

SCHEDULE 4

Regulation 8

Rates payable for the claims specified in Regulation 8

Interpretation of this Schedule

[^{F1}1. In this Schedule—

(a) unless the context otherwise requires, words and expressions have the same meaning as in the [^{F2}2022 Standard Crime Contract], and

(b) “the 2014 Act” means the Anti-social Behaviour, Crime and Policing Act 2014.]

F1 Sch. 4 para. 1 substituted (23.3.2015) by [The Civil and Criminal Legal Aid \(Remuneration\) \(Amendment\) Regulations 2015 \(S.I. 2015/325\)](#), regs. 1, **3(5)**

F2 Words in Sch. 4 para. 1(a) substituted (1.10.2022) by [The Criminal Legal Aid \(Standard Crime Contract\) \(Amendment\) Regulations 2022 \(S.I. 2022/995\)](#), regs. 1, **4(3)** (with reg. 6)

Work conducted at the Police station: Police Station advice and assistance.

2.—(1) The Fixed Fee for Police Station Telephone Advice is—

(a) [^{F3}£33.00] per claim in London; and

(b) [^{F4}£31.74] per claim outside London (“National”)

(2) The Criminal Defence Direct Fixed Acceptance Fee is [^{F5}£8.40] per Matter.

(3) The hourly rates for Police Station attendance (for recording time and to determine whether the Escape Fee Threshold has been reached) are specified in the table following this sub-paragraph.

	<i>[^{F6}London</i>	<i>National</i>
Police Station attendance hourly rates		
Own or Duty Solicitor	£58.97	£54.57
Duty Solicitor (Unsocial Hours)	£72.46	£72.46
Duty Solicitor – serious offence rate	£68.21	£62.96
Duty Solicitor – serious offence rate (Unsocial Hours)	£83.95	£83.95
Travel and waiting hourly rates		
Own Solicitor	£30.22	£30.22
Duty Solicitor	£58.97	£54.57
Duty Solicitor (Unsocial Hours)	£72.46	£72.46]

(4) The table following sub-paragraph (8) sets out—

(a) the Police Station Attendance Fixed Fees; and

(b) the Escape Fee Thresholds applicable to Police Station attendance.

(5) The figures in columns 3 and 4 of the table following sub-paragraph (8) apply to attendance at a police station listed as being within the corresponding Scheme referred to in column 2.

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(6) Where attendance is at a place where an interviewing Constable is present, and that place is not a police station listed as being within a Scheme, the relevant Scheme in column 2 is—

- (a) the Scheme within which the police station at which the interviewing Constable is normally based is listed; or
- (b) where the interviewing Constable is not normally based at a police station listed as being within a Scheme, the Scheme within which the police station nearest to the place of attendance is listed.

(7) Where attendance is at a place where a Services Person is assisting with an investigation by Services Police, the relevant Scheme in column 2 is the Scheme within which the police station nearest to the place of attendance is listed.

(8) In sub-paragraphs (5), (6) and (7), “listed” means listed in the table set out in Annex A to the [F7]2022 Standard Crime Contract] Guidance for reporting crime lower work ^{M1}.

[F8]Police Station Attendance – Fixed Fees and Escape Fee Thresholds

<i>Criminal System Area</i>	<i>Justice Scheme</i>		<i>Fixed Fee (£)</i>	<i>Escape Fee Threshold (£)</i>	
Cleveland	Hartlepool		151.11	466.21	
	Teesside		156.35	479.58	
Durham	Darlington		177.72	533.16	
	South Durham		175.25	538.52	
	Durham		204.63	637.65	
	Derwentside		197.37	592.14	
	Easington		192.04	589.42	
Northumbria	South Northumberland	East	170.58	511.73	
	Newcastle upon Tyne		158.46	487.61	
	Gateshead		164.34	492.99	
	North Tyneside		161.61	495.67	
	South Tyneside		153.21	471.56	
	Sunderland/Houghton Le Spring		171.05	527.82	
	Berwick & Alnwick		203.58	626.95	
	Tynedale & Hexham		177.34	546.57	
	Avon & Somerset	Avon North & Thornbury		204.63	645.71
		Bath		222.38	667.12
Mendip & South Somerset			249.17	747.52	
	Bristol		183.98	551.93	

<i>Criminal System Area</i>	<i>Justice Scheme</i>	<i>Fixed Fee (£)</i>	<i>Escape Fee Threshold (£)</i>
	Sedgemoor/Taunton Deane	208.83	707.32
	Weston-Super-Mare	209.09	624.28
Dorset	Central Dorset	209.88	629.63
	Bournemouth & Christchurch	167.00	501.02
	Poole East Dorset	176.30	541.19
	Bridport/West Dorset	167.90	503.70
Wiltshire	Salisbury	200.43	616.22
	Chippenham/Trowbridge	216.13	648.39
	Swindon	197.28	608.19
Gloucestershire	Cheltenham	181.54	559.96
	Gloucester	178.40	549.25
	Stroud	204.63	629.63
Devon & Cornwall	Barnstaple	200.05	600.16
	Exeter	177.72	533.16
	Plymouth	206.31	618.92
	East Cornwall	228.77	776.99
	Carrick/Kerrier (Cambourne) / Penwith	204.63	648.39
	Teignbridge / Torbay	187.65	562.64
Staffordshire	Stoke on Trent / Leek	204.63	648.39
	Stafford / Cannock & Rugeley	204.63	629.63
	Lichfield & Tamworth / Burton Upon Trent / Uttoxeter	198.33	610.86
Warwickshire	Leamington / Nuneaton / Rugby	205.40	616.22
West Mercia	Hereford / Leominster	178.62	535.84
	Kidderminster / Redditch	228.63	685.88
	Shrewsbury	190.99	586.75
	Telford	198.33	610.86
	Worcester	208.09	624.28
West Midlands	Sandwell	202.53	621.60

