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Supreme Court of Queensland Act 1991

UNIFORM CIVIL PROCEDURE (FEES) REGULATION 1999

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PART 1—PRELIMINARY

Short title

1. This regulation may be cited as the *Uniform Civil Procedure (Fees) Regulation 1999.*

Commencement

2. This regulation commences on 1 July 1999.

PART 2—COURT FEES

Fees for Supreme Court

- **3.(1).** Schedule 1 applies for the Supreme Court.
- (2) Schedule 1 does not apply to or affect fees or percentages directed to be taken or paid by an Act for which no fee or percentage is specified in schedule 1.
- (3) An enforcement officer or marshal is not required to pay a fee mentioned in schedule 1.
- (4) The fee payable on application for admission as a barrister or solicitor, includes the filing of all certificates, affidavits and other documents that relate to the application, administering the oaths of allegiance and of office, and sealing the certificate of admission.

Fees for District Court

- **4.**(1) Schedule 2 applies for the District Court.
- (2) An enforcement officer is not required to pay a fee mentioned in schedule 2.

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Fees for Magistrates Courts

- **5.(1)** Schedule 3 applies for the Magistrates Courts.
- (2) An enforcement officer is not required to pay a fee mentioned in schedule 3.

PART 3—ALTERNATIVE DISPUTE RESOLUTION FEES

Fees for approval as mediator

- **6.** The fees for approval as a mediator are—
 - (a) for the Supreme Court—\$330.00; or
 - (b) for the District Court—\$330.00; or
 - (c) for a Magistrates Court—\$103.00.

Fees for approval as case appraiser

- 7. The fees for approval as a case appraiser are—
 - (a) for the Supreme Court—\$330.00; or
 - (b) for the District Court—\$330.00; or
 - (c) for a Magistrates Court—\$103.00.

PART 4—ALLOWANCES FOR WITNESSES AND INTERPRETERS

Division 1—Preliminary

Definitions for pt 3

- **8.** In this part—
- **"expert witness"** means a witness who attends court to give evidence of an expert nature.
- **"interpreter"** means a person who attends court to interpret the testimony of a witness.
- **"nonprofessional witness"** means a witness who attends court to give evidence of a nonprofessional nature.
- **"professional witness"** means a witness who attends court to give evidence of a professional nature.
- **"public transport"** means any form of passenger transport that is available for use by the public on payment of a fare.

"relevant person" means—

- (a) an expert witness; or
- (b) an interpreter; or
- (c) a nonprofessional witness; or
- (d) a professional witness.

Division 2—Allowances for witnesses and interpreters other than prisoners

Application of division 2

- **9.(1)** Division 2 does not apply to a witness or interpreter to whom section 17 applies.
 - (2) Also, if a witness attends 2 or more proceedings on the same day, the

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amount to be paid to the witness for each proceeding must be a reasonable share of the total for all the proceedings.

Witness allowances

- **10.(1)** Each relevant person is entitled to be paid the following allowances in accordance with this part for attendance at court—
 - (a) a travelling allowance;
 - (b) an accommodation allowance;
 - (c) an attendance allowance.
- (2) The travelling allowance is a payment made towards meeting the costs incurred by the relevant person in travelling to and from the court.
- (3) The accommodation allowance is a payment made towards meeting the costs incurred by the relevant person for accommodation and meals when the relevant person is necessarily absent from the person's place of residence to attend court.
- (4) The attendance allowance is a payment made towards meeting any loss of earnings or additional expenses incurred by a relevant person during the person's absence from the person's place of residence to attend court.

