# Vote 16

## Housing

To be appropriated by Vote	R3 718 333 000
Statutory appropriations	-
Responsible Minister	Minister of Housing
Administering Department	Department of Housing
Accounting Officer	Director-General of Department of Housing

#### **Aim**

The aim of the Department of Housing is to determine, finance, promote, coordinate, communicate and monitor policy in respect of housing and human settlement.

## Key objectives and programmes

Access to housing and secure accommodation is an integral part of Government's commitment to reducing poverty and improving people's quality of life over the medium term. This requires a sustainable housing development process that will progressively ensure adequate housing for all, according to the Bill of Rights. The Department of Housing aims to ensure that every South African has access to a permanent residential structure, within sustainable human settlements, that ensures privacy and provides adequate protection against the elements. Housing assistance to the poor is therefore the cornerstone of the Department's approach.

The Department of Housing's key objectives over the medium term are to:

- Develop a national housing policy framework and strategy
- Coordinate housing framework legislation
- Develop and manage a sustainable human settlement policy; promote human settlement integration, effective interdepartmental coordination and integration of human settlement policy and strategy; and manage the special housing and human settlement programmes
- Address the needs of special groups in human settlement policy and promote participation in international housing-related forums
- Establish, fund and maintain capacity building programmes to facilitate the implementation of national housing policy and programmes
- Monitor the housing sector's performance and the management of housing information
- Implement communication strategies to promote the Department's visibility and contact with the various housing stakeholders
- Manage the funding of national housing programmes in terms of the Housing Act of 1997

The Department's objectives are realised through six programmes:

- Administration
- Policy planning
- Programme management
- Housing performance
- Communication
- Housing development funding

### Strategic overview and key policy developments: 1997/98 – 2003/04

Since the launch of the White Paper on Housing in December 1994, housing has undergone fundamental changes. More than a million housing opportunities have been created, providing more than 5 million poor people with secure tenure and safe homes. However, resource constraints and changing demographics now necessitate a more rigorous focus on quality, rather than the former quantity-driven approach. This has led to Housing Strategy 2000, which promotes equitable access to housing opportunities for poor and previously disadvantaged persons, systematises land release and development to relieve urbanisation pressures, balances urban and rural development, counters housing fraud, and facilitates urban renewal, especially in inner cities.

In future, more attention will be paid to monitoring and performance evaluation to assess the elements of the national housing strategy. Initially, housing policy placed too much emphasis on ownership, but the lack of a coordinated rental housing policy has now been recognised as a shortcoming. The Rental Housing Act of 1990 and the Social Housing Foundation aim to establish institutions to manage housing stock on a sustainable basis.

The new strategy promotes access to housing through a people-centred approach. Accordingly, the People's Housing Process receives prominence. The National Housing Subsidy Programme is being revised to broaden its equity base, improve its business efficiency, focus financial assistance on real needs, and enhance urban and rural development.

Confronting problems like urban sprawl and backlogs, peripheral settlements and a lack of access to basic urban amenities, the strategy treats the delivery of housing as a component of integrated development planning. The Human Settlement Redevelopment programme succeeds the Special Integrated Presidential Projects as a strategic intervention for urban renewal. Recognising the need to align national, provincial and local budgets and planning processes, and budget coordination across national departments, this programme of pilot projects was initiated in 1999. Its aim is to improve the quality of the urban environment and to address the legacy of dysfunctional urban structures, frameworks and imbalances.

To achieve this, the Department introduced a system of multi-year housing development plans to be applied coherently across the three spheres of government. These plans are to be updated annually on a rolling basis. They have to take account of current housing needs and backlogs, as well as available resources, and on that basis prioritise needs across the various national housing programmes.

It is not yet possible to produce a comprehensive national housing development plan, but the intention is to incorporate these plans incrementally into the medium-term budget. Each national housing programme must therefore have quantifiable targets and performance indicators, and each province should specify in its housing plan its contribution to meeting these targets. Where appropriate, targets and indicators must also be implemented for subprogrammes.

The Minister of Housing needs a source of funds for emergency and other national priorities for which the provincial allocations do not make provision. This flows, inter alia, from the Department's obligations in terms of the ruling in the recent Grootboom case. The Constitutional Court judgement on this case ruled that Government should develop and implement, within available resources, a comprehensive and coordinated programme that progressively realises the right of access to adequate housing. This programme should include reasonable measures to provide access to people without land or housing, and who live in intolerable conditions or crisis situations. Policy guidelines for the provision of emergency housing are being developed. Consequently, provincial housing departments will reserve between 0,5 per cent and 0,75 per cent of their provincial allocations to make provision for a contingency fund from which emergency housing could be financed.

## **Expenditure estimates**

Table 16.1: Housing

Programme	Ехр	enditure outc	ome			Medium-term expenditure estimate		
	Audited	Audited	Preliminary outcome	Adjusted appropriation	Revised estimate			
R thousand	1997/98	1998/99	1999/00	2000/0	01	2001/02	2002/03	2003/04
Administration <sup>1</sup>	21 411	22 133	24 896	47 803	43 384	51 201	49 278	38 740
Policy planning	3 112	2 968	3 556	6 763	5 886	10 588	20 976	11 389
Programme management	1 056 789	636 250	192 666	152 334	153 244	207 358	213 213	124 006
Housing performance	802 494	54 045	298 983	195 933	195 899	177 265	174 331	302 105
Communication	1 375	1 021	4 119	9 245	8 017	16 366	16 602	13 667
Housing development funding	2 634 847	3 031 149	2 970 156	3 027 277	3 026 199	3 255 555	3 469 271	3 588 495
Total	4 520 028	3 747 566	3 494 376	3 439 355	3 432 629	3 718 333	3 943 671	4 078 402
Change to 2000 Budget Estimate				105 984	99 258	117 079	189 026	

<sup>1</sup> Authorised losses of R100 000 in 1999/00 included

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Current	158 163	159 201	412 552	402 066	395 342	389 184	398 084	408 585
Personnel	19 571	17 324	17 810	40 032	35 122	43 432	45 988	48 483
Transfer payments	121 130	120 957	371 941	316 451	315 373	259 851	246 071	307 991
Other	17 462	20 920	22 801	45 583	44 847	85 901	106 025	52 111
Capital	4 361 865	3 588 365	3 081 824	3 037 289	3 037 287	3 329 149	3 545 587	3 669 817
Transfer payments	4 357 577	3 586 956	3 078 244	3 036 682	3 036 680	3 325 960	3 543 676	3 667 899
Acquisition of capital assets	4 308	1 409	3 580	607	607	3 189	1 911	1 918
Total	4 520 028	3 747 566	3 494 376	3 439 355	3 432 629	3 718 333	3 943 671	4 078 402

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Total	4 520 028	3 747 566	3 494 376	3 439 355	3 432 629	3 718 333	3 943 671	4 078 402
Civil Pensions Stabilisation Fund	334	247	258	363	349	_	-	-
Miscellaneous Thefts and losses	51	133	100	-	_	_	-	-
Transfer payments	4 478 687	3 707 913	3 450 185	3 353 133	3 352 053	3 585 811	3 789 747	3 975 890
Professional and special services	12 343	15 498	13 174	36 317	36 309	65 649	86 008	34 119
Land and buildings	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Equipment	4 308	1 409	4 504	956	916	5 082	2 406	2 489
Inventories	670	710	3 316	2 521	1 847	3 637	3 866	1 727
Administrative	4 064	4 332	5 029	6 033	6 033	14 722	15 656	15 694
Personnel	19 571	17 324	17 810	40 032	35 122	43 432	45 988	48 483

#### **Departmental receipts**

Departmental receipts are estimated at R974 000 for 2000/01, comprising interest earned on housing subsidies, sale of publications and other sales. Income over the medium term is estimated at an average of R1 million per year.