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<i>Criminal System Area</i>	<i>Justice Scheme</i>	<i>Fixed Fee (£)</i>	<i>Escape Fee Threshold (£)</i>
	Wolverhampton & Seisdon	202.53	621.60
	Dudley & Halesowen	199.16	597.48
	Walsall	204.63	632.30
	Birmingham	204.63	651.06
	Solihull	215.23	645.71
	Coventry	176.84	530.50
Dyfed Powys	Amman Valley	204.63	656.42
	Carmarthen	232.21	696.61
	East Dyfed		
	Llanelli	[^{F9} 204.63]	[^{F10} 656.42]
	Brecon & Radnor	233.99	701.97
	Mid Wales	178.62	535.84
	North Ceredigion / South Ceredigion	234.88	704.64
	Pembrokeshire	192.04	592.14
Gwent	East Gwent	195.19	600.16
	Newport	192.04	589.42
	Lower Rhymney Valley / North Bedwellty / South Bedwellty	204.63	640.33
North Wales	Bangor & Caernarfon	217.91	653.74
	Colwyn Bay	199.39	613.54
	Denbighshire	217.02	651.06
	Dolgellau	217.02	651.06
	Mold & Hawarden	204.63	637.65
	North Anglesey	226.85	680.54
	Pwllheli	153.61	460.83
	Wrexham	185.76	557.28
South Wales	Cardiff	204.63	675.18
	Vale of Glamorgan	239.35	718.06
	Cynon Valley	204.63	648.39
	Mid Glamorgan & Miskin	204.63	675.18

<i>Criminal System Area</i>	<i>Justice Scheme</i>	<i>Fixed Fee (£)</i>	<i>Escape Fee Threshold (£)</i>
	Merthyr Tydfil	204.63	669.83
	Port Talbot	251.85	852.01
	Newcastle & Ogmore	204.63	685.88
	Neath	207.78	704.64
	Swansea	197.28	608.19
Merseyside	Bootle & Crosby	186.79	573.37
	Southport	156.30	468.88
	Liverpool	206.31	618.92
	St Helens	176.30	543.90
	Knowsley	189.93	584.07
	Wirral	181.54	557.28
Cheshire	Crewe & Nantwich / Sandbach & Congleton / Macclesfield	202.53	621.60
	Warrington / Halton	177.72	533.16
	Chester / Vale Royal (Northwich)	184.87	554.61
Cumbria	Barrow in Furness	176.84	530.50
	Kendal & Windermere	210.77	632.30
	Penrith / Carlisle	199.16	597.48
	Whitehaven / Workington	165.22	495.67
Greater Manchester	Manchester	204.63	675.18
	Stockport	192.90	578.71
	Trafford	204.63	643.03
	Salford	204.63	656.42
	Bolton	189.34	568.02
	Bury	183.98	551.93
	Wigan	195.58	586.75
	Rochdale / Middleton	194.70	584.07
	Tameside	179.45	551.93
	Oldham	158.08	474.24
Lancashire	Burnley / Rossendale	186.66	559.96

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<i>Criminal System Area</i>	<i>Justice Scheme</i>	<i>Fixed Fee (£)</i>	<i>Escape Fee Threshold (£)</i>
	Blackburn / Accrington / Ribble Valley	204.63	667.12
	Blackpool	145.57	436.71
	Fleetwood	149.14	447.44
	Lancaster	183.08	549.25
	Chorley / Ormskirk / South Ribble & Leyland	200.94	602.83
	Preston	164.34	492.99
Kent	Dartford & Gravesend	267.93	803.78
	Ashford & Tenterden / Dover / Folkestone	236.11	801.10
	Medway	235.77	707.32
	Swale	279.53	838.60
	Maidstone & West Malling	249.17	747.52
	Canterbury / Thanet	204.63	693.94
	West Kent (Tonbridge)	239.35	718.06
Surrey	Guildford & Farnham	206.72	701.97
	North West Surrey (Woking)	225.62	766.26
	South East Surrey	238.21	809.13
	Epsom	241.36	819.87
	Staines	277.04	937.73
Sussex	Brighton & Hove & Lewes	210.92	715.35
	Chichester & District	186.79	573.37
	Crawley / Horsham	262.57	787.69
	Hastings	163.70	503.70
	Worthing	188.89	581.39
	Eastbourne	199.16	597.48
Derbyshire	East Derbyshire (Ripley) / Ilkeston	237.56	712.68
	Ashbourne / Matlock / High Peak (Buxton)	218.81	656.42
	Chesterfield	204.52	613.54

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	Derby / Swadlincote	204.63	656.42
Leicestershire	Ashby & Coalville / Loughborough / Melton Mowbray	208.98	626.95
	Leicester	204.63	634.97
	Hinckley / Market Harborough	232.21	696.61
Lincolnshire	Boston, Bourne, Stamford	199.39	613.54
	Skegness	179.50	538.52
	Lincoln / Gainsborough	185.76	557.28
	Grantham & Sleaford	183.64	565.31
Nottinghamshire	Mansfield	184.69	568.02
	Newark	207.20	621.60
	Nottingham	206.31	618.92
	Worksop & East Retford	196.24	602.83
Northamptonshire	Corby (Kettering) / Wellingborough	181.30	543.90
	Northampton	196.48	589.42
Bedfordshire	Bedford	193.09	594.80
	Luton	204.63	691.23
Cambridgeshire	Cambridge	186.79	576.05
	Ely	204.63	661.77
	Huntingdon	199.16	597.48
	March & Wisbech	197.37	592.14
	Peterborough	164.34	492.99
Essex	Basildon	204.63	632.30
	Brentwood	286.48	972.58
	Braintree	228.77	774.32
	Clacton & Harwich / Colchester	204.63	648.39
	Grays	267.59	908.27
	Harlow & Loughton	267.59	908.27
	Stansted	295.93	1004.72