Travelling allowance

- 11.(1) The amount of the travelling allowance to be paid to a relevant person is—
 - (a) the amount actually and properly paid for fares for public transport; or
 - (b) if there is no public transport available—the amount calculated at the rate per kilometre for the time being payable under the *Public Service Act 1996* to a public service officer required to use the officer's private motor vehicle for official purposes, taken to the nearest whole cent.
- (2) A relevant person is not entitled to the payment of a travelling allowance if no expense is incurred by the person in travelling to and from the court

- (3) If a relevant person, travels to and from the court in a private vehicle with another relevant person, only 1 payment is to be made under subsection (1)(b) for the vehicle.
- (4) If it was reasonable for the relevant person to travel to and from the court by air, the amount of the travelling allowance to be paid is
 - for a nonprofessional witness or an interpreter—the amount payable for economy class air travel by the person to and from the court: or
 - (b) for a professional or expert witness—the amount payable for first class air travel by the person to and from the court.
- (5) For the calculation of travelling allowances, in deciding whether public transport was available, regard is to be had to whether a public transport system operated by which a person could conveniently travel to the relevant court in reasonable time before the person's required attendance and could conveniently return to the person's place of residence or employment after the person's attendance at court.

Accommodation allowance

- 12.(1) The amount of the accommodation allowance that is to be paid to a relevant person is to be the amount calculated at the rate payable under the Public Service Act 1996 to a public service officer.
- (2) For subsection (1), the period of absence from the relevant person's place of residence is to be calculated from the time of departure from that place to the time of return to that place and if, after the number of full days absence has been decided, the period remaining is more than 12 hours, that period is to be treated as a day's absence.
- (3) For calculating accommodation allowances, regard is to be had to the time of the latest public transport of the class used which could conveniently convey the person to the place of attendance at the relevant court in reasonable time before the person's required attendance and, after that attendance, the time of arrival at the person's place of residence or employment of the earliest public transport of that class leaving the place of attendance within a reasonable time after that attendance, unless special reasons exist for some other basis for the calculation.

Non-professional attendance allowance

- **13.** The amount of the attendance allowance that is to be paid to a nonprofessional witness is—
 - (a) if the witness is under 16—\$24.00; or
 - (b) if the witness is 16 or older—\$48.00;

for each day or part of a day of necessary absence from the witness's place of employment or residence.

Professional or expert attendance allowance

- **14.(1)** The amount of the attendance allowance that is to be paid to a professional or expert witness is \$151.00 for each day of necessary absence from the person's place of employment, practice or residence to attend court.
- (2) If the period for which a professional or expert witness is necessarily absent is 7 hours or less, the amount of the attendance allowance that is to be paid is—
 - (a) for an absence of 3 hours or less—\$56.00; or
 - (b) for an absence of more than 3 hours but not more than 4 hours—\$76.00; or
 - (c) for an absence of more than 4 hours but not more than 5 hours—\$94.00; or
 - (d) for an absence of more than 5 hours but not more than 6 hours—\$110.00; or
 - (e) for an absence of more than 6 hours but not more than 7 hours—\$130.00.
- (3) However, if the witness is a doctor who is employed under the *Health Services Act 1991* as a health service employee at a hospital, the attendance allowance that is to be paid is \$50.00 for each day or part of a day of necessary absence from the hospital at which the person is employed.
- **(4)** Travelling time is to be taken into account for deciding the amount of the allowance under this section.

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Interpreter attendance allowance

- **15.(1)** The amount of the attendance allowance that is to be paid to an interpreter is \$150.00 for each day of necessary absence from the interpreter's place of employment or residence to attend court.
- (2) If the period for which the interpreter is necessarily absent is less than 8 hours, the amount of that attendance allowance is—
 - (a) for the first 2 hours or part of 2 hours—\$37.00; and
 - (b) for each additional hour or part of an hour—\$18.30.

When additional amount may be allowed

- **16.(1)** If the registrar considers it is reasonable for an additional amount to be paid to a witness under section 13, 14 or 15 because of special circumstances, the registrar may approve the payment of an additional reasonable amount.
- (2) It is a special circumstance that a doctor is a specialist under the *Medical Act 1939*.

Division 3—Allowances for witnesses or interpreters who are prisoners

Witnesses and interpreters who are prisoners

17.(1) A prisoner granted leave of absence under the *Corrective Services Act 1988* to engage in employment who incurs any loss of salary or wages while attending court as a witness or an interpreter is entitled to be paid fees and expenses, of not more than the amounts of the allowances that may be paid to witnesses and interpreters, decided by the chief executive of the department within which the *Supreme Court of Queensland Act 1991* is administered.

