale or use in the production of goods and services on a commercial basis are valued at the lower of cost and net realisable value. The cost of purchased inventory is determined using the weighted average cost method.

The write-down from cost to current replacement cost or net realisable value is recognised in the total comprehensive income in the period when the write-down occurs.

#### ASSETS HELD FOR SALE

Assets held for sale are classified as held for sale if their carrying amount will be recovered principally through a sale transaction, not through continuing use. Assets held for sale are measured at the lower of their carrying amount and fair value less costs to sell.

Any impairment losses for write-downs of assets held for sale are recognised in the total comprehensive income.

Any increases in fair value (less costs to sell) are recognised up to the level of any impairment losses that have been previously recognised.

Assets (including those that are part of a disposal group) are not depreciated or amortised while they are classified as held for sale. Interest and other expenses attributable to the liabilities of a disposal group classified as held for sale continue to be recognised.

#### PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT

Land and buildings are stated at fair value as determined by an independent registered valuer. Fair value is determined using market-based evidence, except for prison buildings, which are valued at optimised depreciated replacement cost. Land and buildings are revalued at least every two years. Additions between revaluations are recorded at cost. The two-year cycle is subject to a reasonableness test on an annual basis to ensure it does not result in material differences in fair value.

The results of revaluing land and buildings are credited or debited to other comprehensive income and is accumulated to the asset revaluation reserve for that class of asset. Where a revaluation would result in a debit balance within an asset class in the revaluation reserve, the debit balance will be expensed within the total comprehensive income. Any subsequent increase on revaluation that off-sets a previous decrease in value recognised in the total comprehensive income, will be recognised first in the total comprehensive income up to the amount previously expensed, and then recognised in other comprehensive income.

All other property plant & equipment, or groups of assets forming part of a network, which are material in aggregate, costing more than \$3,000 (GST exclusive) or deemed as valuable and/or attractive are capitalised and recorded at cost. Any write-down of an item to its recoverable amount is recognised in the total comprehensive income.

Discontinued operations, disposals, transfers and assets held for sale are shown at fair value prior to being sold or disposed.

#### Additions

The cost of an item of property, plant and equipment is recognised as an asset if, and only if, it is probable that future economic benefits or service potential associated with the item will flow to the Department and the cost of the item can be measured reliably.

In most instances, an item of property, plant and equipment is recognised at its cost. Where an asset is acquired at no cost, or for a nominal cost, it is recognised at fair value as at the date of acquisition.

#### Disposals

Gains and losses on disposals are determined by comparing the proceeds with the carrying amount of the asset. Gains and losses on disposals are included in the total comprehensive income. When revalued assets are sold or derecognised, the amounts included in asset revaluation reserves in respect of those assets are transferred to general funds.

#### Subsequent Costs

Costs incurred subsequent to initial acquisition are capitalised only when it is probable that future economic benefits or service potential associated with the item will flow to the Department and the cost of the item can be measured reliably.

#### INTANGIBLE ASSETS

Intangible assets with finite lives are recorded at cost less any amortisation and impairment losses. Amortisation is charged to the total comprehensive income on a straight-line basis over the useful life of the asset.

Intangible assets, or groups of intangible assets forming part of a network, which are material in aggregate, costing more than \$3,000 (GST exclusive) or deemed as valuable and/or attractive are capitalised and recorded at cost. Any write-down of an item to its recoverable amount is recognised in the total comprehensive income.

The disposals and assets held for sale are shown at fair value prior to being sold or disposed.

Intangible assets are tested for impairment where an indicator arises.

#### Software Acquisition and Development

Acquired computer software licenses are capitalised where appropriate on the basis of the costs incurred to acquire and bring to use the specific software.

Costs associated with maintaining computer software are recognised as an expense when incurred. Costs that are directly associated with the development of software for internal use by the Department, are recognised as an intangible asset. Direct costs include software development employee costs and an appropriate portion of relevant overheads.

#### **BIOLOGICAL ASSETS**

The Department's biological assets are forests and livestock.

The Department recognises biological assets or agricultural produce when, and only when:

- > the Department controls the assets as a result of past events;
- > it is probable that future economic benefits associated with the asset will flow to the Department; and
- > the fair value or cost of the asset can be measured reliably.

Biological assets managed for harvesting into agricultural produce are recorded at fair value less point of sale costs, with any realised gains or losses reported in the total comprehensive income.

#### Forests

Forestry assets are independently revalued annually at fair value less estimated point of sale costs. Fair value is determined based on the present value of expected net cash flows discounted at a current market determined post-tax rate.

Gains or losses arising on initial recognition of biological assets at fair value less estimated point of sale costs and from a change in fair value less estimated point of sale costs are recognised in the total comprehensive income.

The costs to maintain the forestry assets are included in the statement of total comprehensive income.

#### Livestock

Livestock assets are recorded at fair value less point of sale costs.

Gains and losses at balance date due to changes in the per head value of livestock and changes in livestock numbers are recognised within the total comprehensive income.

Any material differences in fair value are taken to the total comprehensive income.

#### CAPITAL CHARGE

The capital charge is recognised as an expense in the period to which the charge relates.

#### INVESTMENTS

Investments are classified as financial assets at fair value through the total comprehensive income.

Investments are recognised initially at cost being the fair value of consideration given. All investments are subsequently carried at fair value. Any changes in fair value are recognised in the total comprehensive income in the period in which they arise.

Fair value for investments are determined as follows:

- > listed shares are valued at the quoted price at the close of business on the balance date; and
- > non-listed shares are recognised at initial cost of investment and adjusted for performance of the business since that date.

Investments arise from the Department's business dealings with companies in the farming industry.

#### **IMPAIRMENT OF NON-FINANCIAL ASSETS**

Non-financial assets that have indefinite useful lives are not subject to amortisation and are tested annually for impairment. An intangible asset that is not yet available for use at balance date is tested for impairment annually.

Assets that have a finite useful life are reviewed for impairment whenever events or changes in circumstances indicate that the carrying amount may not be recoverable. An impairment loss is recognised for the amount by which the asset's carrying amount exceeds its recoverable amount. The recoverable amount is the higher of an asset's fair value less costs to sell and value in use.

Value in use is the depreciated replacement cost for an asset where the future economic benefits or service potential of the asset is not primarily dependent on the asset's ability to generate net cash inflows and where the entity would, if deprived of the asset, replace its remaining future economic benefits or service potential.

If an asset's carrying amount exceeds its recoverable amount, the asset is impaired and the carrying amount is written down to the recoverable amount. For revalued assets, the impairment loss is recognised in other comprehensive income to the extent that the impairment loss does not exceed the amount in the revaluation reserve in equity for that same class of asset. Where that results in a debit balance in the revaluation reserve, the balance is recognised in the total comprehensive income.

