Summary table of national revenue, expenditure and borrowing for the month ended 31 August 2007

		2007/08			2006/07		
	-	Budget	August	Year to date	Preliminary	August	Year to date
R thousand	Table	estimate			outcome		
Revenue	1	544,601,638	41,902,750	195,003,624	480,942,268	37,215,993	170,850,413
Expenditure		533,873,251	46,067,307	218,146,867	470,547,273	43,153,984	189,580,126
Appropriation by vote	2	299,177,741	22,345,598	119,867,549	260,885,443	19,006,072	100,902,270
Direct charges against the National Revenue Fund	2	231,695,510	23,721,709	98,279,318	209,606,435	24,147,912	88,632,183
Cost of servicing state debi		52,916,000	9,391,347	19,883,137	<i>52,192,158</i>	11,545,403	19,662,986
Provincial equitable share		171,271,393	13,701,711	75,359,415	150,752,930	12,060,233	66,331,290
Other		7,508,117	628,651	3,036,766	6,661,347	542,276	2,637,907
Standing appropriations	2	-	-	-	55,395	-	45,673
Contingency reserve	2	3,000,000	-	-	-	-	-
Budget deficit		10,728,387	(4,164,557)	(23,143,243)	10,394,995	(5,937,991)	(18,729,713)
Revenue fund receipts	3	1,250,000	6,279	1,812,318	3,438,017	205,450	1,868,850
Direct exchequer payments	3	(400,000)	(8)	(690,814)	(4,213,696)	-	(4,022)
Net borrowing requirement		11,578,387	(4,158,286)	(22,021,739)	9,619,316	(5,732,541)	(16,864,885)
Financing of the net borrowing requirement							
Domestic short-term loans (net)	4	5,750,000	4,954,326	9,540,489	5,334,103	(3,572,882)	4,992,783
Domestic long-term loans (net)	4	(9,019,000)	2,345,144	10,916,241	891,708	4,394,461	19,368,967
Foreign loans (net)	4	(2,586,900)	(31,518)	(4,452,839)	181,410	523,793	3,496,126
Change in cash and other balances (- increase)	4	(5,722,487)	(3,109,666)	6,017,848	(16,026,537)	4,387,169	(10,992,991)
Total financing (net)		(11,578,387)	4,158,286	22,021,739	(9,619,316)	5,732,541	16,864,885