SCHEDULE 1

SUPREME COURT FEES

section 3(1)\$ **Originating process** Filing any claim or application, unless item 2 applies . . . 156.00 Administration 2. Filing— (a) an application for probate or letters of administration with or without the will 244.00 (b) an application for resealing probate or letters of administration under the British Probates Act 1898. 189.00 (c) an application for an order to administer under the Public Trustee Act 1978 166.00 (d) an election to administer under the *Public Trustee Act* 1978 or the *Trustee Companies Act* 1968 56.00 Hearing 3. (1) Filing a request for trial, including— (a) an admiralty action for trial before a judge with or without a jury, or assessors; or (b) a petition under the Electoral Act 1992, part 8, division 2 for trial before a judge with or without a jury, or assessors; or 244.00 (2) The fee is in addition to any fee payable under the *Jury* Act 1995.

App	peals etc.	
4.	Filing—	
	(a) any document starting an appeal to the Court of Appeal	222.00 155.00
Art	icles	
5.	Filing—	
	(a) articles of clerkship	155.00
	(b) assignment of articles	44.00
Ope	ening registry	
6.	For opening the registry or keeping the registry open after	
	office hours—	
	(a) on a Saturday, Sunday, public holiday or court	
	holiday	222.00
	(b) on another day—	222.00
	(i) before 8 a.m. or after 6 p.m	222.00
	(ii) between 8 a.m. and 9 a.m.	111.00
	(iii)between 4 p.m. and 6 p.m	111.00
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7.	For each page of an office copy of a record of the court or	
	a document or exhibit filed in the registry	2.50
8.	Maximum fee under item 7	40.00
9.	(1) Sealing and certifying copy of a record of the court or	27.00
	a document or exhibit filed in the registry	37.00
10	(2) The fee is in addition to the fee mentioned in item 7.	
10.	For each page of a copy of reasons for judgment issued	1.60
	out of the registry	1.00
	tificates	
11.	Certificate of the registrar, including a certificate under the	a - a-
	Corporations (Queensland) Rules 1993	37.00

endance		
court or place out of the court building—for each day or part of a day the officer is necessarily absent from the	111.00	
(2) The reasonable travelling and other expenses of the officer are also payable.	111.00	
lic searches and inspections		
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(a) for each hour or part of an hour	10.00	
•	40.00	
Inspecting a document or file to obtain a precedent—for each document or file	10.00	
mination of witnesses and enforcement debtors		
examined by an officer of the court in the officer's		
(a) first hour	56.00 28.00	
officer of the court away from the officer's office—each day or part of a day	111.00	
Other references, inquiries and accounts		
Taking an account before the registrar—the amount that the registrar considers reasonable, but not more than the higher of the fees mentioned in paragraph (a) or (b). (a) for each \$300 or part of \$300 of the amount or value found to have been received without deducting any payment in the proceeding	3.00 62.00	
	(1) For an officer to attend with a record or document at a court or place out of the court building—for each day or part of a day the officer is necessarily absent from the registry	

- **18.** (1) On taking an account of a receiver, guardian, consignee, bailee, manager, liquidator or enforcement creditor, the fees are, on payment, to be allowed in the account, unless the court or a judge otherwise directs.
 - (2) On taking an account of an accounting party other than an accounting party mentioned in subitem (1), the fees—
 - (a) are to be paid by the party having the conduct of the order under which the account is taken as part of that party's costs of the proceeding (unless the court or a judge otherwise directs); and
 - (b) if a certificate of the result of the account is required—are to be taken on the certificate; and
 - (c) if such a certificate is not required—are due and payable on the account, or part of the account, taken.
- **19.** (1) The registrar who is to take the account may require a deposit on account of fees.
 - (2) The deposit required must not be more than the fees payable on the amount that, from the account, appears to have been received.
 - (3) The registrar must make a note of the deposit in the account.
 - (4) Fees are not payable twice on the same amount in the same matter, but only on amounts received or collected for the first time by the party accounting.
- **20.** (1) The amount of the fees payable for taking an account is to be fixed by the officer taking the account.
 - (2) The solicitor for the party liable to pay the fees must arrange payment of the fees.
 - (3) If the party is not represented by a solicitor, the party must pay the fees.