#### **Expenditure trends**

In the 2001 Budget, the Housing Vote has expanded its programme structure to six programmes, introducing the *Programme management* programme. Spending on *Housing development funding* dominates the Vote, consuming an average of 80,3 per cent over the seven-year period. This largely reflects transfers to supplement the capital of the South African Housing Fund. The most important trend is the average growth of 24,3 per cent a year on the *Policy planning* programme.

Continued growth on the programme highlights the significance of the development and implementation of housing policy and legislation over the medium term.

The 2001 Budget raises the medium-term allocations to the Department of Housing by R49 million in 2001/02 and R120 million in 2002/03. These additional allocations partly contribute towards the reduction of the housing backlog over the medium term.

## **Programme 1: Administration**

The aim of the programme is to provide administrative and management support services to the Department. Apart from the Minister's policy formulation role and overall control in terms of the Public Finance Management Act, the Director-General and management team set the policies for the Department. The centralised administrative support services include financial administration and management, internal audit, human resource management, and legal and other office support services. The programme also oversees the purchase of vehicles for departmental use and maintenance, and rent and acquisition of land, buildings and structures in accordance with Public Works contracts. Finally, it includes a sectoral education and training contribution to the Public Sector SETA.

Table 16.2: Administration

Subprogramme	Ехр	enditure outo	come		Medium-term expenditure estimate		
	Audited	Audited	Preliminary outcome	Adjusted appropriation			
R thousand	1997/98	1998/99	1999/00	2000/01	2001/02	2002/03	2003/04
Minister <sup>1</sup>	569	503	518	518	634	669	702
Management	1 941	1 439	1 752	1 614	4 380	4 540	4 933
Corporate services	18 850	20 058	22 526	45 641	45 757	43 619	32 635
Government motor transport	-	-	_	1	1	1	1
PSETA	_	-	_	29	429	449	469
Land, buildings and structures <sup>2</sup>	-	_	-	_	-	-	_
Thefts and losses	51	133	100	_	-	-	-
Total	21 411	22 133	24 896	47 803	51 201	49 278	38 740
Change to 2000 Budget Estimate				10 906	3 501	(9 955)	

<sup>1</sup> Payable as from 1 April 2000: salary: R478 530, car allowance: R119 632

#### **Economic classification**

Current	19 969	20 998	22 519	47 407	49 994	48 539	37 898
Personnel	10 605	9 543	9 509	25 327	17 671	18 693	19 691
Transfer payments	_	_	_	29	429	449	469
Other	9 364	11 455	13 010	22 051	31 894	29 397	17 738
Capital	1 442	1 135	2 377	396	1 207	739	842
Transfer payments	_	_	_	1	1	1	1
Acquisition of capital assets	1 442	1 135	2 377	395	1 206	738	841
Total	21 411	22 133	24 896	47 803	51 201	49 278	38 740

<sup>2</sup> Spending on land, buildings and maintenance subject to Public Works agreement

Total	21 411	22 133	24 896	47 803	51 201	49 278	38 740
Civil Pensions Stabilisation Fund	51	133	100	1	ı	-	_
Thefts and losses	175	133	133	186	-	-	-
Miscellaneous	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Transfer payments	-	-	-	30	430	450	470
Professional and special services	6 293	7 383	7 855	18 031	21 950	20 154	8 409
Land and buildings	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Equipment	1 442	1 135	3 190	633	2 671	1 003	1 135
Inventories	354	431	629	591	771	838	866
Administrative	2 491	3 375	3 480	3 005	7 708	8 140	8 169
Personnel	10 605	9 543	9 509	25 327	17 671	18 693	19 691

#### **Policy developments**

The introduction of the Public Finance Management Act has necessitated the strengthening of financial services. The emphasis on financial management has led to improved financial reporting on and monitoring of the Housing Fund and entities falling under this Department.

Transformation is a major policy challenge. Housing focuses on developing, implementing and monitoring programmes in six key areas. These include transforming service delivery; employment equity, affirmative action, representivity and institution building; implementation of the HIV/Aids policy, including condom distribution and an HIV/Aids awareness campaign; a youth programme; and a programme on disability.

#### **Expenditure trends**

Spending on *Administration* increased significantly by an annual average of 30,7 per cent between 1997/98 and 2000/01, but declines by an average of 6,8 per cent over the medium term. High growth during the earlier period was due mainly to the finalisation of the restructured establishment and the setting up of offices to operate at full capacity levels.

## **Programme 2: Policy planning**

The aim of the programme is to ensure an efficient national housing policy framework. It comprises the following subprogrammes:

- The national housing policy and strategy subprogramme undertakes analysis, such as research on housing policy; collects information on demand and supply possibilities and constraints; and studies appropriate institutional, legal and policy frameworks. Its strategic interventions include amending current housing policy and strategy based on research; managing the integrated multi-term housing development; formulating a new national housing policy and strategy; and providing guidance and assistance to other spheres of government in structuring appropriate institutional frameworks and technical aspects of housing policy and strategy.
- Housing framework legislation assesses the impact of legislation on the housing function; drafts housing legislation; facilitates the submission of draft legislation to Parliament; administers, implements and amends housing legislation.
- The Human settlement policy and integration subprogramme focuses on both urban and rural development challenges. The subprogramme undertakes international cooperation on human settlement policy and strategy, including bi-national commissions, international agreements on human settlement development, inputs and reports to national and international human settlement forums, and environmental programmes in the housing sector. The subprogramme

monitors and evaluates the integration of international inputs into human settlement policy strategy. It also manages and integrates the needs of special groups in human settlement policy and provides related inputs to national and international forums.

#### **Expenditure estimates**

Table 16.3: Policy planning

Subprogramme	Ехр	enditure ou	tcome		Medium-term expenditure estimate		
	Audited	Audited	Preliminary outcome	Adjusted appropriation			
R thousand	1997/98	1998/99	1999/00	2000/01	2001/02	2002/03	2003/04
National housing policy and strategy	1 243	1 174	658	3 343	5 045	5 427	5 596
Housing framework legislation	-	-	-		1 499	11 337	1 369
Human settlement policy and integration	1 079	1 012	1 411	2 585	4 019	4 187	4 399
Statutory Boards	790	742	961	810	-	_	-
Contribution <sup>1</sup>		40	526	25	25	25	25
Total	3 112	2 968	3 556	6 763	10 588	20 976	11 389
Change to 2000 Budget Estimate				54	4 619	14 803	

<sup>1</sup> Includes an amount specifically and exclusively appropriated as contribution to Habitat Foundation: R25 000.

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Current	3 082	2 933	3 413	6 673	10 267	20 750	11 151
Personnel	1 635	1 327	1 275	2 721	6 378	6 758	7 130
Transfer payments	-	40	526	25	25	25	25
Other	1 447	1 566	1 612	3 927	3 864	13 967	3 996
Capital	30	35	143	90	321	226	238
Transfer payments	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Acquisition of capital assets	30	35	143	90	321	226	238
Total	3 112	2 968	3 556	6 763	10 588	20 976	11 389

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Personnel	1 635	1 327	1 275	2 721	6 378	6 758	7 130
Administrative	399	218	440	573	1 193	1 295	1 226
Inventories	44	6	2	370	420	417	418
Equipment	30	35	144	128	417	274	287
Land and buildings	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Professional and special services	972	1 322	1 151	2 910	2 155	12 207	2 303
Transfer payments	-	40	526	25	25	25	25
Miscellaneous	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Civil Pensions Stabilisation Fund	32	20	18	36	-	-	-
Total	3 112	2 968	3 556	6 763	10 588	20 976	11 389

#### **Policy developments**

Major policy developments since 1994 are summarised below:

- The Housing Act of 1997 established a rationalised institutional framework, redefined the roles and functions of the three spheres of government and repealed all racially based housing legislation.
- Housing, constitutionally designated as an area of concurrent national and provincial competency, is now regulated by a single housing Act, a unified national housing policy and strategy, a national Department of Housing and a department responsible for housing in each of the provinces.
- The Housing Consumers Protection Measures Act of 1998 provides for the establishment of a statutory regulating body for home builders. The National Home Builders Registration Council

- will in future register every builder and regulate the home building industry by formulating and enforcing a code of conduct. The implementation of the Act is monitored continuously.
- The Rental Housing Act of 1999 repeals the Rent Control Act of 1976 and defines Government's responsibility for rental housing property. It creates mechanisms to promote the provision of rental housing and the proper functioning of the rental housing market. To facilitate sound relations between tenants and landlords, it lays down general requirements for leases and principles for conflict resolution in the rental housing sector. It also makes provision for the establishment of Rental Housing Tribunals and defines the functions, powers and duties of such Tribunals. The rental housing regulations were approved in October 2000. Provincial housing departments are establishing Rental Housing Tribunals.
- The Home Loan and Mortgage Disclosure Act of 2000 provides for the establishment of the
  Office of Disclosure and the monitoring of financial institutions serving the housing credit
  needs of communities. It requires financial institutions to disclose information and identifies
  discriminatory lending patterns.
- A provincial capacity building programme was implemented in September 1996, and a framework for a multi-year housing capacity building programme approved in 1997.
- The winding down of the South African Housing Trust and the transfer of the functions relating to financial obligations should be completed during 2001/02.
- The Department amended the current programme structure in order to strengthen the policy development and monitoring components, and to increase the policy outputs. It also established an Office of Disclosure.
- The Housing Amendment Bill of 2000 proposes to rectify the current inefficiencies of state institutional arrangements in the Housing Act, 1997. It abolishes the South African and provincial Housing Development Boards, transferring their powers, duties, rights and obligations to the members of the Executive Councils responsible for Housing. The Bill also provides for the establishment of panels to advise the Minister and members of the Executive Councils, and empowers the Minister to determine a procurement policy on housing development. Finally, the Bill puts in place regulatory measures to restrict the sale or alienation of state-subsidised housing.
- The Interdepartmental Task Team on Environmentally Efficient Housing, responsible for promoting environmentally sound housing, achieved a number of milestones. A cost-savings study quantified the benefits of energy efficiency in housing. A feasibility study was undertaken to investigate a financing mechanism to support environmental efficiency in the housing sector. It worked in partnership with non-governmental organisations in the sector, and the Minister of Housing participated in a decision-makers' seminar on environmentally sound housing practices. The Department of Housing also completed its First Edition Environmental Implementation Plan in accordance with the National Environmental Management Act.
- In preparation for the United Nations General Assembly Special Session on the Implementation of the Habitat Agenda ("Istanbul+5"), the Department prepared a South African Country Report on Sustainable Human Settlement, approved by Cabinet in October 2000. As an input to this process, Germany, Brazil, Singapore and South Africa collaborated in the Urban 21 initiative. The outputs of this initiative were four regional conferences on sustainable development (including the African Solutions Conference hosted by the Department and the Department of Environmental Affairs and Tourism in March 2000) and a World Conference on the Urban Future in Berlin in July 2000.
- The Department aligned its procurement policies with the Emerging Contractor Development Programme managed by the Department of Public Works.

• It participated in drafting the Integrated Sustainable Rural Development Strategy coordinated by the President's Office and implemented by the Independent Development Trust.

#### **Expenditure trends**

A small share of the Housing Vote, the *Policy planning* programme grows steadily over the period. Spending on the programme increases by an average of 23,7 per cent a year between 1997/98 and 2000/01, as against 24,6 per cent over the medium term. Increased expenditure over the medium term is related largely to personnel expenditure and professional and special services to capacitate the Department to undertake policy research.

#### Outputs and service delivery trends

Table 16.4: Policy planning: Key outputs and indicators

Subprogramme	Outputs	Service delivery indicators
National housing policy and strategy	Housing Policy and Strategy for the New Millennium	Number of programmes implemented
Housing framework legislation		Number of loans granted for subsidised housing
	Home Loan and Mortgage Disclosure Bill, 2000	
	Housing Amendment Bill, 2000	Number of requests for the sale of houses to provincial governments
	Rental Housing Act, 1999	Number of rental housing units
Human settlement and housing land policy	Report on housing land; establishment of Human Settlement Forum	Compliance with United Nations Human Settlement Indicators (Agenda 21)
Settlement policy coordination and integration	South African Country Report on Sustainable Human Settlements	Informative report on human settlements
	Urban 21 African Regional Conference	Knowledge exchanged; number of resolutions taken
	Environmental implementation plan	Environment-friendly housing developments
	Cost saving study and feasibility study on environmental efficiency	Number of energy-saving technology changes introduced
	Support to Minister at the UNCHS and Istanbul+5	
Special focus groups (Newly established)	Inputs to Chapter 9 institutions – human rights, gender equity	Number of reports produced
Statutory boards	National housing policy advice to the Minister	Number of cases resolved by Housing Tribunals
	Regulation of rental housing in terms of the new Rent Act	

## **Programme 3: Programme management**

The aim of the programme is to manage national housing programmes. It comprises five subprogrammes:

- Housing subsidy scheme develops and manages the national housing subsidy scheme. This
  deals with ownership, informal land rights, social housing, rental, and special needs subsidy
  programmes. It also seeks to develop housing normalisation programmes by phasing out old
  subsidy schemes, in terms of the Housing Act of 1997.
- A special investigative unit was formed to investigate improper administration, irregularities, fraud and theft arising from the implementation of the housing subsidy scheme.
- The Capacity building subprogramme establishes, funds and maintains capacity building programmes to facilitate the implementation of national housing policy and programmes.
- Special programmes support manages the special housing and human settlement programmes.
   The first of these is the Programme on Rental Housing, a Presidential Project aimed at delivering 50 000 rental housing units over three years. The second is the Human Settlement

- Redevelopment Programme, which consists of grant support to municipalities for addressing dysfunctional human settlements.
- The subprogramme on the Phasing out of subsidy programmes serves to phase out subsidy programmes in line with housing legislation and policy developments.

#### **Expenditure estimates**

Table 16.5: Programme management

Subprogramme	Expe	nditure outo	ome		Medium-terr	n expenditure	estimates
	Audited	Audited	Preliminary outcome	Adjusted appropriation			
R thousand	1997/98	1998/99	1999/00	2000/01	2001/02	2002/03	2003/04
Housing subsidy scheme	2 902	2 739	17 454	7 194	4 999	5 295	5 348
Special investigative unit	-	-	-	-	5 437	5 042	3 597
Capacity building	8 011	12 883	11 728	10 933	7 800	15 869	1 949
Special programmes support	1 007 349	582 639	137 476	115 207	177 122	181 007	111 112
Phasing out of subsidy programmes	38 527	37 989	26 008	19 000	12 000	6 000	2 000
Total	1 056 789	636 250	192 666	152 334	207 358	213 213	124 006
Change to 2000 Budget Estimate				94 054	79 267	86 779	
Economic classification							
Current	46 480	51 645	55 567	113 301	107 253	109 073	14 999
Personnel	3 067	2 583	2 896	4 583	6 690	7 087	7 474
Transfer payments	41 527	47 414	51 925	107 000	87 000	81 000	2 000
Other	1 886	1 648	746	1 718	13 563	20 986	5 525
Capital	1 010 309	584 605	137 099	39 033	100 105	104 140	109 007
Transfer payments	1 010 264	584 542	137 000	39 000	100 000	104 000	109 000
Acquisition of capital assets	45	63	99	33	105	140	7
Total	1 056 789	636 250	192 666	152 334	207 358	213 213	124 006
Standard items of expenditure							
Personnel	3 067	2 583	2 896	4 583	6 690	7 087	7 474
Administrative	783	264	323	488	878	784	776
Inventories	94	28	1	66	48	54	55
Equipment	45	63	110	41	125	163	34
Land and buildings	-	-	-		-	-	-
Professional and special services	952	1 316	364	1 100	12 617	20 125	4 667
Transfer payments	1 051 791	631 956	188 925	146 000	187 000	185 000	111 000
Miscellaneous	-	-	_	_	-	-	_
Civil Pensions Stabilisation Fund	57	40	47	56	-	-	-
Total	1 056 789	636 250	192 666	152 334	207 358	213 213	124 006