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Hertfordshire	Rayleigh / Southend on Sea	192.02	576.05
	Chelmsford / Witham	202.53	624.28
	Dacorum (Hemel Hempstead)	241.36	817.16
	Bishop's Stortford / East Hertfordshire	292.78	993.99
	Stevenage & North Hertfordshire	271.79	921.68
	St. Albans	246.61	807.59
Norfolk	Watford	242.41	822.54
	Cromer & North Walsham	211.98	718.06
	Great Yarmouth	193.80	581.39
	Kings Lynn & West Norfolk	189.34	568.02
	Norwich & District	194.70	584.07
	Diss / Thetford	201.48	618.92
Suffolk	Dereham	227.71	771.64
	Lowestoft / Beccles & Halesworth / Aldeburgh	194.70	584.07
	Felixstowe / Ipswich & District / Woodbridge	198.27	594.80
	Sudbury & Hadleigh / Bury St. Edmunds / Haverhill / Newmarket	204.63	634.97
Thames Valley	Abingdon, Didcot & Witney (South Oxfordshire)	240.30	814.49
	Aylesbury	228.63	685.88
	High Wycombe & Amersham	219.32	744.84
	Milton Keynes	189.93	584.07
	Bicester / North Oxon (Banbury)	223.51	758.23
	Oxford	223.51	758.23
Reading	217.02	651.06	

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Hampshire	Slough (East Berkshire)	240.30	814.49
	West Berkshire (Newbury etc)	200.94	602.83
	Aldershot / Petersfield (North East Hampshire)	229.82	779.67
	Andover / Basingstoke / Winchester (North West Hampshire)	242.03	726.09
	Isle of Wight	197.37	592.14
	Portsmouth / Waterlooville (South East Hampshire)	202.73	608.19
	Gosport & Fareham	247.38	742.14
	Southampton (South West Hampshire)	228.63	685.88
Humberside	Grimsby & Cleethorpes	154.50	463.50
	Scunthorpe	165.81	511.73
	Hull	176.30	541.19
	Beverley / Bridlington	204.63	675.18
	Goole	209.88	710.00
North Yorkshire	Northallerton & Richmond	220.59	661.77
	Harrogate & Ripon	211.66	634.97
	Skipton, Settle & Ingleton	204.63	629.63
	Scarborough / Whitby	175.25	538.52
	Malton & Ryedale	168.80	506.38
South Yorkshire	York / Selby	183.64	565.31
	Barnsley	182.60	562.64
	Doncaster	176.30	541.19
	Rotherham	186.79	576.05
West Yorkshire	Sheffield	192.04	592.14
	Halifax	200.05	600.16
	Huddersfield	168.80	506.38

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	Dewsbury	183.08	549.25
	Bradford	156.35	482.26
	Keighley & Bingley	176.30	541.19
	Leeds	165.81	509.05
	Pontefract & Castleford	162.54	487.61
	Wakefield	160.55	492.99
London	Barking	258.15	876.13
	Bexley	230.86	782.35
	Bishopsgate	269.69	913.62
	Brent	251.85	852.01
	Brentford	256.05	868.07
	Bromley	243.46	825.22
	Camberwell Green	251.85	854.68
	Central London	272.84	924.35
	Clerkenwell / Hampstead	255.00	862.71
	Croydon	248.70	841.27
	Ealing	264.44	897.77
	Enfield	250.80	849.33
	Greenwich / Woolwich	240.30	814.49
	Haringey	259.20	878.80
	Harrow	251.85	854.68
	Havering	235.06	795.75
	Heathrow	315.86	1071.72
	Hendon / Barnet	253.95	860.04
	Highbury Corner	264.44	894.88
	Kingston-Upon-Thames	262.35	889.50
	Newham	252.90	857.36
	Old Street	251.85	854.68
	Redbridge	259.20	878.80
	Richmond-Upon-Thames	277.04	937.73
	South London	264.44	894.88

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<i>Criminal System Area</i>	<i>Justice Scheme</i>	<i>Fixed Fee (£)</i>	<i>Escape Fee Threshold (£)</i>
	Sutton	250.80	849.33
	Thames	250.80	849.33
	Tower Bridge	267.59	908.27
	Uxbridge	242.41	822.54
	Waltham Forest	235.06	798.42
	West London	270.74	918.97
	Wimbledon	257.09	870.77]