Assessment of costs

21.	Making an appointment for directions or for assessment	
	of a costs statement	27.50
22.	Assessing the costs statement under rule 719(1), wholly	
	or partly (for each hour or part of an hour)	62.00

23.	 (1) Assessing the costs statement other than under rule 719(1)—for each \$100 or part of \$100 allowed (2) Subject to subitem (3), the fee mentioned in subitem (1) is— (a) due and payable on the allowance of any amount on assessment; and (b) to be fixed by the registrar; and (c) to be paid by the solicitor or party suing in person. (3) The registrar may require a deposit on account of fees before assessment. (4) The deposit must not be more than the fees payable on the full amount of the costs as submitted for assessment. (5) The registrar must make a note of the deposit on the 	8.00
24.	costs statement. Order for the amount assessed	37.00
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	Enrolling a deed poll	49.00
26.	Entering a solicitor's name and other appropriate details	10.70
~=	in the register of solicitors' addresses	12.70
27.	Settling and executing a deed of transfer	83.00
28.	\mathcal{U}	10.00
29.		
	post—each document	16.00
30.	Obtaining a copy of a call-over list	10.00
31.	5 10	
	in an appeal record book—	
	(a) first copy—each page	1.50
	(b) additional copies to same party—each page	0.50
	(c) binding of appeal record books—each book	6.60
32.	Issuing an enforcement warrant for a judgment registered under the <i>Service and Execution of Process Act 1992</i> (Cwlth), the <i>Crimes Act 1914</i> (Cwlth) and the <i>Foreign</i>	
	Judgments Act 1991 (Cwlth)	77.00

Enforcement officer's and marshal's fees

Application

34.	(1) An enforcement officer or marshal may require a	l
deposit on account of fees applicable to a proceeding-		

- (a) before the proceeding is commenced; or
- (b) at any time during the course of the proceeding.
- (2) The person taking the deposit is to make a note of the amount deposited and deliver the note to the party making the deposit.

Fees payable in the sheriff's office

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35.	Lodging or assignment of bail bond	27.00
36.	Receiving and entering any warrant of enforcement	27.50
37.	Search or inspection of a document—in each proceeding	10.00
38.	Drawing an advertisement	52.00
39.	Receiving and entering any document issued outside the	
	jurisdiction of the court but for service within the	
	jurisdiction	24.00
40.	Office copy of any document—	
	(a) for each page	2.50
	(b) maximum fee for each office copy	40.00
41.	Attending a view not more than 8 km from the sheriff's	
	office	67.00
42.	Attending a view more than 8 km from the sheriff's	
	office	135.00
43.	The actual and necessary payments made by the sheriff	

for hire of transport in attending a view are also payable.

44. 45.	Opening the office, or keeping the office open after office	83.00
	hours— (a) on a Saturday, Sunday, public holiday or court	
	holiday	222.00
	(b) on another day—	222.00
	(i) before 8 a.m. or after 6 p.m	222.00
	(ii) between 8 a.m. and 9 a.m.	111.00
	(iii) between 4 p.m. and 6 p.m	111.00
16	*(1) Enforcing or attempting to enforce any warrant—for	111.00
40.	each person enforcing or attempting to enforce the	
	warrant	58.00
	(2) The fee is additional to any travelling fees.	36.00
47.	·	
4 /•	document for each km or part of a km after the first	
	12 km necessarily travelled from the court house to the	
	place of service 1 way	2.00
	(2) Only 1 travelling fee may be charged if—	2.00
	(a) 2 or more processes filed at the same time against the	
	same person are served at the same time; or	
	(b) 2 or more persons are served with the same process at	
	the same time and at the same address.	
48.	(1) For each person left in possession, the amount	
	actually paid, but not more than—for each day	58.00
	*(2) If board and lodging is not supplied—the expenses	20.00
	that the sheriff considers were actually and reasonably	
	incurred.	
	*(3) Other actual and necessary payments made by the	
	sheriff to secure the safe custody of property under	
	seizure are also payable.	
	(4) No fee is payable to the sheriff or the sheriff's bailiff	
	for the custody and possession of property under seizure	
	if the property is not kept in the actual possession of the	
	sheriff or the sheriff's bailiff.	
	*(5) In relation to matters arising out of the enforcement	
	of a warrant, for—	
	(a) travelling expenses incurred for each person; or	