#### **Policy developments**

The major policy developments concern housing subsidies and rental housing policy. Foremost among these was the development and enhancement of new housing subsidy programmes, including rental and social housing subsidies. Housing subsidy programmes were revised, including the project-linked subsidies, individual subsidies, consolidation subsidies, people's housing process, rural subsidies, institutional subsidies, hostel subsidies, and special housing needs (e.g. people with HIV/Aids, or young, aged and disabled people). The Department also developed the Phasing out of subsidies subprogramme to address the subsidies of the previous dispensation. It further developed implementation policies on rental housing and for the Human Settlement Development Programme. It also addressed capacity needs in provincial and local government, by training housing managers and administrators through classroom tuition. This programme was developed in collaboration with tertiary institutions.

The Job Summit project on housing will inform the process of establishing policy on rental housing. To spearhead the Department's contribution to the decisions taken at the Job Summit, a Section 21 company – Rental Housing Development Company – will be established.

#### **Expenditure trends**

Spending on *Programme management* declines by an average of 28,9 per cent a year over the seven-year period, owing to the completion of the Special Integrated Presidential Projects in 1999. The projects were intended to catalyse integrated development in major urban areas, focusing on violence-torn communities and communities in crisis. Thirteen projects benefited through this programme, including Katorus, Duncan Village, Cato Manor, Thabong iSLP, Masoyi, Mahwelereng and others.

A further reason for the decline in spending on the programme is the suspension of the Bulk and Connector Infrastructure Grant in 1998/99 from the Housing Vote and its consolidation into the Consolidated Municipal Infrastructure Programme grant managed by the Department of Provincial and Local Government.

#### Outputs and service delivery trends

Table 16.6: Programme management: Key outputs and indicators

Subprogramme	Outputs	Service delivery indicators
Housing subsidy scheme	Develop implementation manual	Number of revisions to policy
	Produce national housing code	Adherence by provinces to norms and standards
	Implementation procedures for discount	Compliance by provinces with National Housing Code
	benefits scheme	Number of discount benefits granted
	Phasing out of old subsidies	Number of old subsidies phased out
Special Investigative Unit	Reduction in fraud and irregularities in the housing subsidy scheme	Number of cases successfully resolved
Capacity building	Capacity building programmes	Develop administration and management capacity required for housing development: over 1 973 officials participated in capacity building programmes since February 1996
Special programmes support: Presidential Job Summit: Housing pilot project	Support to the Rental Housing Development Company through the provision of housing subsidies and Job Summit funds	Delivery of 50 000 new residential rental units and 12 000 employment opportunities per year over the next three to four years
Human Settlement Redevelopment	Improve human settlements	Number of projects approved

## **Programme 4: Housing performance**

The aim of the programme is to monitor housing sector performance, manage housing information, administer and manage special projects, render secretarial support services, and support housing institutions. The programme is organised into six subprogrammes:

- Implementation monitoring undertakes monitoring of the implementation of national housing
  policy and the implementation and performance of national housing programmes and projects.
  The Department promotes performance within the housing, construction and financial sectors,
  and coordinates housing policy with macroeconomic and fiscal policy. The monitoring role also
  focuses on housing institutions, monitoring their activities against set mandates and key
  performance indicators.
- Information management manages information for housing and human settlement, and maintains a national housing databank and information system.
- Office of Disclosure administers the activities of the Office of Disclosure in terms of the Home Loan and Mortgage Disclosure Act.

- Secretariat support provides secretariat coordination and follows up on matters relating to policy and industry discussions for line functions, the MinMEC and the Heads of Housing. It also administers the activities of the South African Development Board in terms of the Housing Act of 1997. The Board advises the Minister of Housing on any matter relating to housing development and monitors the implementation of national housing policy.
- Contributions provide financial support to housing institutions, such as the National Housing Finance Corporation, Servcon Housing Solutions (Pty) Ltd, the South African Housing Trust and the Social Housing Foundation.

Table 16.7: Housing performance

Subprogramme	Expenditure outcome		ogramme Expenditure outcome			Medium-ter	m expenditure	estimate
	Audited	Audited	Preliminary outcome	Adjusted appropriation				
R thousand	1997/98	1998/99	1999/00	2000/01	2001/02	2002/03	2003/04	
Implementation monitoring	1 574	1 493	2 290	3 361	5 557	6 050	6 883	
Information management	7 576	6 583	4 762	10 831	21 618	20 371	12 557	
Office of Disclosure	-	-	-	-	4 682	10 170	3 888	
Secretariat support	1 088	1 112	1 353	1 282	2 047	2 157	2 268	
Housing Development Board	207	89		658	560	582	609	
Contributions <sup>1</sup>	792 049	44 768	290 578	179 801	142 801	135 001	275 900	
Total	802 494	54 045	298 983	195 933	177 265	174 331	302 105	
Change to 2000 Budget Estimate				94	(26 732)	(29 296)	•	

1 Includes amounts specifically and exclusively appropriated as contribution to housing institutions: R142 801 000, National Housing Finance Corporation: R1000, Servcon: R71 800 000; Housing Trust: R67 000 and Social Housing Foundation: R4 000

Economic c	lassification
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Current	54 745	53 913	298 202	195 843	176 542	173 854	301 609
Personnel	3 433	3 300	3 206	5 306	9 529	10 097	10 650
Transfer payments	47 049	44 768	290 578	179 800	142 800	135 000	275 900
Other	4 263	5 845	4 418	10 737	24 213	28 757	15 059
Capital	747 749	132	781	90	723	477	496
Transfer payments	745 000	-	-	1	1	1	-
Acquisition of capital assets	2 749	132	781	89	722	476	496
Total	802 494	54 045	298 983	195 933	177 265	174 331	302 105

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Standard	items	of ex	penditure

Total	802 494	54 045	298 983	195 933	177 265	174 331	302 105
Civil Pensions Stabilisation Fund	55	48	45	68	I	-	
Miscellaneous	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Transfer payments	792 049	44 768	290 578	179 801	142 801	135 001	275 900
Professional and special services	3 820	5 464	3 743	9 664	22 126	26 568	12 920
Land and buildings	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Equipment	2 749	132	870	146	1 006	607	667
Inventories	54	53	65	89	125	129	134
Administrative	334	280	476	859	1 678	1 929	1 834
Personnel	3 433	3 300	3 206	5 306	9 529	10 097	10 650

#### **Policy developments**

Monitoring guidelines were developed to enable the Department to report on the implementation of housing policy, programmes and projects. The formal guidelines are supported by a computerised information system, to provide regular monthly reports and to evaluate implementation of policy and programmes.

#### **Expenditure trends**

Housing performance is projected to comprise an average of 5,5 per cent of the Vote over the medium term. Spending on the programme declines by an average of 37,5 per cent a year from 1997/98 to 2003/04, but grows by an average of 15,9 per cent a year over the medium term. Increased spending over the medium term reflects Housing's prioritisation of monitoring and information management for housing delivery.

Transfers to the SA Housing Fund have been reclasified as capital expenditure to bring this inline with IGFS classifications.

