



Council of Ministers

Authorisation of the application of the Contingency Fund

3 August 2012.- The Council of Ministers has authorised the use of the Contingency Fund, with funds totalling €1,225,446.31, allocated as follows:

- 884,848.92 euros to fund an extraordinary loan to the Ministry of Development for the costs arising from financial aid to repair, restore and rebuild homes damaged by the earthquakes of 11 May 2011 in Lorca (Murcia), in accordance with the agreement reached by the Joint Committee on 11 June 2011, and in accordance with Royal Decree of Law of 13 May 2011 on urgent measures to mitigate damages in the town.
- 157,855.20 euros to finance an extraordinary loan to the Ministry of Finance and Public Administrations to cover compensation arising from the 2011 Supreme Court ruling which considers the appeal for review filed by an entity that was not admitted to the "Direct dial telephone service for the Cadastral register management" due to the Procurement Board considering that it did not have the appropriate qualification to provide such service.
- 141,008.88 euros intended to finance a supplementary loan to the Ministry of Finance and Public Administrations to address compensation arising from the Supreme Court ruling of the patrimonial responsibility of the State, due to the incompatibility of certain articles in the VAT Act with the EU directive on this tax.
- 41,739.31 euros to finance a supplementary loan to the Ministry of Employment and Social Security intended to pay for interest on late payments corresponding to final court resolutions by the Supreme

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Court regarding the patrimonial responsibility of the State, as a consequence of the declaration of unconstitutionality of Royal Decree 5/2002 on urgent measures to reform the system of unemployment protection and work skills improvement.

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