	(b) necessary clerical assistance at sales; or	
	(c) advertising; or(d) if livestock is seized, cost of food or removal to place of safekeeping; or	
	(e) necessary assistance to or expense incurred by an officer including the hire of transport, warehouses, yards and out-of-pocket expenses;	
	the amount that the sheriff considers was actually and	
40	reasonably incurred.	
49.	Poundage on enforcing an enforcement warrant or other process under, or because of, which an amount is	
	received by the sheriff or by the enforcement	
	creditor—5% on the first \$200 and 2.5% on the	
	remainder, but not less than	83.00
50.	Poundage on enforcing an enforcement warrant	
	authorising possession—the same rate of fee as under	
	item 49 determined on annual rent or value, but not less than	83.00
51.		03.00
	the place of arrest—	
	for each km	2.00
	(2) Other unavoidable expenses involved in taking the	
5 2	person to prison or a place of detention.	
52.	*Service or attempted service of an application, subpoena or other process—	
	(a) for each person served	27.00
	(b) for each additional process served if—	
	(i) 2 or more processes lodged at the same time	
	against the same person are served at the same	
	time; or (ii) 2 or more persons are served with the same	
	process at the same time and at the same address	9.60
53.	*(1) For time necessarily spent after the first hour on—	,,,,
	(a) service of a claim, application, subpoena or other	
	process or enforcement of a warrant; or	
	(b) arranging or conducting an auction;	12.70
	each hour or part of an hour	12.70

- (2) If the bailiff is a full-time public service officer and performs a duty during ordinary working hours the allowance is to be paid to the court.
- **54.** In case of dispute as to a fee (other than a fixed fee), the bill of costs is to be assessed by the registrar without fee. *Payable to the bailiff.

Fee	s payable in the marshal's office	
55.	‡Execution of a warrant (other than a warrant of	
	attachment)	40.00
56.	‡Execution of a warrant of attachment, for every person	
	attached	52.00
<i>5</i> 7.	Release of any ship, goods or person from arrest	27.00
58.	Receiving and entering a, claim, application, warrant,	
	release, decree, order, commission or other instrument	
	under the seal of the court	66.00
59.	(1) Execution of a commission of valuation or sale, or	
	valuation and sale	83.00
	(2) This fee is in addition to any fee paid to the valuer or	
	auctioneer.	
60.	Execution of a decree, order or another commission or	
	instrument under the Admiralty Rules 1988 (Cwlth)	83.00
61.		
	accordance with an inventory	52.00
62.	()	
	of a ship or goods, each day	107.00
	(2) If the amount actually and necessarily spent is higher	
	than the fee mentioned in subitem (1)—that amount.	
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	cargo, or of a ship's cargo without a ship—for each day.	9.10
	(2) In addition to the fee mentioned in subitem (1), the	
	reasonable expenses incurred for a ship keeper in	
	retaining possession of a ship are also payable.	
	(3) No fee is payable for the custody and possession of	
	property under arrest—	
	(a) if it consists of an amount in a bank, or goods stored	

in a bonded warehouse; or

	(b) if it is in the custody of a custom house officer or	
	other authorised person.	
64.	Sale of a ship or goods sold under a judgment or order of	
	the court—5% on first \$200 and 2.5% on the remainder,	
	but not less than	265.00
65.	‡(1) Allowance for time necessarily spent after the first	
	hour on execution of warrant—each hour or part of an	
	hour	12.70
	(2) If the marshal's officer is a full-time public service	
	officer and performs the execution during ordinary	
	working hours, the allowance is to be paid to the court.	
66.	If the marshal or marshal's officer is required to go more	
	than 8 km from that person's office to perform a duty,	
	that person is entitled to reasonable expenses for	
	travelling, accommodation and incidentals, in addition to	
	the above fees.	
	‡Payable to the marshal's officer.	