For assets not carried at a revalued amount, the reversal of an impairment loss is recognised in the total comprehensive income.

The Department accounts for reversals on a class basis. A reversal of an impairment loss on a revalued asset is credited to other comprehensive income and increases the asset revaluation reserve for that class of asset. However, to the extent that an impairment loss on the same class of asset was previously recognised in the total comprehensive income, a reversal of that impairment loss is also recognised in the total comprehensive income.

#### EMPLOYEE ENTITLEMENTS

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#### Short-term employee entitlements

Employee entitlements that the Department expects to be settled within 12 months of balance date are measured at nominal values based on accrued entitlements at current rates of pay. These include salaries and wages accrued up to balance date, annual leave earned but not yet taken at balance date, retiring and long service leave entitlements expected to be settled within 12 months, and sick leave.

The Department recognises a liability for sick leave to the extent that absences in the coming year are expected to be greater than the sick leave entitlements earned in the coming year. The amount is calculated based on the unused sick leave entitlement that can be carried forward at balance date, to the extent that the Department anticipates it will be used by staff to cover those future absences.

The Department recognises a liability and an expense for performance payments where contractually obliged or where there is a past practice that has created a constructive obligation.

#### Long-term employee entitlements

Entitlements that are payable beyond 12 months, such as long service leave and retiring leave, have been calculated on an actuarial basis based on the present value of expected future entitlements.

The calculations are based on:

- > likely future entitlements accruing to staff, based on years of service, years to entitlement, the likelihood that staff will reach the point of entitlement and contractual entitlements information; and
- > the present value of the estimated future cash flows. A discount rate of 2.43 percent to 4.29 percent (2011: 2.84 percent to 6.24 percent), and a future salary growth rate of 3 percent (2011: 3 percent) were used. The discount rates are based on the table of the latest risk-free discount rates and CPI assumptions issued by the Treasury.

#### SUPERANNUATION SCHEMES

#### **Defined Contribution Schemes**

Obligations for contributions to KiwiSaver, the Government Superannuation Fund, and other defined contribution superannuation schemes are recognised as an expense in the total comprehensive income as incurred.

#### **Defined Benefit Schemes**

The Department is a participating employer in the Defined Benefit Plan Contributors Scheme (the Scheme), managed by the Board of Trustees of the National Provident Fund. The Scheme is a multi-employer defined benefit scheme. Insufficient information is available to use defined benefit accounting and it is not possible to determine from the terms of the Scheme, the extent to which the total comprehensive income will affect future contributions by individual employers, as there is no prescribed basis for allocation. The Scheme is therefore accounted for as a defined contribution scheme.

#### **Termination Benefits**

Termination benefits are recognised in the total comprehensive income statement, only when there is a demonstrable commitment either to terminate employment prior to normal employment date or to provide such benefits as a result of a position becoming redundant. Termination benefits to be settled within 12 months are reported at the amount expected to be paid. Other termination benefits are reported at the present value of the estimated future cash outflows.

#### **ONEROUS CONTRACTS**

Where the benefits to be derived from a contract are lower than the unavoidable costs of meeting the obligation under the contract, a provision is recognised. No provision has been recognised for the year ended 2012 (2011: nil). A provision would be stated at the present value of the future net cash outflows expected to be incurred in respect of the contract.

#### PROVISIONS

The Department recognises a provision for future expenditure of an uncertain amount or timing when:

- > there is a present obligation (either legal or constructive) as a result of a past event;
- > it is probable that an outflow of future economic benefits will be required to settle the obligation; and
- > a reliable estimate can be made of the amount of the obligation.

Provisions are not recognised for future operating losses.

Provisions are measured at the present value of the expenditures expected to be required to settle the obligation using a pre-tax discount rate that reflects current market assessments of the time value of money and the risks specific to the obligation. The increase in the provision due to the passage of time is recognised as a finance cost.

#### Accident Compensation Corporation (ACC) Partnership Programme

The Department belongs to the ACC Partnership Programme whereby the Department accepts the management and financial responsibility of work-related illnesses and accidents of employees. Under the ACC Partnership Programme, the Department is effectively providing accident insurance to employees and this is accounted for as an insurance contract. The value of this liability represents the expected future payments in relation to accidents and illnesses occurring up to the balance date for which the Department has responsibility under the terms of the Partnership Programme.

The liability for claims reported prior to balance date has been determined by assuming that the future experience for each current claim is consistent with historical claim information since the commencement of the programme. The liability for injuries or illnesses that have occurred up to balance date, but not yet reported or not enough reported, has been determined by reference to historical information of the time it takes to report injury or illness.

The liability is measured at the present value of the expected future payments to be made in respect of employee injuries and claims up to the reporting date using actuarial techniques.

#### COMMITMENTS

Future expenses and liabilities to be incurred on capital and operating contracts that have been entered into at balance date are disclosed as commitments to the extent that there are equally unperformed obligations. Commitments relating to employment contracts are not disclosed.

Cancellable commitments that have penalty or exit costs explicit in the agreement on exercising that option to cancel are included in the statement of commitments at the value of that penalty or exit cost.

#### CONTINGENT LIABILITIES

Contingent liabilities are disclosed at the point at which the contingency is evident and for each class of contingent liability at the balance date, a brief description of the nature of the contingent liability is provided.

Contingent liabilities are not disclosed if the possibility of an outflow of resources embodying economic resources is remote.

#### **TAXPAYERS' FUNDS**

Taxpayers' Funds is the Crown's net investment in the Department and is measured as the difference between total assets and total liabilities.

Taxpayers' Funds is disaggregated and classified as general funds and revaluation reserves.

#### FOREIGN CURRENCY

Foreign currency transactions are converted into New Zealand Dollars at the exchange rate at the date of the transaction.

#### FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

The Department is party to financial instruments as part of its normal operations. These financial instruments include bank accounts, debtors and other receivables, creditors and other payables, and investments. All financial instruments are recognised in the Statement of Financial Position and all revenues and expenses in relation to financial instruments are recognised in the total comprehensive income.

Except for those items covered by a separate accounting policy, all financial instruments are shown at their estimated fair value.

#### TAXATION

#### **Income Tax**

Government departments are exempt from income tax as Public Authorities. Accordingly, no charge for income tax has been provided for.

#### Goods and Services Tax (GST)

The Statement of Financial Position is exclusive of GST except for creditors and other payables and debtors and other receivables, which are GST inclusive. All other financial statements are GST exclusive. Where GST is not recoverable as input tax, then it is recognised as part of the related asset or expense.

The net amount of GST payable to, or recoverable from Inland Revenue at balance date is included in creditors, other payables, debtors, and other receivables.

Commitments and contingent liabilities are disclosed exclusive of GST. The movement in GST paid or received is recognised as a separate cash flow line item.