- F3** Sum in Sch. 4 para. 2(1)(a) substituted (30.9.2022) by The Criminal Legal Aid (Remuneration) (Amendment) Regulations 2022 (S.I. 2022/848), reg. 1(1), **Sch. 4 para. 1(2)** (with reg. 3) (as amended (31.10.2022) by The Criminal Legal Aid (Remuneration) (Amendment) (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 2022 (S.I. 2022/1035), regs. 1(1), **2(1)**)
- F4** Sum in Sch. 4 para. 2(1)(b) substituted (30.9.2022) by The Criminal Legal Aid (Remuneration) (Amendment) Regulations 2022 (S.I. 2022/848), reg. 1(1), **Sch. 4 para. 1(3)** (with reg. 3) (as amended (31.10.2022) by The Criminal Legal Aid (Remuneration) (Amendment) (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 2022 (S.I. 2022/1035), regs. 1(1), **2(1)**)
- F5** Sum in Sch. 4 para. 2(2) substituted (30.9.2022) by The Criminal Legal Aid (Remuneration) (Amendment) Regulations 2022 (S.I. 2022/848), reg. 1(1), **Sch. 4 para. 1(4)** (with reg. 3) (as amended (31.10.2022) by The Criminal Legal Aid (Remuneration) (Amendment) (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 2022 (S.I. 2022/1035), regs. 1(1), **2(1)**)
- F6** Sch. 4 para. 2(3) table substituted (30.9.2022) by The Criminal Legal Aid (Remuneration) (Amendment) Regulations 2022 (S.I. 2022/848), reg. 1(1), **Sch. 4 para. 2** (with reg. 3) (as amended (31.10.2022) by The Criminal Legal Aid (Remuneration) (Amendment) (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 2022 (S.I. 2022/1035), regs. 1(1), **2(1)**)
- F7** Words in Sch. 4 para. 2(8) substituted (1.10.2022) by The Criminal Legal Aid (Standard Crime Contract) (Amendment) Regulations 2022 (S.I. 2022/995), regs. 1, **4(3)** (with reg. 6)
- F8** Sch. 4 para. 2(8) table substituted (30.9.2022) by The Criminal Legal Aid (Remuneration) (Amendment) Regulations 2022 (S.I. 2022/848), reg. 1(1), **Sch. 4 para. 3** (with reg. 3) (as amended (31.10.2022) by The Criminal Legal Aid (Remuneration) (Amendment) (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 2022 (S.I. 2022/1035), regs. 1(1), **2(1)**)
- F9** Sum in Sch. 4 para. 2 table substituted (16.11.2023) by The Criminal Legal Aid (Remuneration) (Amendment) (No. 4) Regulations 2023 (S.I. 2023/1140), regs. 1(1), **2(3)(a)** (with reg. 3)
- F10** Sum in Sch. 4 para. 2 table substituted (16.11.2023) by The Criminal Legal Aid (Remuneration) (Amendment) (No. 4) Regulations 2023 (S.I. 2023/1140), regs. 1(1), **2(3)(b)** (with reg. 3)

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- M1** A copy of the guidance is available at www.justice.gov.uk/legal-aid/submit-claim/cwa-online-claims/codes-guidance. Copies can be inspected at the Legal Aid Agency (Head Office), 102 Petty France, London, SW1H 9AJ.

Work conducted outside the Police Station

3.—(1) The fixed amounts and hourly rates for free standing Advice and Assistance conducted outside the Police Station are specified in the table following this sub-paragraph and this Unit of Work is subject to an Upper Limit of [F11£314.81].

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[^{F12}Free standing Advice and Assistance

	<i>London (£)</i>	<i>National (£)</i>
Routine letters written and routine telephone calls per item	4.04	3.89
Preparation hourly rate	52.15	49.22
Travel and waiting hourly rate	27.60	27.6]

(2) The fixed amounts and hourly rates for Advocacy Assistance on a warrant of further detention are specified in Tables A and B following this sub-paragraph and this Unit of Work is subject to an Upper Limit of [^{F13}£1,574.06].

[^{F14}Table A

Advocacy Assistance on a warrant of further detention – magistrates’ court or judicial authority

	<i>London (£)</i>	<i>National (£)</i>
Routine letters written and telephone calls (per item)		
Own Solicitor and Duty Solicitor	4.04	3.89
Duty Solicitor (Unsocial Hours)	5.35	5.14
Preparation hourly rate		
Own Solicitor and Duty Solicitor	52.15	49.22
Duty Solicitor (Unsocial Hours)	69.58	65.58
Advocacy hourly rate		
Own Solicitor and Duty Solicitor	61.92	61.92
Duty Solicitor (Unsocial Hours)	82.54	82.54
Travel and waiting hourly rate		
Own Solicitor and Duty Solicitor	27.60	27.60
Duty Solicitor (Unsocial Hours)	36.78	36.78

Table B

Advocacy Assistance on a warrant of further detention – High Court or a senior judge

	<i>London (£)</i>	<i>National (£)</i>
Routine letter out per item	7.87	7.87
Routine telephone calls per item	4.36	4.36
All other preparation work hourly rate	83.42	78.71
Attending counsel in conference or at the trial or hearing of any summons or application at court or other appointment, hourly rate	38.82	38.82

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	<i>London (£)</i>	<i>National (£)</i>
Attending without counsel at the trial or hearing of any cause or the hearing of any summons or application at court, or other appointment, hourly rate	78.71	78.71
Travelling and waiting, hourly rate	34.89	34.89]

(3) The fixed amounts and hourly rates for Advocacy Assistance in armed forces custody hearings are specified in the table following this sub-paragraph and this Unit of Work is subject to an Upper Limit of [^{F15}£1,574.06].

[^{F16}Advocacy Assistance for armed forces custody hearings

	<i>London (£)</i>	<i>National (£)</i>
Routine letters written and telephone calls (per item)		
Own Solicitor and Duty Solicitor	4.04	3.89
Duty Solicitor (Unsocial Hours)	5.35	5.14
Preparation hourly rate		
Own Solicitor and Duty Solicitor	52.15	49.22
Duty Solicitor (Unsocial Hours)	69.58	65.58
Advocacy hourly rate		
Own Solicitor and Duty Solicitor	61.92	61.92
Duty Solicitor (Unsocial Hours)	82.54	82.54
Travel and waiting hourly rate		
Own Solicitor and Duty Solicitor	27.60	27.60
Duty Solicitor (Unsocial Hours)	36.78	36.78]

(4) The fixed amounts and hourly rates for Advocacy Assistance in [^{F17}magistrates' courts in connection with an application relating to police bail] are specified in the table following this sub-paragraph and this Unit of Work is subject to an Upper Limit of [^{F18}£1,574.06].