#### Outputs and service delivery trends

Table 16.8: Housing performance: Key outputs and indicators

Subprogramme	Outputs	Service delivery indicators
Implementation monitoring	Comprehensive monitoring system for the implementation of housing policy and programmes	Number of queries on system from provinces Reduction in number of helpdesk complaints
	Regular reports on performance of national housing programmes	Use of exception reports in provinces
	Quarterly reports on the performance of the construction sector	Number and type of interventions
	Quarterly reports on the impact of housing on employment and the building industry	Number and type of interventions
	Quarterly reports providing information on economic and financial trends, new legislation and progress with housing institutions	Number of hits on Internet web site
	Report on economic policies and their impact on housing policies	Number and type of interventions
	Questionnaire to micro-lenders	Number and type of interventions
	Quarterly or biannual report on the performance of housing institutions	Number and type of interventions
Information management	A comprehensive, integrated housing and human settlement information system	Number of queries successfully answered
	A housing subsidy management system to assist with the administration of the housing subsidy scheme	Number of complaints from provinces regarding information
Office of disclosure	Quarterly reports on the performance of financial institutions in	Greater access to home loan funding
	terms of the Home Loan and Mortgage Disclosure Act of 2000	Increased private sector investment in particular geographic areas
	Regular reports on possible discriminatory lending patterns and recommendations on rectifying them	Number of cases referred for discrimination investigation
	Quarterly reports on the compliance of financial institutions with the provisions of the Promotion of Equality and Prevention of Unfair Discrimination Act, 2000	Reduction in number of institutions in breach of the Act
Secretariat support	Professional and effective secretariat support service	Minutes out 14 days after meetings

## **Programme 5: Communication**

The aim of the programme is to facilitate and promote the free flow of information between the Department and its stakeholders. It comprises the following subprogrammes:

- Housing communication implements communication strategies that promote the vision and mission of the Department.
- Public relations provide strategic vision for the dissemination of housing policy through targeted and focused public relations. Considerable effort goes into building sound relationships with partners and beneficiaries.
- Provincial, media and local liaison maintains effective relationships with stakeholders by
  managing information flows through links with non-governmental community structures, the
  academic community, the building industry and the media.

• Communication production disseminates information in innovative ways, such as event management to launch policy thrusts or by highlighting achievements through campaigns, advertisements and other media.

#### **Expenditure estimates**

Table 16.9. Communication

Subprogramme	Ехр	enditure ou	tcome		Medium-terr	n expenditure	estimates
	Audited	Audited	Preliminary outcome	Adjusted appropriation			
R thousand	1997/98	1998/99	1999/00	2000/01	2001/02	2002/03	2003/04
Housing communication	1 375	1 021	4 119	9 245	3 808	4 061	4 224
Public relations	-	-	-	-	4 511	4 639	4 403
Provincial, media and local liaison	-	-	-	-	1 598	1 678	1 774
Communication production	-	-	-	-	6 449	6 224	3 266
Total	1 375	1 021	4 119	9 245	16 366	16 602	13 667
Change to 2000 Budget Estimate				876	7 424	7 880	
Economic classification							
Current	1 333	977	3 939	9 245	15 531	16 271	13 331
Personnel	831	571	924	2 095	3 164	3 353	3 538
Transfer payments	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Other	502	406	3 015	7 150	12 367	12 918	9 793
Capital	42	44	180	_	835	331	336
Transfer payments	-	-	_	_	_	_	-
Acquisition of capital assets	42	44	180	-	835	331	336
Total	1 375	1 021	4 119	9 245	16 366	16 602	13 667
Standard items of expenditure							
Personnel	831	571	924	2 095	3 164	3 353	3 538
Administrative	57	195	310	1 108	3 265	3 508	3 689
Inventories	124	192	2 619	1 405	2 273	2 428	254
Equipment	42	44	190	8	863	359	366
Land and buildings	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Professional and special services	306	13	61	4 612	6 801	6 954	5 820
Transfer payments	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Miscellaneous							
Civil Pensions Stabilisation Fund	15	6	15	17			
Total	1 375	1 021	4 119	9 245	16 366	16 602	13 667

#### **Policy developments**

Seeking to ensure effective communication through improved interaction with provincial housing structures and a general improvement of communication in the sector, the *Communications* programme focuses on streamlining functions, enabling directorates to communicate policy decisions as they are processed, and supporting the Minister. The Department plans to have fewer communication campaigns but to increase the effectiveness of the campaigns in the electronic and print media.

#### **Expenditure trends**

Spending on *Communication* increases markedly by an average of 53 per cent a year over the seven-year period. This reflects the Department's strategy of targeted information campaigns, particularly in rural areas, and explains the rise in the share of professional and special services to an average of 46,4 per cent of the total over the medium term.

#### Outputs and service delivery trends

Table 16.10: Communication: Key outputs and indicators

Subprogramme	Outputs	Service delivery indicators				
Housing communication	Disseminate relevant information to stakeholders and facilitate feedback	Reduction in the number of questions from stakeholders pertaining to housing issues, and an increase in participation by ordinary people				
Public relations	Formulate a communication strategy to guide and support housing programmes: publications, television and radio campaigns	Reduction in the number of questions from stakeholders pertaining to housing issues and an increase in participation by ordinary people				
	Strategic analysis of the environment to ensure maximum coverage and efficiency in delivering messages					
	Project a positive image of the Department and the Ministry	Publication of more positive stories, as compared to negative reports in both the electronic and print media				
Provincial, media and local liaison	Create channels for the effective two-way flow of information between the Department and the	At least a 30 minute slot on one or more public radio station(s) every 14 days				
	nation	At least one feature in a national daily newspaper every 14 days				
	Transmit information to the Department's target audiences at the local level and send feedback for departmental action or policy intervention	Increase in housing projects initiated by communities				
Communication production	Write and produce Department's policies, statements and general information for the benefit of the public	Reduction in queries pertaining to housing policies Reduction in number of complaints received by helpdesk				
		At least one positive article in a national newspaper every week				

## **Programme 6: Housing development funding**

The aim of the programme is to manage the funding of national housing programmes in terms of the Housing Act of 1997. The programme comprises the following subprogrammes:

- Addition to the capital of the South African Housing Fund allocates capital funds to the nine provincial governments to finance national and provincial housing programmes.
- Interest and redemption of private loans provide for payment of interest on and the redemption of private loans of the former National Housing Board in terms of the Housing Act of 1997.

#### **Expenditure estimates**

Table 16.11: Housing development funding

Subprogramme	Expenditure outcome				Medium-term expenditure estimate			
	Audited	Audited	Preliminary outcome	Adjusted appropriation				
R thousand	1997/98	1998/99	1999/00	2000/01	2001/02	2002/03	2003/04	
Addition to the capital of the Housing Fund	2 574 623	3 002 414	2 941 244	2 997 680	3 225 958	3 439 674	3 558 898	
Interest and redemption of private loans	60 224	28 735	28 912	29 597	29 597	29 597	29 597	
Total	2 634 847	3 031 149	2 970 156	3 027 277	3 255 555	3 469 271	3 588 495	
Change to 2000 Budget Estimate					49 000	118 815		