#### **BUDGET FIGURES**

The budget figures are those included in the Information Supporting the Estimates of Appropriations for the Government of New Zealand for the year ending 30 June 2012, which are consistent with the financial information in the Main Estimates. In addition, the financial statements also present the updated budget information from the Supplementary Estimates. The budget figures have been prepared in accordance with NZ GAAP, using accounting policies that are consistent with those adopted in preparing these financial statements.

## CRITICAL ACCOUNTING ESTIMATES, ASSUMPTIONS AND CRITICAL JUDGEMENTS IN APPLYING ACCOUNTING POLICIES

In preparing these financial statements, the Department has made estimates, assumptions and critical judgements in applying accounting policies concerning the future. These estimates, assumptions, and critical judgements in applying accounting policies may differ from the subsequent actual results. Estimates, assumptions and critical judgements in applying accounting policies are continually evaluated and are based on historical experience and other factors, including expectations or future events that are believed to be reasonable under the circumstances.

The estimates and assumptions that have a significant risk of causing a material adjustment to the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities within the next financial year are disclosed below:

#### Employee entitlements – retiring and long service leave

Note 16 provides an analysis of the exposure in relation to estimates and uncertainties surrounding retirement and long service leave liabilities.

#### **Revaluation of Property, Plant and Equipment**

At each revaluation, the useful lives and residual values of the Department's land and buildings are reviewed. Assessing the appropriateness of useful lives and residual values of land and buildings requires consideration of a number of factors such as the physical condition of land and buildings, expected period of use of land and buildings by the Department, and expected proceeds from the disposal of land and buildings.

Reassessment of the useful lives or residual values will affect the depreciable amount of land and buildings, therefore impacting the depreciation expense recognised in the total comprehensive income, and the carrying amount of land and buildings in the Statement of Financial Position.

#### NOTES

The notes that accompany the financial statements form part of the financial statements.

#### COST ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The Department has determined the costs of outputs using the cost allocation system outlined below.

#### COST ALLOCATION

Costs that are driven by prisoner or offender related activities are recognised as direct costs and assigned to outputs. Direct costs are charged to outputs based on actual consumption or activity analysis. Pre-established ratios have been used in some instances, which are reviewed at regular intervals.

Indirect costs are driven by organisational support functions and are not directly related to prisoner or offender activities. Indirect costs are allocated to outputs based on appropriate resource consumption and/or activity analysis.

Examples of cost groupings and suitable drivers:

Cost Type	Driver
National office personnel costs	Direct established positions
Community Probation Services area office overheads	Programme/sentence delivery hours
Prison site overheads	Prison capacity
Prison site and regional rehabilitation overheads	Planned program hours

#### CHANGES IN COST ACCOUNTING POLICIES

There have been no changes in cost accounting policies since the date of the last audited financial statements.

#### **NOTE 2: OTHER REVENUE**

2011 Actual		2012 Actual	2012 Main Estimates	2012 Supp. Estimates
\$000		\$000	\$000	\$000
36,412	Sale of goods	32,223	29,498	36,898
2,708	Board and rents	2,784	1,500	1,500
8,405	Revaluation Gain on Biological Assets <sup>9</sup>	-	-	-
775	Profit on sale of assets	913	-	-
48,300	Total other revenue	35,920	30,998	38,398

#### **NOTE 3: PERSONNEL COSTS**

2011 Actual		2012 Actual	2012 Main Estimates	2012 Supp. Estimates
\$000		\$000	\$000	\$000
499,072	Salaries and wages	495,268	527,159	509,261
630	Government Superannuation Fund contribution expense	557	550	550
9,516	State Sector Retirement Savings Scheme and KiwiSaver employer contribution	9,690	10,229	10,905
11,593	Restructuring Costs	9,209	-	_
(1,591)	Annual leave	1,475	1,000	1,000
451	Retirement and long service leave	4,166	4,102	4,102
649	Sick leave	(1,001)	-	-
520,320	Total personnel costs	519,364	543,040	525,818

9 The Department had revaluation losses due to price movements in forestry of \$5.337 million (2011: a gain of \$6.064 million) and livestock of \$0.674 million (2011: a gain of \$2.341 million). The Department incurred a quantity movement gain from livestock and forestry of \$1.922 million (2011: a loss of \$0.189 million). These are shown in the Statement of Comprehensive Income and note 14.

#### **NOTE 4: OPERATING COSTS**

2011 Actual		2012 Actual	2012 Main	2012 Supp.
\$000		\$000	Estimates \$000	Estimates \$000
17,077	Operating lease rentals	16,435	16,888	16,175
344	Audit fees for annual audit	366	376	366
133	Fees to auditors for other services	88	-	4
73,398	Facilities maintenance	76,807	74,403	73,136
42,982	Offender management costs	52,810	50,983	54,204
20,733	Computer costs	27,099	18,150	24,549
37,021	Contract management	60,476	33,208	62,978
45,374	Administration	36,438	54,353	38,093
59	Receivables written off during period	63	-	-
254	ACC Partnership Programme	314	-	-
10,849	Inventory expenses	9,995	6,000	6,000
58,541	Other operating costs	43,720	66,070	54,866
16,547	Net loss on sale or disposal of property, plant and equipment	1,855	-	-
323,312	Total operating costs	326,466	320,431	330,371

The fees to auditors for other services were for independent quality assurance engagements for:

> the probity audit for public private partnership (PPP) project.

> review of tender processes for the provision of control and restraint equipment, and the request for proposal for professional services.

#### NOTE 5: DEPRECIATION AND AMORTISATION

2011 Actual		2012 Actual	2012 Main	2012 Supp.
\$000		\$000	Estimates \$000	Estimates \$000
	DEPRECIATION			
94,522	Buildings	116,972	105,899	115,328
2,540	Leasehold improvements	3,496	3,781	3,439
4,430	Plant and equipment	4,561	4,410	5,505
574	Furniture and fittings	526	594	729
5,466	Computer hardware	5,393	5,474	5,445
4,318	Motor vehicles	4,727	4,696	5,740
111,850	Depreciation charge	135,675	124,854	136,186
	AMORTISATION			
10,427	Computer software	8,629	9,490	9,147
10,427	Amortisation charge	8,629	9,490	9,147
122,277	Total depreciation and amortisation charge	144,304	134,344	145,333

#### **NOTE 6: CAPITAL CHARGE**

The Department pays a capital charge to the Crown on its taxpayers' funds as at 30 June and 31 December each year. The capital charge rate for the year ended 30 June 2012 was 8 percent (2011: 7.5 percent) per annum.

#### NOTE 7: CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS

2011 Actual \$000		2012 Actual \$000
216,331	Cash and bank balances	315,186
216,331	Total cash and cash equivalents	315,186

The Department is required to maintain a positive balance in New Zealand Dollar bank accounts at all times. The Department has three departmental bank accounts with Westpac New Zealand Limited.