[^{F19}Advocacy Assistance in magistrates' courts in connection with an application relating to police bail

	<i>London (£)</i>	<i>National (£)</i>
Routine letters written and telephone calls per item	4.26	4.09
Preparation hourly rate	55.14	52.15
Advocacy hourly rate	65.42	65.42
Travelling and waiting hourly rate	27.60	27.60]

F11 Sum in Sch. 4 para. 3(1) substituted (30.9.2022) by The Criminal Legal Aid (Remuneration) (Amendment) Regulations 2022 (S.I. 2022/848), reg. 1(1), **Sch. 4 para. 4(2)** (with reg. 3) (as

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- amended (31.10.2022) by The Criminal Legal Aid (Remuneration) (Amendment) (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 2022 (S.I. 2022/1035), regs. 1(1), **2(1)**)
- F12** Sch. 4 para. 3(1) table substituted (30.9.2022) by The Criminal Legal Aid (Remuneration) (Amendment) Regulations 2022 (S.I. 2022/848), reg. 1(1), **Sch. 4 para. 4(3)** (with reg. 3) (as amended (31.10.2022) by The Criminal Legal Aid (Remuneration) (Amendment) (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 2022 (S.I. 2022/1035), regs. 1(1), **2(1)**)
- F13** Sum in Sch. 4 para. 3(2) substituted (30.9.2022) by The Criminal Legal Aid (Remuneration) (Amendment) Regulations 2022 (S.I. 2022/848), reg. 1(1), **Sch. 4 para. 4(4)** (with reg. 3) (as amended (31.10.2022) by The Criminal Legal Aid (Remuneration) (Amendment) (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 2022 (S.I. 2022/1035), regs. 1(1), **2(1)**)
- F14** Sch. 4 para. 3(2) Tables A, B substituted (30.9.2022) by The Criminal Legal Aid (Remuneration) (Amendment) Regulations 2022 (S.I. 2022/848), reg. 1(1), **Sch. 4 para. 4(5)** (with reg. 3) (as amended (31.10.2022) by The Criminal Legal Aid (Remuneration) (Amendment) (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 2022 (S.I. 2022/1035), regs. 1(1), **2(1)**)
- F15** Sum in Sch. 4 para. 3(3) substituted (30.9.2022) by The Criminal Legal Aid (Remuneration) (Amendment) Regulations 2022 (S.I. 2022/848), reg. 1(1), **Sch. 4 para. 4(6)** (with reg. 3) (as amended (31.10.2022) by The Criminal Legal Aid (Remuneration) (Amendment) (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 2022 (S.I. 2022/1035), regs. 1(1), **2(1)**)
- F16** Sch. 4 para. 3(3) table substituted (30.9.2022) by The Criminal Legal Aid (Remuneration) (Amendment) Regulations 2022 (S.I. 2022/848), reg. 1(1), **Sch. 4 para. 4(7)** (with reg. 3) (as amended (31.10.2022) by The Criminal Legal Aid (Remuneration) (Amendment) (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 2022 (S.I. 2022/1035), regs. 1(1), **2(1)**)
- F17** Words in Sch. 4 para. 3(4) substituted (1.4.2017) by The Criminal Legal Aid (Standard Crime Contract) (Amendment) Regulations 2017 (S.I. 2017/311), regs. 1, **3(5)(c)(i)** (with reg. 5)
- F18** Sum in Sch. 4 para. 3(4) substituted (30.9.2022) by The Criminal Legal Aid (Remuneration) (Amendment) Regulations 2022 (S.I. 2022/848), reg. 1(1), **Sch. 4 para. 4(8)** (with reg. 3) (as amended (31.10.2022) by The Criminal Legal Aid (Remuneration) (Amendment) (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 2022 (S.I. 2022/1035), regs. 1(1), **2(1)**)
- F19** Sch. 4 para. 3(4) table substituted (30.9.2022) by The Criminal Legal Aid (Remuneration) (Amendment) Regulations 2022 (S.I. 2022/848), reg. 1(1), **Sch. 4 para. 4(9)** (with reg. 3) (as amended (31.10.2022) by The Criminal Legal Aid (Remuneration) (Amendment) (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 2022 (S.I. 2022/1035), regs. 1(1), **2(1)**)

^{F20} Advice and Assistance for Pre-Charge Engagement

- 3A.**—(1) The hourly rates for advice and assistance for Pre-Charge Engagement are—
- (a) ^{F21}£58.97] in London;
- (b) ^{F22}£54.57] outside London.
- (2) This Unit of Work is subject to an Upper Limit of ^{F23}£314.81].]

- F20** Sch. 4 para. 3A inserted (7.6.2021) by The Criminal Legal Aid (Remuneration) (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 2021 (S.I. 2021/497), regs. 1(1), **2**
- F21** Sum in Sch. 4 para. 3A(1)(a) substituted (30.9.2022) by The Criminal Legal Aid (Remuneration) (Amendment) Regulations 2022 (S.I. 2022/848), reg. 1(1), **Sch. 4 para. 5(2)** (with reg. 3) (as amended (31.10.2022) by The Criminal Legal Aid (Remuneration) (Amendment) (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 2022 (S.I. 2022/1035), regs. 1(1), **2(1)**)
- F22** Sum in Sch. 4 para. 3A(1)(b) substituted (30.9.2022) by The Criminal Legal Aid (Remuneration) (Amendment) Regulations 2022 (S.I. 2022/848), reg. 1(1), **Sch. 4 para. 5(3)** (with reg. 3) (as amended (31.10.2022) by The Criminal Legal Aid (Remuneration) (Amendment) (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 2022 (S.I. 2022/1035), regs. 1(1), **2(1)**)

F23 Sum in Sch. 4 para. 3A(2) substituted (30.9.2022) by The Criminal Legal Aid (Remuneration) (Amendment) Regulations 2022 (S.I. 2022/848), reg. 1(1), **Sch. 4 para. 5(4)** (with reg. 3) (as amended (31.10.2022) by The Criminal Legal Aid (Remuneration) (Amendment) (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 2022 (S.I. 2022/1035), regs. 1(1), **2(1)**)

Advice and Assistance and Advocacy Assistance by a court Duty Solicitor and Advocacy Assistance at the virtual court

4.—(1) The hourly rates for Advice and Assistance and Advocacy Assistance by a court Duty Solicitor are specified in the table following this sub-paragraph.