Current	32 554	28 735	28 912	29 597	29 597	29 597	29 597
Personnel	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Transfer payments	32 554	28 735	28 912	29 597	29 597	29 597	29 597
Other current	_	-	-	-	-	_	-
Capital	2 602 293	3 002 414	2 941 244	2 997 680	3 225 938	3 439 674	3 558 898
Transfer payments	2 602 293	3 002 414	2 941 244	2 997 680	3 225 958	3 439 674	3 558 898
Acquisition of capital assets	_	-	-	-	-	_	-
Total	2 634 847	3 031 149	2 970 156	3 027 277	3 255 555	3 469 271	3 588 495
Standard items of expenditure							
<u> </u>	-	_	-	-	-	_	_
Personnel		- -			- -	- -	
Personnel Administrative	- - -	- - -	- - -		- - -	- - -	- - -
Personnel Administrative Inventories	- - - -	- - - -	- - -	-	- - - -	- - - -	- - -
Personnel Administrative Inventories Equipment	- - - - -	- - - -	-	-	- - - -	- - - - -	- - - -
Personnel Administrative Inventories Equipment Land and buildings	- - - - -	- - - - -	-	- - -	- - - - -	- - - - -	- - - - -
Personnel Administrative Inventories Equipment Land and buildings Professional and special services	- - - - - 2 634 847	- - - - - - 3 031 149	-	- - -	- - - - - - 3 255 555	- - - - - - 3 469 271	- - - - - 3 588 495
Personnel Administrative Inventories Equipment Land and buildings Professional and special services Transfer payments Miscellaneous	- - - - 2 634 847	- - - - - - 3 031 149	- - - -	- - - -	- - - - - - 3 255 555	- - - - - - 3 469 271	- - - - - 3 588 495

#### **Policy developments**

The increase in the maximum subsidy in April 1999 had a major impact on the housing subsidy scheme and the availability of funds. The increase compensated for inflation and higher building costs. In addition, national norms and standards for residential structures and engineering services were introduced. Existing housing subsidy instruments are being enhanced and new instruments such as the rural subsidy and rental subsidy have recently been introduced. In addition, the social housing model is being explored to extend the available options in the institutional subsidy programme. Changes to conditional grants guidelines on the transfer of funds and in the allocation formula affected departmental contributions to the South African Housing Fund.

#### **Expenditure trends**

Spending on *Housing development funding* increases markedly by an average of 53 per cent a year over the seven-year period. As noted, spending on Addition to the capital of the Housing Fund dominates the Vote and the programme. This programme grows steadily by an average of 5,5 per cent a year. Payment of interest and redemption of private loans declines by an average of 11,2 per cent a year owing to the redemption of a loan in 1997/98.

Transfers to the South African Housing Fund have been reclassified as capital expenditure to bring this in line with the Government Finance Statistics classification standard.

#### Outputs and service delivery trends

Table 16.12: Housing development funding: Key outputs and indicators

Subprogramme	Outputs	Service delivery indicators
Addition to the capital of the South African Housing Fund	Capital housing funds allocated to provincial governments	Funds available to provincial governments to finance national and provincial housing programmes
Interest on private loans	Interest on private loans paid	No interest outstanding for current financial year on private loans

## Public entities reporting to the Minister responsible for Housing

#### Servcon Housing Solutions (Pty) Ltd

Servcon was established in 1994 as a joint venture arising out of the Record of Understanding between the Department of Housing and the Council of South African Banks, represented by the Association of Mortgage Lenders. Servcon was given a renewed mandate in 1998 when the Department of Housing and the Banking Council signed the "Heads of Agreement on the Termination of the Record of Understanding". In terms of the agreement, Government and the Banking Council each hold 50 per cent of the shares in Servcon. Servcon was appointed to provide exclusive management services in terms of the new mandate for the designated or "ringfenced" portfolio comprising properties in possession and non-performing loans. The agreement is for a period of eight years from 1 April 1998.

The mission of Servcon is to normalise the lending environment by managing non-performing loans and the properties repossessed by Banks in areas where the normal legal process has broken down. This normalisation programme was agreed to between the Department of Housing and financial institutions.

#### National Urban Reconstruction and Housing Agency (Nurcha)

Nurcha's mission is to expedite housing delivery for low-income households over the short to medium term. It was established as a Presidential Lead Project in 1995 by agreement between the Government and the Open Society Institute of New York. Its primary function is to help release finance for low-cost housing from financial institutions. Nurcha's main activity is to offer guarantees to banks to encourage them to make bridging finance loans available to developers, when banks are not prepared to approve such loans without additional security.

#### **National Housing Finance Corporation**

The Corporation was established through a Cabinet decision in May 1996, as envisaged in the White Paper on Housing. Its purpose is to search for better ways of mobilising finance for housing from sources outside Government, in partnership with the broadest range of organisations. Its mission is to ensure:

- Development and appropriate funding of institutions providing affordable housing finance to low-income groups at the retail level
- Development and appropriate funding of institutions offering a variety of tenure options for residential purposes, in the under- and unserviced segments of the housing market
- Sustained and growing mobilisation of savings into the housing process, through appropriate intermediaries

In terms of its business plan, the Corporation aims to create housing opportunities for low- and medium-income families by:

- Funding intermediaries to promote broader access to housing
- Building adequate and sustainable capacity within the organisations it funds
- Partnering organisations to pioneer new finance and housing delivery

#### **Social Housing Foundation**

The Foundation was established by the National Housing Finance Corporation and launched in November 1997, with the aim of developing capacity in housing institutions and encouraging networking both locally and internationally. It aims to bring various players together in a range of

different forums, promoting information and skills exchanges and cooperation, and developing a policy framework for social housing.

#### **South African Housing Trust**

The South African Housing Trust is being disestablished, as a result of a Cabinet decision to this effect. Government has now purchased all privately owned shares and the two subsidiary companies of the South African Housing Trust are being sold.

#### **National Home Builders Registration Council**

The National Home Builders Registration Council is a Section 21 company established in terms of the Housing Consumers Protection Measures Act of 1998. Its purpose is to provide housing consumers with warranty protection against defects in new homes and to provide protection in respect of any failure of home builders to comply with their obligations in terms of the Act.

#### **Thubelisha Homes**

Thubelisha Homes (a Section 21 company) was established in June 1998 as a special purpose financial vehicle to create rightsizing stock. Rightsizing is a process whereby occupants of bank-owned properties in possession of mortgage loans in default are assisted in relocating to more affordable homes.

#### **South African Housing Fund**

The South African Housing Fund aims to provide adequate funds to enable provincial governments to establish and maintain habitable, stable and sustainable residential environments. This includes the provision of:

- Permanent residential structures with secure tenure and privacy, and which provide adequate protection against the elements
- Potable water, adequate sanitation facilities and domestic electricity supply

Housing funds for national housing programmes are budgeted for and appropriated in the South African Housing Fund programme. From 2000/01, the funds are allocated through the conditional grant mechanism to the nine provinces in accordance with the provisions of the Housing Act of 1997. Housing funds are now reflected in the revenue funds and expenditure appropriations of provinces, enhancing provincial accountability. The allocation to the provinces is according to a formula based on equity, taking into account the housing backlog and income profile of each province.

The conditions attached to the funds are based on the provisions of the Housing Act and will be agreed upon between the Department and the provinces. The Department developed guidelines to facilitate the process of transferring funds from the South African Housing Fund to provinces and to guide reporting processes in terms of the Public Finance Management Act, the Division of Revenue Act and the Housing Act.

The aims of the housing subsidy assistance scheme have largely been met. Introduced in 1994 on a project-linked basis only, the scheme evolved into a comprehensive instrument providing an array of housing subsidies to a broad spectrum of beneficiaries. It allows several tenure options on an individual or group basis in urban areas.

The scheme's successes include the approval of approximately 1,17 million housing subsidies between April 1994 and December 2000. During the same period, 1,12 million housing units were

built. Approximately 65 000 consolidation subsidies were approved for houses on serviced sites from the previous dispensation.

Approximately R14,6 billion has been spent on housing delivery since 1994 until November 2000. A delivery target of 322 000 units a year was reached during 1997/98. The housing funds provided have averaged approximately R3 billion per year. At the higher subsidy amount of about R16 000 per household, the allocation allows for about 188 000 subsidies a year. About 33 000 beneficiaries of the former first-time home buyers scheme will be supported until the scheme has been completely phased out.

