

TABLE 4.3

Federal Government Operating Expenditure by Object 2006-2008

	RM million			Change (%)			Share (%)		
	2006	2007 ¹	2008 ²	2006	2007 ¹	2008 ²	2006	2007 ¹	2008 ²
Emolument	28,522	31,142	36,176	11.5	9.2	16.2	26.5	25.1	28.1
Debt service charges	12,495	13,127	13,101	7.7	5.1	-0.2	11.6	10.6	10.2
Grants to state governments	2,851	3,752	4,402	9.1	31.6	17.3	2.6	3.0	3.4
Pension and gratuities	7,008	8,049	8,412	2.9	14.9	4.5	6.5	6.5	6.5
Supplies and services	20,923	24,449	25,483	16.3	16.9	4.2	19.4	19.7	19.8
Subsidies	10,112	12,151	10,233	-24.5	20.2	-15.8	9.4	9.8	7.9
Grants to statutory bodies ³	9,195	10,985	12,728	10.9	19.5	15.9	8.5	8.9	9.9
Refunds and write-off	287	1,815	966	-0.3	532.4	-46.8	0.3	1.5	0.8
Others	16,301	18,403	17,298	45.8	12.9	-6.0	15.1	14.9	13.4
Total	107,694	123,873	128,799	10.2	15.0	4.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
% of GDP	18.8	19.8	18.9						

¹ Revised estimate.

² Budget estimate, excluding 2008 tax measures.

³ Includes emolument.