[^{F24}Advice and Assistance and Advocacy Assistance by a court Duty Solicitor

	<i>London (£)</i>	<i>National (£)</i>
Standard hourly rate (attendance and waiting at a magistrates' court)	57.87	56.51
Enhanced hourly rate (only payable in respect of work done on a day which is not a Business Day)	72.30	70.62
Travelling hourly rate (only payable where the Duty Solicitor is called out (including being called to return) to the court from the Office or attends on a day that is not a Business Day.	27.60	27.60]
Reasonable travel expenses may also be claimed (where relevant)).		

(2) The Fixed Fees for Advocacy Assistance at the Virtual Court are specified in the table following this sub-paragraph.

[^{F25}Advocacy Assistance at the Virtual Court

	<i>London (£)</i>	<i>National (£)</i>
Virtual Court Fixed Fee where the hearing is held during Business Hours	209.88	157.41
Virtual Court Fixed Fee where the hearing is held during Unsocial hours	251.85	188.89]

F24 Sch. 4 para. 4(1) table substituted (30.9.2022) by The Criminal Legal Aid (Remuneration) (Amendment) Regulations 2022 (S.I. 2022/848), reg. 1(1), **Sch. 4 para. 6(2)** (with reg. 3) (as amended (31.10.2022) by The Criminal Legal Aid (Remuneration) (Amendment) (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 2022 (S.I. 2022/1035), regs. 1(1), **2(1)**)

F25 Sch. 4 para. 4(2) table substituted (30.9.2022) by The Criminal Legal Aid (Remuneration) (Amendment) Regulations 2022 (S.I. 2022/848), reg. 1(1), **Sch. 4 para. 6(3)** (with reg. 3) (as amended (31.10.2022) by The Criminal Legal Aid (Remuneration) (Amendment) (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 2022 (S.I. 2022/1035), regs. 1(1), **2(1)**)

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Representation in the Magistrates' Court

5.—^{F26}(A1) This paragraph does not apply where paragraph 5A applies.]

(1) The fixed amounts and hourly rates ^{F27}for representation in a magistrates' court ^{F28}...] for—

- (a) recording time and to determine whether the Lower or Higher Standard Fee Limit has been reached; and
- (b) claiming costs in cases which fall outside the Standard Fee payment scheme,

are specified in the table following this sub-paragraph.

^{F29}Representation in a magistrates' court

	<i>All Areas</i>
Routine letters written and telephone calls per item	£4.09
Preparation hourly rate	£52.15
Advocacy hourly rate (including applications for bail and other applications to the court)	£65.42
Hourly rate for attendance at court where Counsel is assigned (including conferences with Counsel at court)	£35.68
Travelling and waiting hourly rate (only claimable where the undesignated area fees apply)	£27.60]

(2) The table following this sub-paragraph sets out the fees and fee limits for the Standard Fee payment scheme for representation in a magistrates' court ^{F30}(except where paragraph 5A applies)].

^{F31}Higher and Lower Standard Fees Table

	<i>Lower Fee (£)</i>	<i>Standard Fee Limit (£)</i>	<i>Higher Fee (£)</i>	<i>Higher Standard Fee Limit (£)</i>
Designated Area Standard Fees				
Category 1A	286.02	313.19	542.58	542.63
Category 1B	232.53	313.19	500.99	542.63
Category 2	397.14	538.02	831.85	896.59
Undesignated Area Standard Fees				
Category 1A	223.88	313.19	474.15	542.63
Category 1B	182.01	313.19	437.81	542.63
Category 2	321.37	538.02	737.08	896.59]

(3) In the table following sub-paragraph (2)—

- (a) the reference to “Category 1A” cases is a reference to the following proceedings—
 - (i) either way guilty pleas;

^{F32}(ia) guilty pleas in proceedings for low-value shoplifting as defined in section 22A(3) of the Magistrates' Court Act 1980 (low-value shoplifting);]

- (ii) indictable only cases heard in the Youth Court;

