
 S T A T U T O R Y I N S T R U M E N T S

1983 No. 971 (S. 81)

COURT OF SESSION, SCOTLAND

**Act of Sederunt (Rules of Court Amendment No. 5)
(Solicitors' Fees) 1983**

*Made - - - - -
Coming into Operation*

*5th July 1983
1st September 1983*

The Lords of Council and Session, under and by virtue of the powers conferred upon them by section 16 of the Administration of Justice (Scotland) Act 1933(a), and of all other powers enabling them in that behalf, hereby enact and declare—

Citation and commencement

1.—(1) This Act of Sederunt may be cited as the Act of Sederunt (Rules of Court Amendment No. 5) (Solicitors' Fees) 1983 and shall come into operation on 1st September 1983.

(2) This Act of Sederunt shall be inserted in the Books of Sederunt.

New Fees

2. In rule 347 of the Rules of Court(b) (Fees of solicitors in the Court of Session), in the Table of Fees, in Chapters I, and Parts I, II, III, IV and V of Chapter III, for the fees specified in column 2 of the Schedule to this Act of Sederunt in relation to the paragraphs specified in column 1 of the Schedule, being the current fees chargeable in respect of the matters set out in those paragraphs, there shall be substituted the fees specified in column 3 of the Schedule in relation to those paragraphs or those paragraphs as amended by column 1 of the Schedule; and the fees so substituted shall apply to work in respect of which those fees are chargeable done on or after the date on which this Act of Sederunt comes into operation.

Edinburgh.
5th July, 1983

Emslie,
Lord President,
I.P.D.

(a) 1933 c. 41.

(b) S.I. 1965/321, as amended by S.I. 1982/467.

SCHEDULE

	Column 1 (No of paragraph)	Column 2 (current fee)	Column 3 (new fee)
Chapter 1			
	para 1 (a)	3.20	3.50
	(b)	1.40	1.50
	(c)	5.00	5.50
	para 3	1.40	1.50
	para 4	2.75	3.00
		2.50	3.00
		2.50	3.00
	para 5 (a)	10.50	11.00
	(b)	5.50	6.00
	(c)	1.40	1.50
	(d)	2.75	3.00
		1.40	1.50
	para 6	2.50	3.00
		0.70	0.70
		1.40	1.50
Chapter 3			
	Part I	60.00	64.00
	Part II		
	para 1	85.00	91.00
	para 2	48.00	51.50
	para 3(a)	12.00	13.00
	para 4A(a)	17.50	19.00
	(b)	10.50	11.00
	(c)	3.50	4.00
	para 4B(a)	20.00	21.50
	(b)	10.50	11.00
	para 6	60.00	64.00
	para 7	19.00	20.50
	Part III		
	para 1	155.00	—
	Edinburgh solicitors only	—	134.00
	Edinburgh solicitors and solicitors outside Edinburgh	—	187.00
	para 2	78.00	91.00
	para 4 (a)	15.00	16.00
	para 5	15.00	16.00
	Part IV		
	para 1 (a)	118.00	126.00
	(b)	12.50	13.50
	(c)	25.00	26.50
	para 2 (a)	125.00	134.00
	(b)	78.00	83.50
	(c)(i)	12.50	13.50
	(c)(ii)	10.50	11.00
	(d)	37.00	39.50
	(e)	55.00	59.00

Column 1 (No of paragraph)	Column 2 (current fee)	Column 3 (new fee)
para 3 (a)	25.00	26.50
(b)	10.50	11.00
(c) Fee for advising and work incidental thereto	—	20.00
para 4 (a)	24.00	25.50
(b)	6.50	7.00
(c)	2.75	3.00
(d)	24.00	25.50
(e)	6.50	7.00
(f)	2.75	3.00
para 5	12.00	13.00
para 6 (a)	26.00	28.00
para 7 (a)	37.00	26.50
(b)	18.50	13.00
(c)	10.50	11.00
(d)	10.00	10.50
para 8 (a)	31.00	53.50
(b)	25.00	43.00
(c)	9.00	16.00
para 9 (a)	31.00	59.00
(b)	25.00	26.50
(c)	10.50	11.00
para 10 (a)	6.50	7.00
(b)	18.50	20.00
(c)	10.50	11.00
para 11	110.00	75.00
para 12 (a)	18.50	20.00
(b)	6.50	7.00
(c)	27.00	29.00
(d)	12.50	13.50
(e)	64.00	68.50
(f)	35.00	37.50
para 13 (a)	120.00	182.00
(b)	31.00	16.00
(c) to cover preparing for adjourned diets and all work incidental as in (a), if diet postponed more than 5 days	—	33.00
para 15 (a)	37.00	39.50
(b)	25.00	26.50
(c)	25.00	26.50
para 16	64.00	68.50
para 17	10.50	11.00
para 18	45.00	48.00
para 19	9.00	10.00
para 20 (a)	64.00	53.50
(b)	15.00	16.00

	Column 1 (No of paragraph)	Column 2 (current fee)	Column 3 (new fee)
Part V			
para 1	(a)	37.00	39.50
	(b)	18.50	20.00
	(c)	15.50	16.50
para 2	(a)	45.00	48.00
	(b)	22.00	23.50
	(c)	15.50	16.50
para 3	(a)	37.00	39.50
	(b)	10.50	11.00
para 6		15.00	16.00

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Act of Sederunt.)

This Act of Sederunt makes provision for increasing solicitors' fees in respect of certain work in the Court of Session. The work content of certain block fees has been reassessed and in light of that reassessment they have been calculated upon the basis of the new fees chargeable for individual items.

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