



# Marriage Act 1949

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## PART III

### MARRIAGE UNDER SUPERINTENDENT REGISTRAR'S CERTIFICATE

#### *Miscellaneous Provisions*

#### **51 Fees of registrars for attending marriages.**

[<sup>F1</sup>(1)] A registrar shall be entitled to receive from persons married under this Part of this Act in his presence <sup>F2</sup> . . . the sum of [<sup>F3</sup>£45.00][<sup>F3</sup>£84.00][<sup>F3</sup>£79.00][<sup>F3</sup>£86.00].

[<sup>F4</sup>(1A) In the case of persons married on approved premises in pursuance of section 26(1) (bb) of this Act—

- (a) subsection (1) of this section shall not apply, but
- (b) the superintendent registrar in whose presence the persons are married shall be entitled to receive from them a fee of an amount determined in accordance with regulations under section 46A of this Act by the local authority that approved the premises.]

[<sup>F5</sup>(2) A superintendent registrar shall be entitled to receive from persons married in his presence in pursuance of section 26(1)(dd) of this Act the sum of [<sup>F6</sup>£82.00][<sup>F6</sup>£93.00].

#### **Textual Amendments**

- F1** S. 51(1): s. 51 renumbered as s. 51(1) (E.W.) by [Marriage Act 1983 \(c. 32, SIF 49:1\)](#), s. 1(7), [Sch. 1 para. 15](#)
- F2** Words in s. 51(1) repealed (1.1.2001) by [1999 c. 33, s. 169\(1\)\(3\)](#), [Sch. 14 paras. 3, 29](#), [Sch. 16](#); [S.I. 2000/2698, art. 2](#)
- F3** S. 51(1): it is provided that from 1.4.2012 the fee of registrar for attending marriage (a) at register office is £45 and (b) at registered building is £84, at the place where a house-bound person usually resides is £79 and at a place where a detained person usually resides is £86 by [The Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages \(Fees\) Order 2010 \(S.I. 2010/441\)](#), arts. 1(1), 2, Sch. (as amended

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(1.4.2012) by [The Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages \(Fees\) \(Amendment\) Order 2012 \(S.I. 2012/760\)](#), arts. 1, **3**, 4)

**F4** S. 51(1A) inserted (24.2.1995) by 1994 c. 34, s. 1(3), **Sch. para. 5**; S.I. 1995/424, **art. 2(1)(b)**

**F5** S. 51(2) added (E.W.) by [Marriage Act 1983 \(c. 32, SIF 49:1\)](#), s. 1(7), **Sch. 1 para. 15**

**F6** S. 51(2): it is provided that from 1.4.2012 the fee of superintendent registrar attending marriage at the place where (a) a house-bound person usually resides is £82 and (b) where a detained person usually resides is £93 by [The Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages \(Fees\) Order 2010 \(S.I. 2010/441\)](#), arts. 1(1), 2, Sch. (as amended (1.4.2012) by [The Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages \(Fees\) \(Amendment\) Order 2012 \(S.I. 2012/760\)](#), arts. 1, **3**, 4)

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