## **Annexure: Vote 16: Housing**

- Table 16.13: Summary of expenditure trends and estimates per programme
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Table 16.13: Summary of expenditure trends and estimates per programme

	Expenditure outcome			Main appropriation	7			Revised estimate		Medium-term expenditure estimate			
	Audited	Audited	Preliminary outcome		Rollovers from 1999/00	Other adjustments	Adjusted appropriation		Current	Capital	Total		
R thousand	1997/98	1998/99	1999/00			2000/01				2001/02		2002/03	2003/04
Administration	21 411	22 133	24 896	36 897	2 500	8 406	47 803	43 384	49 994	1 207	51 201	49 278	38 740
Policy planning	3 112	2 968	3 556	6 709		54	6 763	5 886	10 267	321	10 588	20 976	11 389
Programme management	1 056 789	636 250	192 666	58 280	94 000	54	152 334	153 244	107 253	100 105	207 358	213 213	124 006
Housing performance	802 494	54 045	298 983	195 839		94	195 933	195 899	176 542	723	177 265	174 331	302 105
Communication	1 375	1 021	4 119	8 369	846	30	9 245	8 017	15 531	835	16 366	16 602	13 667
Housing development funding	2 634 847	3 031 149	2 970 156	3 027 277			3 027 277	3 026 199	29 597	3 225 958	3 255 555	3 469 271	3 588 495
Total	4 520 028	3 747 566	3 494 376	3 333 371	97 346	8 638	3 439 355	3 432 629	389 184	3 329 149	3 718 333	3 943 671	4 078 402
Change to 2000 Budget Estimate			·				105 984	99 258			117 079	189 026	

Table 16.14: Summary of expenditure trends and estimates per economic classification

	Ехі	penditure out	come	Main appropriation	Adju	stments approp	riation	Revised estimate		Medium-t	erm expendit	ure estimate	
	Audited	Audited	Preliminary outcome		Rollovers from 1999/00	Other adjustments	Adjusted appropriation		Current	Capital	Total		
R thousand	1997/98	1998/99	1999/00			2000/01				2001/02		2002/03	2003/04
Current	158 163	159 201	412 552	315 082	78 346	8 638	402 066	395 342	389 184	_	389 184	398 084	408 585
Personnel	19 571	17 324	17 810	39 631	_	401	40 032	35 122	43 432	_	43 432	45 988	48 483
Salaries and wages	12 538	12 454	12 979	29 184	_	401	29 585	24 675	26 853	_	26 853	28 435	29 973
Other	7 033	4 870	4 831	10 447			10 447	10 447	16 579		16 579	17 553	18 510
Transfer payments	121 130	120 957	371 941	241 422	75 000	29	316 451	315 373	259 851		259 851	246 071	307 991
Subsidies to business enterprises	-	40 000	116 000	103 000	-	-	103 000	103 000	67 000	-	67 000	66 000	215 000
Extra-budgetary institutions	43 000	6 768	175 578	76 800	75 000	-	151 800	151 800	150 800	-	150 800	144 004	60 900
Provincial government	-	7 425	24 917	13 000	-	-	13 000	13 000	_	-	-	-	- [
Households and non-profit institutions	78 130	66 724	55 426	48 597	-	29	48 626	47 548	42 026	-	42 026	36 046	32 066
Foreign countries and international credit institutions	-	40	20	25	-	-	25	25	25	-	25	25	25
Other current expenditure	17 462	20 920	22 801	34 029	3 346	8 208	45 583	44 847	85 901	_	85 901	106 025	52 111
Capital	4 361 865	3 588 365	3 081 824	3 018 289	19 000	=	3 037 289	3 037 287	_	3 329 149	3 329 149	3 545 387	3 669 817
Capital transfers:	4 357 557	3 586 956	3 078 244	3 017 682	19 000	_	3 036 682	3 036 680	_	3 325 960	3 325 960	3 543 676	3 667 899
Movable capital	4 308	1 409	3 580	607	_	_	607	607	_	3 189	3 189	1 911	1 918
Motor vehicles	-	_	576	-	-	-	-	-	-		-	-	-
Equipment: Computers	4 210	1 220	2 864	530	_	_	530	530	_	2 427	2 427	1 521	1 503
Other office equipment	98	189	140	77	_	_	77	77	_	762	762	390	415
Fixed capital	-	_	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	_	-	-	-
Land	-	_	_	-	-	_		-	-	_	_	-	-
Buildings	-	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Infrastructure	-	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	-	_	_	-	-
Other	-	_	-	_	_	_	_	-	-	_	_	-	-
Total	4 520 028	3 747 566	3 494 376	3 333 371	97 346	8 638	3 439 355	3 432 629	389 184	3 329 149	3 718 333	3 943 671	4 078 402

Table 16.15: Summary of expenditure trends and estimates per standard item

	Expenditure outcome			Main appropriation	Adjustments appropriation			Revised estimate	Medium-term expenditure estimate				
	Audited	Audited	Preliminary outcome		Rollovers from 1999/00	Other adjustments	Adjusted appropriation		Current	Capital	Total		
R thousand	1997/98	1998/99	1999/00			2000/01				2001/02		2002/03	2003/04
Personnel	19 571	17 324	17 810	39 631	-	401	40 032	35 122	43 432	-	43 432	45 988	48 483
Administrative expenditure	4 064	4 332	5 029	6 062	-	(29)	6 033	6 033	14 722	-	14 722	15 656	15 694
Inventories	670	710	3 316	2 521	-	-	2 521	1 847	3 637	-	3 637	3 866	1 727
Equipment	4 308	1 409	4 504	956	-	-	956	916	1 893	3 189	5 082	2 406	2 489
Land and buildings	-	-	_	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	_	-	-
Professional and special services	12 343	15 498	13 174	24 734	3 346	8 237	36 317	36 309	65 649	-	65 649	86 008	34 119
Transfer payments	4 478 687	3 707 913	3 450 185	3 259 104	94 000	29	3 353 133	3 352 053	259 851	3 325 960	3 585 811	3 789 747	3 975 890
Miscellaneous	385	380	358	363	-	-	363	349	-	-	-	-	-
Total	4 520 028	3 747 566	3 494 376	3 333 371	97 346	8 638	3 439 355	3 432 629	389 184	3 329 149	3 718 333	3 943 671	4 078 402

Table 16.16: Summary of transfers and subsidies per programme

	Ехр	enditure ou	tcome	Main	Ad	justments appro	priation	Revised		Medium-term	expenditure	estimate	
<u>-</u>				appropriation				estimate					
	Audited	Audited	Preliminary outcome		Rollovers from 1999/00	Other adjustments	Adjustments appropriation		Current	Capital	Total		
R thousand	1997/98	1998/99	1999/00			2000/01				2001/02		2002/03	2003/04
Administration	-	-	-	-					-	-		-	-
SETA	-	-	-	-		29	29	29	429	_	429	449	469
Government motor transport	-	-	-	1			1		-	1		1	1
Policy planning	-	-	-	-					-	-		-	-
Contribution	-	-	-	-					-	_		-	-
Habitat Foundation <sup>1</sup>	-	40	20	25			25	25	25	-	25	25	25
Urban 21-African Regional Preparatory Conference	-	-	506	_					-	-		-	-
Programme management	-	-	-	-					-	-		-	-
Housing subsidy scheme	-	-	-	-					-	-		-	-
Hostels	-	-	14 917	-					-	-		-	-
Resettlement of Dornkop Community	-	-	-	3 000	-	-	3 000	3 000	-	-		-	-
Phasing out of subsidy scheme	-	-	-	-					-	_		-	-
First-time home buyer interest subsidy scheme	38 527	37 986	26 008	19 000			19 000	19 000	12 000	-	12 000	6 000	2 000
State assisted home owner saving scheme	-	3	-	-					_	-		-	-
Capacity building	-	-	-	-					_	-		-	-
People's Housing Partnership Trust	3 000	2 000	1 000	_					-	-		-	-
Housing support initiatives	3 615	2 586	-	-					-	_		-	-
Provincial and local government capacity building	-	7 425	10 000	10 000			10 000	10 000		-			
Special programmes support	-	-	-	-					-	_		-	-
Special Integrated Presidential Projects	545 649	581 956	136 000	-					-	-		-	-
Bulk and Connector Infrastructure Grant	461 000	-	-	_					-	-		-	-
Presidential Job Summit: Housing pilot project	-	-	-	75 000			75 000	75 000	75 000	-	75 000	75 000	-
Human Settlement Redevelopment	-	-	1 000	20 000	19 000		39 000	39 000	-	100 000	100 000	104 000	109 000

