



# Immigration Act 2014

## 2014 CHAPTER 22

### PART 6

#### MISCELLANEOUS

##### *Fees*

#### **70 Power to charge fees for attendance services in particular cases**

- (1) This section applies where a person exercises a function in connection with immigration or nationality in respect of which a fee is chargeable by virtue of a fees order (a “chargeable function”) in a particular case and—
- in doing so attends at a place outside the United Kingdom, and time, agreed with a person (“the client”), and
  - does so at the request of the client.

It is immaterial whether or not the client is a person in respect of whom the chargeable function is exercised.

- (2) In this section “attendance service” means the service described in subsection (1) except so far as it consists of the exercise of a chargeable function.
- (3) The following are to be disregarded in determining whether a fee is chargeable in respect of a function by virtue of a fees order—
- any exception provided for by a fees order or fees regulations;
  - any power so provided to waive or refund a fee.
- (4) The person exercising the chargeable function may charge the client such fee for the purposes of recovering the costs of providing the attendance service as the person may determine.
- (5) Fees paid to the Secretary of State by virtue of this section must be paid into the Consolidated Fund.

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*Status: This is the original version (as it was originally enacted).*

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- (6) A fee payable by virtue of this section may be recovered as a debt due to the Secretary of State.
- (7) This section is without prejudice to—
- (a) section 68;
  - (b) section 1 of the Consular Fees Act 1980 (fees for consular acts etc);
  - (c) section 102 of the Finance (No. 2) Act 1987 (government fees and charges), or
  - (d) any other power to charge a fee.