SCHEDULE 2

DISTRICT COURT FEES

		section 4(1)
Init	tiating process Filing a claim or originating application	\$ 145.00
Hea 2.	(1) Filing a request for trial before a judge, with or without a jury	222.00
Ap ₃ .	peals etc. Filing any document starting an appeal	124.00
Op 4.	ening registry For opening the registry or keeping the registry open after office hours— (a) on a Saturday, Sunday, public holiday or court holiday (b) on another day— (i) before 8 a.m. or after 6 p.m. (ii) between 8 a.m. and 9 a.m. (iii) between 4 p.m. and 6 p.m.	
Co _] 5.	For each page of an office copy of a record of the court or a document or exhibit filed in the registry	2.50 40.00
7.	(1) Sealing and certifying copy of a record of the court or a document or exhibit filed in the registry(2) The fee is in addition to the fee mentioned in item 5.	

8.	For each page of a copy of reasons for judgment issued out of the registry	1.60
Cer	tificates	
9.	Certificate of the registrar	37.00
Atte	endance	
10.	(1) For an officer to attend (with or without subpoena) with a record or document at a court or place out of the	
	court building—for each day or part of a day the officer is necessarily absent from the registry	111.00
11.	officer are also payable.	59.00
11. 12.	\mathcal{E}	39.00
12.	day or part of a day	111.00
Public searches and inspections		
	Searching in a register, index, file or calendar, and inspecting documents—	
	(a) each hour or part of an hour occupied	10.00
14.	(b) maximum search fee for each day	40.00
	each document or file	10.00
Evo	mination of witnesses and enforcement debtors	
	For each witness or enforcement debtor sworn or	
13.	affirmed and examined before an officer of the court in the officer's office—	
	(a) first hour	55.00
16.	 (b) each subsequent hour or part of an hour (1) Examination of a witness or enforcement debtor before an officer of the court away from the officer's 	28.00
	office—each day or part of a day	111.00

Ass	essment of costs	
17.	Making an appointment for directions or for assessment	
	of a costs statement	27.50
18.	Assessing the costs statement under rule 719(1), wholly	
	or partly (for each hour or part of an hour)	62.00
19.	(1) Assessing the costs statement other than under	
	rule 719(1)—for each \$100 or part of \$100 allowed	8.00
	(2) Subject to subitem (3), the fee mentioned in	
	subitem (1) is—	
	(a) due and payable on the allowance of any amount on	
	assessment; and	
	(b) to be fixed by the registrar; and	
	(c) to be paid by the solicitor or party suing in person.	
	(3) The registrar may require a deposit on account of fees	
	before assessment.	
	(4) The deposit must not be more than the fees payable on	
	the full amount of the costs as submitted for assessment.	
	(5) The registrar must make a note of the deposit on the	
	costs statement.	
20.	For an order for the amount assessed	37.00
Mis	cellaneous	
21.	Poundage—	
	(a) if an enforcement officer enforces an enforcement	
	warrant or other process under or because of which an	
	amount is received by the bailiff or enforcement	
	creditor—5% on the first \$200 and 2.5% on the	52.00
	remainder, but not less than	
	(b) if an enforcement officer enforces an enforcement	
	warrant authorising possession, the same rate of fee as	
	under paragraph (a), determined on annual rent or	52.00
	value, but not less than	
22.	Receiving and entering a writ of citation, order summons,	
	summons or other documents issued outside the	
	jurisdiction of the court but for service within the	
	jurisdiction	12.70
23.	Postal dealing fee	10.00