Housing Performance	-	-	-	-					-			-	-
Contributions	-	-	-	-					-	-		-	-
National Housing Finance Corporation <sup>2</sup>	745 000	-	-	1			1	1	-	1	1	1	-
Servcon <sup>3</sup>	40 000	4 768	163 778	68 800			68 800	68 800	71 800	-	71 800	69 000	60 900
South African Housing Trust 4	-	40 000	116 000	103 000			103 000	103 000	67 000	_	67 000	66 000	215 000
Social Housing Foundation 5	-	-	-	8 000			8 000	8 000	4 000	_	4 000	-	_
National Home Builders Registration Council	-	=	10 800	-					=	-		=	=
Mortgage Indemnity Fund	7 049	-	-	-					-	-		-	-
Housing development funding	_	-	-	_					-	-		-	_
Addition to the capital of the Housing fund	2 574 623	3 002 414	2 941 244	2 997 680			2 997 680	2 997 680	=	3 225 958	3 225 958	3 439 674	3 558 898
Interest and redemption of private loans	60 224	28 735	28 912	29 597			29 597	28 519	29 597	-	29 597	29 597	29 597
Total	4 478 687	3 707 913	3 450 185	3 156 014	94 000	29	3 353 133	3 352 053	259 851	3 325 960	3 585 811	3 789 747	3 975 890

Table 16.17: Summary of personnel numbers and costs 1

Personnel numbers	1997/98	1998/99	1999/00	2000/01	2001/02
Administration	118	118	118	120	120
Policy planning	16	16	16	31	31
Programme management	30	30	30	33	33
Housing performance	35	35	35	45	51
Communication	14	14	14	16	16
Housing development funding	-	-	-	-	-
Total	213	213	213	245	251
Total personnel cost (R thousand)	19 571	17 324	17 810	40 032	43 432
Unit cost (R thousand)	91,9	81,3	83,6	163,4	173,0

<sup>1</sup> Full-time equivalent

<sup>1</sup> Amount specifically and exclusively appropriated as contribution to Habitat Foundation R25 000 2 Amount specifically and exclusively appropriated as contribution to National Housing Finance Corporation R1000

<sup>3</sup> Amount specifically and exclusively appropriated as contribution to Servcon R71 800 000

<sup>4</sup> Amount specifically and exclusively appropriated as contribution to South African Housing Trust R67 000 000

<sup>5</sup> Amount specifically and exclusively appropriated as contribution to Social Housing Foundation R4 000 000

Table 16.18: Summary of expenditure on training

	Preliminary outcome	Adjusted appropriation	Medium-term expenditure estimate				
R thousand	1999/00	2000/01	2001/02	2002/03	2003/04		
Administration	237	172	1 074	1 157	1 014		
Policy planning	33	75	90	92	96		
Programme management	18	41	104	118	111		
Housing performance	136	90	192	200	209		
Communication	-	139	225	236	249		
Housing development funding	_	-	_	_	_		
Total	424	517	1 685	1 803	1 679		

Table 16.19: Summary of conditional grants to provinces

Programme	Ехр	enditure outco	ome		T	Medium-term expenditure estimate		
	Audited	Audited	Preliminary outcome	Adjusted appropriation	Revised estimate			
R thousand	1997/98	1998/99	1999/00	2000/0	)1	2001/02	2002/03	2003/04
Programme management								
Housing subsidy scheme								
Hostels	-	-	14 917	-	-	-	-	-
Eastern Cape	-	-	4 750	-	-	-	-	-
Free State	-	-	3 750	-	-	-	-	-
Gauteng	-	-	2 667	-	-	-	-	-
KwaZulu-Natal	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mpumalanga	-	-	_	_	-	-	-	-
Northern Cape	-	-	_	_	-	-	-	-
Northern Province	-	-	_	-	-	-	-	-
North West	_	-	_	-		-	-	-
Western Cape	-	-	3 750	-		-	-	-
Resettlement Doornkop	_	_	-	3 000	3 000	- '	-	-
Community								
Eastern Cape	_	-	_	_	-	-	-	-
Free State	-	-	_	_	-	-	-	-
Gauteng	-	_	_	3 000	3 000	_	-	-
KwaZulu-Natal	-	-	_	_	_	_	-	-
Mpumalanga	_	_	_	_	_	_	-	-
Northern Cape	-	_	_	_	-	_	-	-
Northern Province	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	-
North West	_	_	_	_	-	_	-	-
Western Cape	-	-	_	_	_	_	-	-
Capacity building								
Provincial and local	_	7 425	10 000	10 000	10 000	_	_	_
Government Capacity								
Building								
Eastern Cape	_	750	1 020	1 000	1 000	_		-
Free State	_	750	1 001	1 200	1 200	_	_	-
Gauteng	_	1 050	1 579	1 400	1 400	_	_	-
KwaZulu-Natal	_	900	1 220	1 800	1 800	_	_	_
Mpumalanga	_	675	1 060	930	930	_	_	_

Northern Cape	1	675	1 000	1 100	1 100			1
Northern Province	_	900	1 000			_	_	-
North West	_	825	1 000	1 100 960	1 100	_	_	-
Western Cape	_	900	1 120		960	_	_	-
		900	1 120	510	510			
Special programmes support  Human Settlement			1 000			100.000	104.000	100.000
Redevelopment	_	_	1 000	39 000	39 000	100 000	104 000	109 000
Programme								
Eastern Cape	_	-	-	2 170	2 170	8 500	10 000	11 000
Free State	_	_	_	1 700	1 700	5 000	7 500	8 500
Gauteng	-	-		3 500	3 500	26 000	23 000	21 000
KwaZulu-Natal	_	_	_	3 000	3 000	25 000	25 000	26 000
Mpumalanga	_	_	_	500	500	5 000	6 000	7 000
Northern Cape	-	-	-	1 200	1 200	1 000	2 500	3 000
Northern Province	-	-	1 000	10 172	10 172	10 000	11 000	11 000
North West	-	-	-	7 758	7 758	7 000	6 000	8 000
Western Cape	-	-	-	9 000	9 000	12 500	13 000	13 500
Housing development								
funding								
Addition to the capital of the Housing Fund								
SA Housing Fund	3 223 701	3 004 507	2 720 609	2 997 680	2 997 680	3 225 958	3 439 674	3 558 898
Eastern Cape	266 340	367 068	325 242	422 178	422 178	498 311	531 323	549 740
Free State	24 221	191 951	204 836	218 306	218 306	241 253	257 236	266 152
Gauteng	913 107	797 628	796 489	718 904	718 904	681 831	727 002	752 201
KwaZulu-Natal	897 834	600 153	461 829	587 650	587 650	617 648	658 567	681 392
Mpumalanga	179 006	108 267	105 078	173 461	173 461	208 355	222 158	229 859
Northern Cape	125 243	70 958	62 656	58 125	58 125	65 474	69 811	72 231
Northern Province	176 322	239 388	201 952	257 021	257 021	334 787	356 967	369 340
North West	276 481	221 364	181 382	220 569	220 569	256 735	273 743	283 232
Western Cape	365 147	407 730	381 145	341 466	341 466	321 564	342 867	354 751
Total	3 223 701	3 011 932	2 746 526	3 049 680	3 049 680	3 325 958	3 543 674	3 667 898