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- (iii) proceedings ^{F33}...relating to either way offences [^{F34}or proceedings referred to in sub-paragraph (ia)] which are discontinued or withdrawn or where the prosecution offer no evidence; and
- (iv) proceedings ^{F33}... relating to either way offences [^{F35}or proceedings referred to in sub-paragraph (ia)] which result in a bind over;
- (b) the reference to “Category 1B” cases is a reference to the following proceedings [^{F36}(other than proceedings referred to in paragraph (a)(ia))]—
 - (i) summary only guilty pleas;
 - (ii) uncontested proceedings arising out of a breach of an order of a magistrates' courts (including proceedings in a magistrates' court relating to a breach of a Crown Court community rehabilitation order, community punishment order or suspended sentence);
 - (iii) proceedings ^{F37}... relating to summary offences which are discontinued or withdrawn or where the prosecution offer no evidence;
 - (iv) proceedings ^{F37}... relating to summary offences which result in a bind over;
 - (v) proceedings arising out of a deferment of sentence (including any subsequent sentence hearing) under [^{F38}Chapter 1 of Part 2 of the Sentencing Code];
 - (vi) proceedings prescribed under regulation 9 of the Criminal Legal Aid (General) Regulations 2013 ^{M2}, except where the case was listed and fully prepared for a contested hearing to decide whether an order should be made; ^{F39}...
 - (vii) proceedings relating to either way offences which must be tried in a magistrates' court in accordance with section 22 of the Magistrates' Courts Act 1980 ^{M3};
- (c) the reference to “Category 2” cases is a reference to—
 - (i) contested trials;
 - (ii) proceedings which were listed and fully prepared for trial in a magistrates' court but are disposed of by a guilty plea on the day of trial before the opening of the prosecution case;
 - (iii) proceedings which were listed and fully prepared for trial in a magistrates' court but are discontinued or withdrawn or where the prosecution offers no evidence or which result in a bind over on the day of trial before the opening of the prosecution case;
 - (iv) contested proceedings relating to a breach of an order of a magistrates' court (including proceedings relating to a breach of a Crown Court community rehabilitation order, community punishment order or suspended sentence);
 - (v) proceedings where mixed pleas are entered; and
 - (vi) proceedings prescribed under regulation 9 of the Criminal Legal Aid (General) Regulations 2013 where the case was listed and fully prepared for a contested hearing to decide whether an order should be made; and

^{F40}(d)

(4) The fees payable to Assigned Counsel for representation in a magistrates' court are subject to the limits specified in the table following paragraph 12.

^{F41}(5)

[^{F42}(6) The fixed fee payable to a litigator in respect of a case sent for trial to the Crown Court is [^{F43}£208.61].]

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- F26** Sch. 4 para. 5(A1) inserted (1.4.2016) by The Criminal Legal Aid (Remuneration etc.) (Amendment) Regulations 2015 (S.I. 2015/1369), regs. 1(2)(b), **6(8)(f)(i)** (with reg. 2(2)) (as amended by S.I. 2015/2049, **reg. 2**)
- F27** Words in Sch. 4 para. 5(1) inserted (23.3.2015) by The Civil and Criminal Legal Aid (Remuneration) (Amendment) Regulations 2015 (S.I. 2015/325), regs. 1, **3(6)(a)**
- F28** Words in Sch. 4 para. 5(1) omitted (1.4.2016) by virtue of The Criminal Legal Aid (Remuneration etc.) (Amendment) Regulations 2015 (S.I. 2015/1369), regs. 1(2)(b), **6(8)(f)(ii)** (with reg. 2(2)) (as amended by S.I. 2015/2049, **reg. 2**)
- F29** Sch. 4 para. 5(1) table substituted (30.9.2022) by The Criminal Legal Aid (Remuneration) (Amendment) Regulations 2022 (S.I. 2022/848), reg. 1(1), **Sch. 4 para. 7(2)** (with reg. 3) (as amended (31.10.2022) by The Criminal Legal Aid (Remuneration) (Amendment) (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 2022 (S.I. 2022/1035), regs. 1(1), **2(1)**)
- F30** Words in Sch. 4 para. 5(2) inserted (23.3.2015) by The Civil and Criminal Legal Aid (Remuneration) (Amendment) Regulations 2015 (S.I. 2015/325), regs. 1, **3(6)(b)**
- F31** Sch. 4 para. 5(2) table substituted (30.9.2022) by The Criminal Legal Aid (Remuneration) (Amendment) Regulations 2022 (S.I. 2022/848), reg. 1(1), **Sch. 4 para. 7(3)** (with reg. 3) (as amended (31.10.2022) by The Criminal Legal Aid (Remuneration) (Amendment) (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 2022 (S.I. 2022/1035), regs. 1(1), **2(1)**)
- F32** Sch. 4 para. 5(3)(a)(ia) inserted (with application in accordance with reg. 4(3) of the amending S.I.) by The Civil and Criminal Legal Aid (Remuneration) (Amendment) Regulations 2015 (S.I. 2015/325), regs. 1, **3(6)(c)(i)**
- F33** Words in Sch. 4 para. 5(3)(a)(iii)(iv) omitted (5.10.2015) by virtue of The Civil and Criminal Legal Aid (Amendment) (No.2) Regulations 2015 (S.I. 2015/1678), regs. 1(2)(a), **5(13)(b)(i)** (with reg. 10(1))
- F34** Words in Sch. 4 para. 5(3)(a)(iii) inserted (23.3.2015) by The Civil and Criminal Legal Aid (Remuneration) (Amendment) Regulations 2015 (S.I. 2015/325), regs. 1, **3(6)(c)(ii)**
- F35** Words in Sch. 4 para. 5(3)(a)(iv) inserted (23.3.2015) by The Civil and Criminal Legal Aid (Remuneration) (Amendment) Regulations 2015 (S.I. 2015/325), regs. 1, **3(6)(c)(ii)**
- F36** Words in Sch. 4 para. 5(3)(b) inserted (23.3.2015) by The Civil and Criminal Legal Aid (Remuneration) (Amendment) Regulations 2015 (S.I. 2015/325), regs. 1, **3(6)(c)(iii)**
- F37** Words in Sch. 4 para. 5(3)(b)(iii)(iv) omitted (5.10.2015) by virtue of The Civil and Criminal Legal Aid (Amendment) (No.2) Regulations 2015 (S.I. 2015/1678), regs. 1(2)(a), **5(13)(b)(i)** (with reg. 10(1))
- F38** Words in Sch. 4 para. 5(3)(b)(v) substituted (1.12.2020) by Sentencing Act 2020 (c. 17), s. 416(1), **Sch. 24 para. 416** (with Sch. 24 para. 447, Sch. 27); S.I. 2020/1236, reg. 2
- F39** Word in Sch. 4 para. 5(3)(c)(vi) omitted (5.10.2015) by virtue of The Civil and Criminal Legal Aid (Amendment) (No.2) Regulations 2015 (S.I. 2015/1678), regs. 1(2)(a), **5(13)(b)(ii)** (with reg. 10(1))
- F40** Sch. 4 para. 5(3)(d) omitted (5.10.2015) by virtue of The Civil and Criminal Legal Aid (Amendment) (No.2) Regulations 2015 (S.I. 2015/1678), regs. 1(2)(a), **5(13)(b)(iii)** (with reg. 10(1))
- F41** Sch. 4 para. 5(5) omitted (5.10.2015) by virtue of The Civil and Criminal Legal Aid (Amendment) (No.2) Regulations 2015 (S.I. 2015/1678), regs. 1(2)(a), **5(13)(c)** (with reg. 10(1))
- F42** Sch. 4 para. 5(6) inserted (19.10.2020) by The Criminal Legal Aid (Remuneration) (Amendment) Regulations 2020 (S.I. 2020/903), regs. 1(3), **6** (with reg. 7)
- F43** Sum in Sch. 4 para. 5(6) substituted (30.9.2022) by The Criminal Legal Aid (Remuneration) (Amendment) Regulations 2022 (S.I. 2022/848), reg. 1(1), **Sch. 4 para. 7(4)** (with reg. 3) (as amended (31.10.2022) by The Criminal Legal Aid (Remuneration) (Amendment) (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 2022 (S.I. 2022/1035), regs. 1(1), **2(1)**)