#### **NOTE 8: PREPAYMENTS**

2011 Actual \$000		2012 Actual \$000
	CURRENT PORTION	
1,792	Prepayments	2,043
1,792	Total prepayments	2,043

The Department classifies prepayments that are expected to be realised within 12 months as current.

#### **NOTE 9: DEBTORS AND OTHER RECEIVABLES**

2011 Actual \$000		2012 Actual \$000
	CURRENT PORTION	
41,826	Debtor Crown	67,510
41,826	Debtor Crown	67,510
3,833	Trade debtors – external	3,950
161	Employee advances	216
(77)	Less provision for impairment	(162)
3,917	Trade debtors – external and employees	4,004
3,146	Trade debtors – other government entities	1,301
3,146	Trade debtors – other government entities	1,301
48,889	Total debtors and other receivables	72,815

The carrying value of trade debtors approximates their fair value.

The Crown debtor of \$67.510 million refers to \$47.794 million of capital funding (no GST on capital injection) not drawn down and \$19.716 million (GST inclusive) of estimated under spends reported in the Supplementary Estimates.

The Department does not make loans to employees other than minor salary/travel advances. There were no loans outstanding to related parties.

There is minimal credit risk with respect to external receivables. The Department's standard terms of credit are that payment is due on the 20th of the month following the date of invoice. No further extension of credit is permitted.

The Department classifies debtors that are expected to be realised within 12 months as current, other than those debtors, which are considered doubtful.

	\$000 Gross	2011 \$000 Impairment	\$000 Net	\$000 Gross	2012 \$000 Impairment	\$000 Net
Not past due	42,538	0	42,538	70,775		70,775
Past due 1-30 days	5,488	0	5,488	1,130		1,130
Past due 31-60 days	628	0	628	763		762
Past due 61-90 days	29	0	29	120		120
Past due > 91 days	283	(77)	206	189	(162)	27
	48,966	(77)	48,889	72,977	(162)	72,815

The ageing profile of debtors and other receivables at year-end is detailed below:

As at 30 June 2011 and 2012, all overdue receivables were assessed for impairment and appropriate provisions applied. Movements in the provision for impairment of debtors and other receivables are as follows:

2011 Actual \$000		2012 Actual \$000
43	Balance at 1 July	77
34	Additional provisions made during the year	85
77	Balance at 30 June	162

The provision for impairment of debtors has been calculated based on expected losses for the Department's pool of debtors. Expected losses have been determined based on analysis of the Department's losses in previous periods, and review of specific debtors.

Those specific debtors that are insolvent are fully provided for. As at 30 June 2012 the Department has identified no debtors (2011: Nil) that are insolvent.

#### **NOTE 10: INVENTORIES**

2011 Actual \$000		2012 Actual \$000
4,813	Inventory held for the provision of goods and services	4,486
658	Finished goods	486
5,471	Total inventories	4,972

The Department's inventory consists of supplies that are available for prisoner purchases, operational supplies and inventory held for the use in prisoner employment. No inventories are pledged as security for liabilities.

The Department classifies inventories that are expected to be realised within 12 months as current.

#### **NOTE 11: INVESTMENTS**

2011 Actual \$000		2012 Actual \$000
	NON-CURRENT PORTION	
5,590	Investments	5,560
5,590	Total investments	5,560

Investments arise from the Department's business dealings with companies in the farming industry. These investments are classified as financial instruments and valued at fair value through total comprehensive income.

The Department classifies investments that are expected to be realised within 12 months as current.

#### NOTE 12: PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT

An independent valuer, Darroch Valuations, performed the most recent valuation of freehold land and buildings and the valuation is effective as at 30 June 2011. K Stewart FPINZ FNZIV certified this valuation.

The total fair value of freehold land and buildings valued by Darroch Valuations at 30 June 2011 totalled \$1,990 million.

Some of the land holdings of the Department are subject to general Treaty of Waitangi claims. No reduction in value has been recognised in these financial statements but there may be restrictions on the Department disposing of the holdings except under Treaty claims procedures.

The Department classifies property, plant and equipment expected to be sold in the next 12 months as assets held for sale.

The Department constructs prison buildings, which are classified as assets under construction. Assets under construction are capitalised at the in-service date.

The Department reports transfers and disposals together for presentation purposes only.

The Department currently holds residential properties that were purchased in the 1960s. The core intention of these properties is for staff working in prisons located in rural areas. The rental income that is received from these properties is incidental, as opposed to being held for rental income or capital gains. The net carrying amount of these properties is \$8.857 million (2011: \$8.857 million). There are no restrictions over the title of the Department's property, plant and equipment, nor any property, plant and equipment pledged as security for liabilities.

	Land	Buildings	Leasehold Improvements	Plant & Equipment	Furniture & Fittings	Computer Hardware	Motor Vehicles	Asset Under Construction Total	Total Physical Assets
	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000
Cost or valuation									
Balance 1 July 2010	216,011	1,702,001	17,153	45,940	10,083	44,536	43,691	154,870	2,234,285
Additions	I	85,933	3,344	5,255	131	3,314	8,361	56,669	163,007
Revaluation increase/(decrease)	672	(136,988)	I	I	I	I	I	Ι	(136,316)
Disposals	(575)	(2,890)	(8,705)	(2,662)	(3,284)	(1,451)	(5,979)	(9,052)	(34,598)
Transfers	I	126,271	775	(76)	(29)	1,619	12	(128,572)	I
Cost or valuation at 30 June 2011	216,108	1,774,327	12,567	48,457	6,901	48,018	46,085	73,915	2,226,378
Add: Movements									
Additions	I	12,282	1,403	2,918	336	1,427	7,163	31,383	56,912
Revaluation increase/(decrease)	(2,803)	(23,053)	Ι	I	I	I	I	Ι	(25,856)
Disposals	(828)	(1,168)	(465)	(3,435)	(236)	(4,009)	(5,677)	Ι	(16,349)
Transfers	I	33,163	8,126	1,543	I	257	277	(43,366)	T
Cost or valuation at 30 June 2012	212,446	1,795,551	21,631	49,483	6,501	45,693	47,848	61,932	2,241,085
Accumulated depreciation and impairment losses									
Balance 1 July 2010	I	(101,993)	(9,043)	(28,493)	(8,889)	(32,940)	(25,392)	Ι	(206,750)
Depreciation expense	I	(94,522)	(2,540)	(4,430)	(574)	(5,466)	(4,318)	Ι	(111, 850)
Disposals		182	6,278	2,420	3,263	1,437	5,009	Ι	18,589
Transfers	Ι	(146)	Ι	116	29	I	1	Ι	I
Revaluation increase/(decrease)	I	196,479	I	I	I	I	I	I	196,479

