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It is hereby notified that the State President has assented to the following Act which is hereby published for general information:—

Hierby word bekend gemaak dat die Staatspresident sy goedkeuring geheg het aan die onderstaande Wet wat hierby ter algemene inligting gepubliseer word:—

No. 81 of 1969: Security Services Special Account Act, 1969.

No. 81 van 1969: Wet op die Spesiale Rekening vir Veiligheidsdienste, 1969.

Act No. 81, 1969

SECURITY SERVICES SPECIAL ACCOUNT ACT, 1969.

ACT

To provide for the establishment of a Security Services Special Account, for the control and utilization of moneys standing to the credit of such account and for other incidental matters.

*(English text signed by the State President.)
(Assented to 16th June, 1969.)*

BE IT ENACTED by the State President, the Senate and the House of Assembly of the Republic of South Africa, as follows:—

Establishment
of Security
Services Special
Account.

1. There shall be established, with effect from a date to be determined by the Prime Minister, an account to be known as the Security Services Special Account (hereinafter referred to as the account) which shall, notwithstanding anything to the contrary in any other law contained, be credited with—

- (a) moneys appropriated by Parliament for the account;
- (b) interest derived from the investment of moneys standing to the credit of the account;
- (c) refunds of expenditure incurred on the account at any time.

Payments from
the account.

2. The moneys in the account shall be utilized for such services of a confidential nature and such expenses connected with the Bureau for State Security as the Prime Minister may from time to time approve as being in the national interest, and shall be paid out subject to the directions of the Prime Minister.

Control of
expenditure.

3. Subject to the provisions of section 2 the account shall be under the control of the officer in charge of the Bureau for State Security, who shall cause proper records to be kept of all moneys received or expended.

Audit.

4. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in any other law contained, the account shall be subject to audit by the Controller and Auditor-General to the extent determined by the Minister of Finance acting in consultation with the Prime Minister, after consultation with the Controller and Auditor-General, having regard to the special nature of the account, and the Controller and Auditor-General shall for the purposes of his audit accept the certificate of the Prime Minister in regard to any expenditure from the account.

Investment of
balances.

5. Moneys standing to the credit of the account which are not required for immediate use or as a reasonable working balance, may be invested in such manner as may be determined by the Prime Minister in consultation with the Minister of Finance.

Unexpended
balance in the
account.

6. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in any other law contained, any unexpended balance in the account at the close of any financial year, including accrued interest on investment balances and other receipts, shall be carried forward as a credit in the account to the next succeeding financial year.

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Utilization of certain appropriated moneys.

7. Any moneys appropriated by Parliament for the financial year 1969-70 under the Vote Prime Minister in respect of salary and allowances for the Security Adviser and in respect of secret services, shall be deemed to have been so appropriated for the account, and any such moneys which may have been utilized prior to the establishment of the account, shall be deemed to have been utilized under section 2.

Short title.

8. This Act shall be called the Security Services Special Account Act, 1969.