24.	(1) Postal dealing fee (for each document filed for filing by post)	16.00
25.	Settling and executing a deed of transfer	59.00
26.	Copy of a call over list	10.00
27.	Issuing an enforcement warrant founded on judgment registered under the Service and Execution of Process	
	<i>Act</i> 1992 (Cwlth)	77.00
28.	(1) Filing a document not connected with a proceeding	
	already on record and not otherwise provided for (2) If a fee is paid under subitem (1) in relation to a document, a further fee is not payable under the subitem for filing any subsequent document related to the first document.	26.00
29.	Drawing an advertisement	52.00
30.	Subject to item 31, the fee mentioned in item 29 is payable to the bailiff if the advertisement is drawn by the bailiff. If the bailiff is a full-time public service officer and draws the advertisement during ordinary working hours, the allowance is to be paid to the court.	
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32.	document—for each km or part of a km after the first 12 km necessarily travelled from the courthouse to the	2.00
33.	place of service—one way Only 1 travelling fee may be charged if—	2.00
33.	(a) 2 or more processes lodged at the same time against the same person are served at the same time; or	
34.	(b) 2 or more persons are served with the same processes at the same time and at the same address.	
	(a) for each person served	27.00

- (b) for each additional process served if—
 - (i) 2 or more processes lodged at the same time against the same person are served at the same time; or
 - (ii) 2 or more persons are served with the same process at the same time and at the same address

36. In relation to matters arising out of the enforcement of a warrant, for—

- (a) travelling expenses incurred for each person; or
- (b) necessary clerical assistance at sales; or
- (c) advertising; or
- (d) if livestock is seized—cost of food or removal to a place of safekeeping; or
- (e) necessary assistance to, or expense incurred by, an officer, including the hire of transport, warehouses or yards and out-of-pocket expenses;

the amount that the registrar considers was actually and reasonably incurred.

- **37.** (1) For each person left in possession—the amount actually paid, but not more than—for each day
 - (2) If board and lodging are not supplied—the expenses that the registrar considers were actually and reasonably incurred.
 - (3) Other actual and necessary payments made by the registrar to secure the safe custody of property under seizure are also allowable.
 - (4) No fee is payable for the custody and possession of property under seizure if the property is not kept in the actual possession of the registrar or the bailiff.
- **38.** (1) The registrar may require a deposit on account of the fees applicable to a proceeding under warrant—
 - (a) before the proceeding is commenced; or
 - (b) at any time during the course of the proceeding.
 - (2) The registrar must deliver a memorandum of the amount deposited to the party making the deposit.

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39.	(1) Allowance for time necessarily spent after the first hour on—	
	(a) service of a claim, application, subpoena or other	
	process or enforcement of a warrant; or	
	(b) arranging or conducting an auction;	
	each hour or part of an hour	12.70
	(2) If the bailiff is a full-time public service officer and	
	performs the service or enforcement or arranges or	
	conducts the auction during ordinary working hours, the	
	allowance is to be paid to the court.	

SCHEDULE 3

MAGISTRATES COURTS FEES

section 5(1)

PART 1—COURT FEES

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1.	Filing claim—	
	(a) if amount claimed is \$2 500 or less	89.00
	(b) if amount claimed is more than \$2 500 but less than	
	\$10 000	132.00
	(c) if amount claimed is \$10 000 or more	139.00
2.	Registering a judgment or order issued out of a court	
	other than a State court or tribunal (including enforcement	
	action taken on the judgment)—	
	(a) if amount claimed is \$2 500 or less	60.00
	(b) if amount claimed is more than \$2 500 but less than	
	\$10 000	60.00
	(c) if amount claimed is \$10 000 or more	65.00
3.	Filing a minor debt claim—	
	(a) if amount claimed is \$2 500 or less	37.50
	(b) if amount claimed is more than \$2 500	65.00
4.	Filing a document (other than a claim) to start a	
	proceeding	60.00
5.	Certifying a copy of an order or a copy of another	
	document (other than a record under the Recording of	
_	Evidence Act 1962)	15.20
6.	Inspecting records in a proceeding—	
	(a) within 4 years of filing of claim (not payable by	0.10
	parties)	8.10
_	(b) over 4 years from filing of claim (including parties).	15.20
7.	Copying records in a proceeding not subject to the	4 = 0
	Recording of Evidence Act 1962—each page	1.50