	Land	Buildings	Leasehold Improvements	Plant & Equipment	Furniture & Fittings	Computer Hardware	Motor Vehicles	Asset Under Construction Total	Total Physical Assets
	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000
Accumulated depreciation and impairment losses at 30 June 2011	I	I	(5,305)	(30,387)	(6,171)	(36,969)	(24,700)	I	(103,532)
Add: Movements									
Depreciation expense	I	(116,972)	(3,497)	(4,561)	(526)	(5,393)	(4,727)	Ι	(135,676)
Disposals	I	1,406	453	3,041	744	3,998	4,780	Ι	14,422
Transfers	I	(28)	78	(40)	Ι	I	(10)	Ι	I
Impairment losses	I	(838)	I	Ι	Ι	I	Ι	I	(838)
Accumulated depreciation and impairment losses at 30 June 2012	I	(116,432)	(8,271)	(31,947)	(5,953)	(38,364)	(24,657)	I	(225,624)
Carry amounts per asset class									
At 30 June 2011	216,108	1,774,327	7,262	18,070	730	11,049	21,385	73,915	2,122,846
At 30 June 2012	212,446	1,679,119	13,360	17,536	548	7,329	23,191	61,932	2,015,461

\* Transfers refer to movements between assets under construction and property, plant and equipment.

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#### NOTE 13: INTANGIBLE ASSETS

	Acquired Software	Internally Generated Software	Asset Under Construction	Total Intangible Assets
	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000
Cost or valuation				
Balance 1 July 2010	38,165	67,780	636	106,581
Additions	1,318	1,542	5,524	8,384
Disposals	-	(10,864)	-	(10,864)
Transfers	325	14	(339)	-
Cost or valuation at 30 June 2011	39,808	58,472	5,821	104,101
Add: Movements				
Additions	3,154	1,830	18,762	23,746
Disposals	(19,764)	(13,140)	-	(32,904)
Transfers	518	4,137	(4,655)	-
Cost or valuation at 30 June 2012	23,716	51,299	19,928	94,943
Accumulated depreciation and impairment losses				
Balance 1 July 2010	(30,025)	(36,376)	-	(66,401)
Amortisation expense	(3,274)	(7,153)	-	(10,427)
Disposals	-	5,401	-	5,401
Accumulated depreciation and impairment losses at 30 June 2011	(33,299)	(38,128)	-	(71,427)
Add: Movements				
Amortisation expense	(3,130)	(5,499)	_	(8,629)
Disposals	19,753	13,202	_	32,955
Accumulated depreciation and impairment losses at 30 June 2012	(16,676)	(30,425)	-	(47,101)
Carrying amounts				
At 30 June 2011	6,509	20,344	5,821	32,674
At 30 June 2012	7,040	20,874	19,928	47,842

The Department develops and maintains internally generated software, which are classified as assets under construction and capitalised at the in-service date.

There are no restrictions over the title of the Department's intangible assets, nor are any intangible assets pledged as security for liabilities.

#### NOTE 14: BIOLOGICAL ASSETS

	Forests	Livestock	Total Biological
	\$000	\$000	Assets \$000
Cost or valuation			
Balance at 1 July 2011	36,429	12,918	49,347
Purchases	_	312	312
Net gain (loss) due to; regeneration, maturation, and changes in unit values	2,271	6,266	8,537
Sales/harvest	(6,292)	(6,646)	(12,938)
Cost or valuation at 30 June 2012	32,408	12,850	45,258
Net change	(4,021)	(68)	(4,089)
Change due to movement in quantity	1,316	606	1,922
Change due to movement in fair value	(5,337)	(674)	(6,011)
Carrying amounts			
At 30 June 2011	36,429	12,918	49,347
At 30 June 2012	32,408	12,850	45,258

There are no restrictions over the title of the Department's biological assets, nor are any biological assets pledged as security for liabilities.

#### FORESTS

The Tongariro forestland is owned by the Crown. The Department manages the forest as part of its prisoner employment-training programme. The Tongariro forest area is as follows:

Forest	Legal description	Legal area
Tongariro	Land rated as commercial forest	4,512ha
	Land rated as reserve	1,332ha
	Total legal area	5,844ha

The valuation of forests was undertaken by an independent registered valuer, PF Olsen and Company Limited, on 30 June 2012. T Vos, registered forestry consultant (NZIF), completed this valuation.

The forest valuation was determined using the expectation value approach adopting the following valuation assumptions:

- > a discount rate of 7 percent (2011: 7 percent) has been applied to post-tax cash flows;
- > land values, improvements, protection or amenity planting have been excluded;
- > the tree crop has been valued on a liquidation basis;
- > an inflation rate of 3 percent (2011: 3 percent) has been applied;
- > annual and forest operations costs are based on current industry costs for similar forests; and
- > log prices are derived from average prices published by the Ministry for Primary Industries.

#### LIVESTOCK

The Department farms sheep, cattle, deer and pigs at various locations in both the North and South Islands. At 30 June 2012, livestock on hand comprised 16,550 sheep (2011: 15,619); 1,935 beef cattle (2011: 1,755); 4,377 dairy cattle (2011: 4,325); 2,833 deer (2011: 2,661) and 7,092 pigs (2011: 6,585).

The valuation of livestock is based on the active market price and was undertaken by various independent livestock valuers.

#### FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT STRATEGIES

The Department is not materially exposed to financial risks arising from changes in commodity prices. The Department reviews its outlook for timber and livestock prices regularly in considering the need for active financial risk management.

#### **NOTE 15: CREDITORS AND OTHER PAYABLES**

2011 Actual \$000		2012 Actual \$000
	CURRENT PORTION	
31,859	Trade creditors	23,608
45,268	Accrued expenditure	49.929
13,802	GST payable	9,101
90,929	Total creditors and other payables	82,638

Creditors and other payables are non-interest bearing and are normally settled on 30 day terms, therefore the carrying value of creditors and payables approximates their fair value.

The Department classifies creditors and other payables that are expected to be settled within 12 months as current.

#### NOTE 16: EMPLOYEE ENTITLEMENTS

2011 Actual \$000		2012 Actual \$000
	Current liabilities	
20,090	Retirement and long service leave	21,245
44,436	Annual leave	45,911
1,898	Sick leave	897
66,424	Total current portion	68,053
	Non-current liabilities	
12,108	Retirement and long service leave	15,119
12,108	Total non-current portion	15,119
78,532	Total provision for employee entitlements	83,172

Employee entitlements expected to be settled within 12 months of balance date, are measured at nominal values based on accrued entitlements at current rates of pay. These include annual leave earned to, but not taken, at balance date, retiring and long service leave entitlements expected to be settled within 12 months, and sick leave.

The Department classifies employee entitlements as current that:

- > are expected to be settled within 12 months after the balance date; and
- > the Department does not have an unconditional right to defer settlement of the liability for at least 12 months after the balance date.

The present value of the retirement and long service leave obligations depend on a number of factors that are determined on an actuarial basis using a number of assumptions. Two key assumptions used in calculating this liability include the discount rates and the salary inflation factor. Any changes in these assumptions will impact on the carrying amount of the liability.

Independent valuer G R Lee (BSc FIA), a member of the New Zealand Society of Actuaries, from Aon New Zealand, conducted the revaluation of long service leave and retirement leave as at 30 June 2012. Aon New Zealand revalues the Department's non-current employment entitlements on a quarterly basis.

The major assumptions used in the 30 June 2012 valuation are that future salary growth rates are 3 percent (2011: 3 percent) per annum and discount rates ranged from 2.43 to 4.29 percent (2011: 2.84 percent to 6.24 percent) per annum.

In determining the appropriate discount rates, the valuer used the weighted averages of returns on government stock of different terms to maturity that match, as closely to possible, the estimated future cash outflows. The salary growth assumption is consistent with the results of the Aon Economists' Survey.

#### **NOTE 17: PROVISIONS**

2011 Total Provisions Actual \$000		2012 Restructuring Actual \$000	2012 Employee Accidents Actual \$000	2012 Total Provisions Actual \$000
	Current provisions			
11,280	Balance at 1 July	-	7,775	7,775
7,775	Additional provisions made during the year	11,649	8,046	19,695
(11,280)	Charged against provision for the year	-	(7,775)	(7,775)
7,775	Current provisions	11,649	8,046	19,695
-	Non-current provisions	-	-	-
7,775	Total provisions	11,649	8,046	19,695

#### EMPLOYEE ACCIDENTS

The provision relates to the estimation of the ACC Partnership Programme's Outstanding Claims Liability and ACC Levies:

2011 Actual \$000		2012 Actual \$000
3,986	Outstanding Claims Liability	4,300
3,789	Outstanding ACC levies provision	3,746
7,775	Total outstanding claims liability and ACC levies	8,046

An external independent actuarial valuer, Mark Weaver from Melville Jessup Weaver (Fellow of the New Zealand Society of Actuaries) has calculated the outstanding claims liability and the valuation is effective 30 June 2012. The actuary has attested he is satisfied as to the nature, sufficiency and accuracy of the data used to determine the outstanding claims liability. There are no qualifications contained in the actuary's report. The key assumptions used in determining the value of outstanding claims are detailed in the paragraphs below.

The estimate as at 30 June 2012 is \$4.300 million, compared to a result as at 30 June 2011 of \$3.986 million.

The principal assumptions made were:

- > the development pattern of claims payments is the same for all loss periods i.e. the future claims pattern will reflect that which occurred in the past;
- > the assumed loss ratio of 0.55 percent (2011: 0.55 percent) of liable earnings was determined by considering the observed loss ratios for developed loss quarters;
- > the discount rates were based on government bond yields published by the Reserve Bank of New Zealand; and
- > the Department will remain in the ACC Partnership Programme (ACCPP) for the foreseeable future. If the Department were to exit immediately, a risk margin of 12.80 percent (2011: 12.80 percent) would be added by ACC.

The estimated ACCPP outstanding claims liability as at 30 June 2012 included a provision for future claims handling expenses of 10 percent (2011: 10 percent) of expected future claims costs.

The Department's largest ever claim incurred has an estimated total cost of \$764,000 (discounted \$470,000). This claim has no precedent in the Department's experience in terms of size. As such, the Bornhuetter-Ferguson (BF) method will not include any provision for future payments of this magnitude and a specific provision was made for this claim.

The Department manages its exposure arising from the programme by promoting a safe and healthy working environment by:

- implementing and monitoring health and safety policies; >
- > induction training on health and safety;
- > actively managing work place injuries to ensure employees return to work as soon as practical;
- recording and monitoring work place injuries and near misses to identify risk areas and implementing mitigating > actions; and
- identification of work place hazards and implementation of appropriate safety procedures. >

The value of the liability is not material for the Department's financial statements therefore; any changes in assumptions will not have a material impact on the financial statements.

#### **NOTE 18: TAXPAYERS' FUNDS**

Taxpayers' Funds comprise General Funds, Revaluation Reserves and Fair Value through Other Comprehensive Income Reserves.

2011 Actual		2012 Actual	2012 Main	2012 Supp.
\$000		\$000	Estimates \$000	Estimates \$000
	GENERAL FUNDS			
1,603,094	Balance at 1 July	1,676,035	1,665,363	1,676,035
52,482	Net operating surplus/(deficit)	2,816	-	-
100,876	Capital contribution from the Crown	95,965	95,587	95,965
(36,340)	Capital returned to the Crown	(10,920)	(10,920)	(10,920)
117,018	Total movement in general funds	87,861	84,667	85,045
(44,077)	Provision for repayment of surplus to the Crown	(8,827)	-	-
1,676,035	Balance at 30 June	1,755,069	1,750,030	1,761,080
	REVALUATION RESERVES			
523,162	Balance at 1 July	583,325	525,429	583,325
60,163	Revaluation gains/(losses)	(25,856)	-	-
583,325	Balance at 30 June	557,469	525,429	583,325
	FAIR VALUE THROUGH OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INCOME RESERVE			
2,267	Balance at 1 July	2,267	2,267	2,267
-	Revaluation gains/(losses)	-	-	-
-	Net write-back of revaluation gains/(losses)	-	-	-
2,267	Balance at 30 June	2,267	2,267	2,267
585,592	Revaluation Total	559,736	527,696	585,592
2,261,627	Total taxpayers' funds at 30 June	2,314,805	2,277,726	2,346,672

The net surplus attributable to the Crown from the delivery of outputs must be repaid by 31 October each year. The Department has no restricted reserves.

#### **REVALUATION RESERVES**

2011 Actual \$000		2012 Actual \$000
	Asset Revaluation Reserve	
	Land	
137,380	Revaluation reserves at 1 July	138,052
672	Revaluation gains/(losses) and impairments	(2,803)
138,052	Revaluation reserves at 30 June	135,249
	Buildings	
385,782	Asset revaluation reserves at 1 July	445,273
59,491	Revaluation gains/(losses) and impairments	(23,053)
445,273	Asset revaluation reserves at 30 June	422,220
583,325	Total asset revaluation reserves at 30 June	557,469
	Fair Value Through Equity Reserve	
2,267	Asset revaluation reserves at 1 July	2,267
2,267	Asset revaluation reserves at 30 June	2,267
585,592	Asset revaluation reserves at 30 June	559,736