8.	Poundage if an enforcement officer enforces an enforcement warrant or other process under or because of which money is received by the bailiff or enforcement creditor—5% on first \$200 and 2.5% on the balance (the	
9.	first \$200 is to be paid to the bailiff) but not less than Opening or keeping the registry open between 8 a.m. and 9 a.m. or between 4 p.m. and 6 p.m. on a day other than a	36.50
	Saturday, Sunday, public holiday or court holiday	94.00
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	behalf of an enforcement creditor	58.00
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	essment of costs Making an appointment for directions or for assessment	
11.	of a costs statement	27.50
12.		27.50
12.	or partly (for each hour or part of an hour)	62.00
13.	(1) Assessing the costs statement other than under	02.00
	rule 719(1)—for each \$100 or part of \$100 allowed	8.00
	(2) Subject to subitem (3), the fee mentioned in	
	subitem (1) is—	
	(a) due and payable on the allowance of any amount on	
	assessment; and	
	(b) to be fixed by the registrar; and	
	(c) to be paid by the solicitor or party suing in person.	
	(3) The registrar may require a deposit on account of fees before assessment.	
	(4) The deposit must not be more than the fees payable on	
	the full amount of the costs as submitted for assessment.	
	(5) The registrar must make a note of the deposit on the	
	costs statement.	
14.	For an order for the amount assessed	37.00

PART 2—BAILIFF'S FEES

\$ 15. Travelling fees on serving claim, application, process or other document or enforcing warrant-for each km or part of a km necessarily travelled from the registry to the place of service or enforcement, or attempted service or attempted enforcement, 1 way in excess of 12 km from 2.00 **16.** One travelling fee only is chargeable if— (a) 2 or more processes lodged at the same time against the same person are served at the same time; or (b) 2 or more persons are served with the same process at the same time and at the same address. 17. Serving (including attempting to serve) claim, application, subpoena or other process within 12 km of the 27.00 18. Enforcing (including attempting to enforce) a warrant within 12 km of the registry—each bailiff 40.50 19. If the bailiff collects and pays into court not less than 50% but less than 85% of the order debt due under the 12.70 20. If the bailiff collects and pays into court not less than 85% of the order debt due under the warrant—an additional fee 26.00 21. Each bailiff left in possession—each day, not more than 58.00 22. If board and lodging are not supplied, actual and reasonable expenses incurred are in the discretion of the registrar. 23. The registrar may allow other actual and necessary payments made for the safe custody of property under seizure. 24. No fee is payable for the custody and possession of property under seizure if the property is not kept in the actual possession of the bailiff. 25. The following amounts are in the discretion of the registrar (if actually and reasonably incurred)—

	(a) travelling expenses for each person;	
	(b) for clerical assistance at sales (if necessary);	
	(c) for advertising;	
	(d) the cost of feeding livestock, or removing it to a place of safe keeping;	
	(e) necessary assistance to the bailiff, or the expenses	
	incurred by the bailiff (for example, hiring transport, warehouses and yards, out-of-pocket expenses (for example, postage and telephone calls)) in enforcing a	
	warrant.	
26.	A deposit on account of the fees applying to a proceeding under warrant may be required by the registrar before the	
	proceeding is started, or at any time during the proceeding and a memorandum of the amount deposited is to be given to the party making the deposit.	
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21.	Drawing advertisement of sale (if the sale is under warrant for seizure and sale)	52.00
28.	If the advertisement is not drawn by the bailiff, the fee is to be paid to the court.	
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29.	Taking a person to prison or place of detention—each kilometre	2.00
30.	Allowance for time spent after first hour on enforcement	
	or apprehension—each hour or part of an hour (payment	
	is in the discretion of the registrar)	12.70
31.	If the bailiff is a full time officer of the public service and performs the enforcement or apprehension during normal working hours, the allowance is to be paid to the court.	
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ENDNOTES

- 1. Made by the Governor in Council on 24 June 1999.
- 2. Notified in the gazette on 25 June 1999.
- 3. Laid before the Legislative Assembly on . . .
- 4. The administering agency is the Department of Justice and Attorney-General.