## NOTE 19: RECONCILIATION OF NET SURPLUS TO NET CASH FLOW FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES

2011 Actual		2012 Actual	2012 Main Estimates	2012 Supp. Estimates
\$000		\$000	\$000	\$000
52,482	Net surplus before other comprehensive income	2,816	_	-
	Add/(less) non-cash items			
122,277	Depreciation and amortisation	144,304	134,344	145,333
(304)	Non-current employee entitlements	3,011	_	-
(8,405)	Biological assets revaluation loss/(gain)	6,011	_	-
	Other non-cash items		_	-
113,568	Total non-cash items	153,326	134,344	145,333
	(Increase)/Decrease in Working capital			
(42,492)	Debtors and other receivables	(23,675)	_	(25,830)
4,449	Inventories	499	-	(760)
589	Prepayments	(251)	_	-
11,419	Creditors and other payables	(9,653)	213	(6,368)
(3,505)	Provisions	11,920	_	4
(189)	Current employee entitlements	1,629	_	-
(29,729)	Working capital movements – net	(19,531)	213	(32,954)
	Add/(less) items classified as investing or financing activities			
(312)	Dividends		-	-
189	Biological assets revaluation loss/(gain)	(1,922)	_	-
19,332	Net loss/(gain) on sale or disposal of property, plant & equipment	942	-	-
19,209	Total investing activity items	(980)		
155,530	Net cash flow from operating activities	135,631	134,557	112,379

#### **NOTE 20: CONTINGENCIES**

Contingent liabilities and assets are separately disclosed in the Statement of Contingent Liabilities and Assets.

#### NOTE 21: RELATED PARTY DISCLOSURE

The Department is a wholly owned entity of the Crown. The Government significantly influences the strategic direction, operating intentions and business operations of the Department as well as being its major source of revenue.

The Department has entered into the following significant transactions with the Government or other entities related to the Government during the 2011/12 fiscal year:

- > received Crown Revenue of \$1,132.967 million (excluding GST) to fund the Department's operating activities.
- > received Departmental Revenue of \$ 9.947 million from State Services Commission to fund employer contributions to KiwiSaver and SSRSS schemes.
- > paid Capital Charge of \$180.493 million to the New Zealand Government.
- > purchased goods and services on normal commercial terms from other government related entities: electricity from Meridian and Genesis, travel from Air New Zealand, legal services from Crown Law Office, and postal services from New Zealand Post totalling \$15.081 million.
- > paid employer ACC levies to Accident Compensation Corporation totalling \$3.091 million.

The Department entered into numerous transactions with other government departments, Crown agencies and state-owned enterprises on an 'arm's length' basis that are not of a material nature.

The Department has entered into the following related party transactions:

- > engineering supplies were purchased from Vulcan Steel. A shareholder/director of the company is the brother of a member of the Department's Executive Team. Purchases during the year totalled \$0.034 million (2011: \$0.085 million). There is a balance of \$0.0004 million (2011 \$0.008 million) outstanding at year end.
- > legal services were purchased from Minter Ellison Rudd Watts. A partner of this legal firm is the brother of a member of the Department's Executive Team. He was not involved in providing any advice to the Department. Purchases during the year totalled \$0.459 million (2011: \$0.992 million). There is a balance of \$ 0.032 million (2011: \$0.024 million) outstanding at year end.

The Department has not entered into any commitments with these suppliers and transactions were conducted under normal commercial terms. Apart from those transactions described above, the Department has not entered into any related party transactions. The Department has determined key management personnel as the Chief Executive and the Executive Team.

The Treasury advises that responsible Minister Anne Tolley has certified that she has no related party transactions for the year ended 30 June 2012.

The personnel compensation relating to key management personnel is not disclosed as part of the related party disclosure note. Remuneration applicable to key management personnel is disclosed as part of the Key Management Personnel Compensation note.

#### NOTE 22: KEY MANAGEMENT PERSONNEL COMPENSATION

Key management personnel include the Chief Executive, the Deputy Chief Executive, seven General Managers (2011: seven General Managers) and one Director (2011: one Director)

2011 Actual \$000		2012 Actual \$000
2,639	Salary and other short term benefits	2,685
83	Other long-term benefits	98
	Termination benefits	-
2,722	Total key management personnel compensation	2,783

#### NOTE 23: POST-BALANCE DATE EVENTS

There were no post-balance date events that required adjustment to the financial statements.

#### **NOTE 24: FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS**

The Department is party to financial instrument arrangements as part of its everyday operations. These include instruments such as bank balances, investments, debtors and trade creditors.

#### FAIR VALUE

The Department uses various methods in estimating the fair value of a financial instrument. Fair values are determined according to the following hierarchy:

- > Quoted market price financial instruments with quoted market prices for identical instruments in active markets;
- > Valuation technique using market observable inputs financial instruments with quoted prices for similar instruments in active markets or quoted prices for identical or similar instruments in inactive markets and financial instruments valued using models where all significant inputs are observable; and
- > Valuation technique with significant non-market observable inputs financial instruments valued using models where one or more significant inputs are not observable.

The following table analyses the basis of the valuation of classes of financial instruments measured at fair value on the balance date:

	Total \$000	Quoted market price \$000	Valuation technique – market observable inputs \$000	Valuation technique – non-market observable inputs \$000
As at 30 June 2012				
Local Currency Financial Assets				
Cash and Cash Equivalents	315,816	315,816	-	-
Investments	5,560	5,258	302	_
Total Local Currency Financial Assets	321,376	321,074	302	-
As at 30 June 2011				
Local Currency Financial Assets				
Cash and Cash Equivalents	216,331	216,331	-	-
Investments	5,590	5,312	278	-
Total Local Currency Financial Assets	221,921	221,643	278	-

#### MARKET RISK

#### **Price Risk**

Price risk is the risk that the fair value of future cashflows of a financial instrument will fluctuate as a result of changes in market prices. The Department is exposed to price risk on its investments. The price risk is nominal as the investments are held by the Department as a result of business dealings with the farming industry and, as such, are not expected to be traded and are not used to support cashflows.

#### CURRENCY RISK

Currency risk is the risk that the fair value or future cash flows of a financial instrument will fluctuate due to changes in foreign exchange rates.

The Department does not enter into forward foreign exchange contracts, as it engages in few overseas transactions, and is therefore only nominally susceptible to foreign exchange risks.

#### INTEREST RATE RISK

Fair value interest rate risk is the risk that the value of a financial instrument, or the cash flows from a financial instrument, will fluctuate, due to changes in market interest rates.

Under Section 46 of the Public Finance Act 1989, the Department cannot raise a loan without Ministerial approval and no such loans have been raised. Accordingly, the Department has no interest bearing financial instruments and therefore has no exposure to interest rate risk.

#### CREDIT RISK

Credit risk is the risk that a third party will default on its obligations to the Department, causing the Department to incur a loss. In the normal course of business, the Department is exposed credit risk from trade debtors, transactions with financial institutions and the New Zealand Debt Management Office (NZDMO).

The Department is only permitted to deposit funds with Westpac New Zealand Limited, or with the NZDMO, as these entities have high credit ratings. For other financial instruments, the Department does not have significant concentrations of credit risk.

The Department's maximum credit risk exposure for each class of financial instrument is represented by the total carrying amount of cash and cash equivalents (note 7), prepayments (note 8), debtors and other receivables (note 9) presented in the Statement of Financial Position. There is no collateral held as security against these financial instruments, including those instruments that are overdue or impaired.

#### **Credit Quality of Financial Assets**

The credit quality of financial assets that are neither past due nor impaired can be assessed by reference to Standard and Poor's credit ratings (if available) or to historical information about counterparty default rates:

2011 Actual \$000		2012 Actual \$000
	Counterparties with Credit Ratings	
	Cash and Cash Equivalents	
216,331	AA	315,815
216,331	Total cash and cash equivalents	315,815
	Investments	
5,272	A+	5,220
318	Non-rated	340
5,590	Total investments	5,560
	Counterparties without Credit Ratings	
	Debtors and other receivables	
48,889	Existing counterparty with no defaults in the past	72,814
-	Existing counterparty with defaults in the past	-
48,889	Total debtors and other receivables	72,814
	Prepayments	
1,792	Existing counterparty with no defaults in the past	2,043
1,792	Total prepayments	2,043

#### LIQUIDITY RISK

Liquidity risk is the risk that the Department will encounter difficulty raising liquid funds to meet commitments as they fall due.

#### Management of Liquidity Risk

In meeting its liquidity requirements, the Department closely monitors its forecast cash requirements with expected cash draw downs from the NZDMO. The Department maintains a target level of available cash to meet liquidity requirements.

#### **Contractual Maturity Analysis of Financial Liabilities**

The table below analyses the Department's financial liabilities that will be settled based on the remaining period at the balance date to the contractual maturity date. The amounts disclosed are the contractual undiscounted cash flows.

2011 Actual \$000		2012 Actual \$000
	Creditors and other payables (note 15)	
90,929	Less than six months	82,638
90,929		82,638

The liability for the repayment of surplus to the Crown is not a financial liability as defined by NZ IAS 32 – *Financial Instruments Presentation*, as the obligation to pay arises from statute.

#### SENSITIVITY ANALYSIS

As NZ IFRS 7: Financial Instruments: Disclosures does not prescribe the format for presenting sensitivity analysis, the Department has chosen to make the following disclosures.

Cash and Cash Equivalents:	No cash or cash equivalents earn interest, nor are they held in any term deposits.
Bank Overdraft:	The Department has no bank overdraft.
Secured Loans:	The Department has no secured loans.
Derivatives:	Held for Trading and Hedge Accounting: The Department has no derivatives held for trading and does not engage in hedging activities.
Creditors and Other Payables:	The Department holds no significant creditors or other payables that are affected by foreign exchange rate movements.

#### CATEGORIES OF FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

The carrying amounts of financial assets and financial liabilities in each of the NZ IAS 39 categories are as follows:

2011 Actual \$000		2012 Actual \$000
	FINANCIAL ASSETS	
	Loans and receivables	
216,331	Cash and cash equivalents (note 7)	315,816
48,889	Debtors and other receivables (note 9)	72,815
265,220	Total cash and receivables	388,631
	Fair value through total comprehensive income	
5,590	Investments (note 11)	5,560
5,590	Total investments	5,560
270,810	Total financial assets	394,191
	FINANCIAL LIABILITIES	
	Measured at amortised cost	
90,929	Creditors and other payables (note 15)	82,638
90,929	Total financial liabilities	82,638

#### **NOTE 25: CAPITAL MANAGEMENT**

The Department's capital is its taxpayers' funds, which comprise general funds and revaluation reserves. Taxpayers' funds are represented by net assets.

The Public Finance Act 1989 (The Act) requires the Department to manage its revenues, expenses, assets, liabilities, investments, and general financial dealings prudently and in a manner that promotes the current and future interests of the New Zealand public. Taxpayers' funds are largely managed by of managing revenues, expenses, assets, liabilities, investments, and general financial dealings.

The Department has in place asset management plans for major classes of assets, detailing renewal and maintenance programmes.

The Act requires the Department to make adequate and effective provision in its long-term capital expenditure plans and that the Department acts in accordance with financial delegations from Cabinet to the Chief Executive through the Responsible Minister. The Act also requires that the Department complies with the requirements of the State Sector Act 1988, Treasury Instructions, and any other legislation governing its operations, when incurring any capital expenditure.

The objective of managing the taxpayers' funds is to ensure the Department effectively achieves its goals and objectives for which it has been established, whilst remaining a going concern.

#### **NOTE 26: EFFECTS OF THE CANTERBURY EARTHQUAKES**

The Department has completed a range of investigations and analysis this financial year and has a good understanding of the construction/remediation works required in Christchurch. The Christchurch work programme is prioritised in the 10 year capital work plan.

#### NOTE 27: EXPLANATION OF SIGNIFICANT VARIANCES AGAINST BUDGET

## Statement of Comprehensive Income, Statement of Financial Position, Statement of Cash Flows and Statement of Departmental Expenditure and Appropriations

Explanations for major variances from the 2011/12 Main and Supplementary Estimates are as follows:

Personnel costs were lower than expected in the Supplementary Estimates as a result of the Department carrying vacancies through the year.

The increase in cash compared to the Main and Supplementary Estimates is due to the delay in and reprioritisation of capital projects and, as noted below. This funding will be carried forward to the 2012/13 financial year.

Spending on property, plant and equipment and net cash flows from investing activities are lower compared with the Supplementary Estimates because of the rephasing and reprioritisation of capital projects. This was due to seismic reviews, prison reconfiguration (including end of life assessments) and facilities upgrades to improve services.

Spending in the Information and Administrative Services to the Judiciary and New Zealand Parole Board output class was lower than appropriation primarily due to the lower volume of written probation reports provided than was anticipated.

Spending in the Prison-based Custodial Services multi class output appropriation (MCOA) was lower than appropriation. The under spend was largely due to staff vacancies throughout the year.

#### **Non-Departmental Other Expenses**

The following non-departmental schedule details the expenses that the Department manages on behalf of the Crown.

For a full understanding of the Crown's financial position and the results of its operations for the year, refer to the consolidated Financial Statements of the Government for the year ended 30 June 2012.

2011 Actual		2012 Actual	2012 Main Estimates	2012 Supp. Estimates
\$000		\$000	\$000	\$000
	Expenditure			
-	Property development related costs	150	150	150
_	Total non-departmental expenditure	150	150	150

#### SCHEDULE OF NON-DEPARTMENTAL EXPENSES FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2012

The creation of this appropriation was in relation to the development of the correctional facility at Mt Eden. This was a single year appropriation for 2011/12 only.

There has been no non-departmental unappropriated expenditure or capital expenditure for the year ended 30 June 2012.