Marginal Citations

- M2** S.I. 2013/9.
M3 1980 c. 43.

[^{F44}Representation in proceedings relating to an injunction under Part 1 of the 2014 Act or related parenting order in any court

5A.—(1) This paragraph applies to proceedings prescribed as criminal proceedings under section 14(h) of the Act (other than an appeal) relating to—

- (a) an injunction under Part 1 of the 2014 Act; or
 - (b) a parenting order under section 8(1)(b) of the Crime and Disorder Act 1998 where an injunction is granted under Part 1 of the 2014 Act.
- (2) The fixed amounts and hourly rates for—
- (a) determining whether the lower or higher fee limit has been reached, and
 - (b) claiming costs in cases which fall outside the fixed fee limits, are specified in the table following this sub-paragraph.

[^{F45}Representation in proceedings relating to an injunction under Part 1 of the 2014 Act or related parenting order in any court

<i>All Areas</i>	
Routine letters written and telephone calls per item	£4.09
Preparation hourly rate	£52.15
Advocacy hourly rate (including applications for bail and other applications to the court)	£65.42
Hourly rate for attendance at court where Counsel is assigned (including conferences with Counsel at court)	£35.68]

(3) The table following this sub-paragraph sets out the fees and fee limits for representation in any court.

[^{F46}Higher and Lower Fees Table

	<i>Lower fee (£)</i>	<i>Lower fee limit (£)</i>	<i>Higher fee (£)</i>	<i>Higher fee limit (£)</i>
Uncontested	182.01	313.19	437.81	542.63
Contested	321.37	538.02	737.08	896.59]

(4) The hourly rate for travelling and waiting in any court is [^{F47}£27.60].]

F44 Sch. 4 para. 5A inserted (23.3.2015) by [The Civil and Criminal Legal Aid \(Remuneration\) \(Amendment\) Regulations 2015 \(S.I. 2015/325\)](#), regs. 1, **3(7)**

F45 Sch. 4 para. 5A(2) table substituted (30.9.2022) by [The Criminal Legal Aid \(Remuneration\) \(Amendment\) Regulations 2022 \(S.I. 2022/848\)](#), reg. 1(1), **Sch. 4 para. 8(2)** (with reg. 3) (as amended (31.10.2022) by [The Criminal Legal Aid \(Remuneration\) \(Amendment\) \(Amendment\) \(No. 2\) Regulations 2022 \(S.I. 2022/1035\)](#), regs. 1(1), **2(1)**)

F46 Sch. 4 para. 5A(3) table substituted (30.9.2022) by [The Criminal Legal Aid \(Remuneration\) \(Amendment\) Regulations 2022 \(S.I. 2022/848\)](#), reg. 1(1), **Sch. 4 para. 8(3)** (with reg. 3) (as amended (31.10.2022) by [The Criminal Legal Aid \(Remuneration\) \(Amendment\) \(Amendment\) \(No. 2\) Regulations 2022 \(S.I. 2022/1035\)](#), regs. 1(1), **2(1)**)

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F47 Sum in Sch. 4 para. 5A(4) substituted (30.9.2022) by The Criminal Legal Aid (Remuneration) (Amendment) Regulations 2022 (S.I. 2022/848), reg. 1(1), **Sch. 4 para. 8(4)** (with reg. 3) (as amended (31.10.2022) by The Criminal Legal Aid (Remuneration) (Amendment) (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 2022 (S.I. 2022/1035), regs. 1(1), **2(1)**)

Own client work

6.—(1) The fixed amounts and hourly rates for Pre-Order Cover, Early Cover and means test form completion are specified in the table following this paragraph.

- (2) The amount payable for Pre-Order cover is subject to an Upper Limit of—
 - (a) [^{F48}£55.14] per claim in London; and
 - (b) [^{F48}£52.15] per claim outside London (“National”).
- (3) The Fixed Fee for Early Cover is [^{F49}£78.71].
- (4) The refused means test completion fee is [^{F50}£26.23].

[^{F51}Work undertaken prior to a determination that an individual is not eligible for criminal legal aid

<i>Column header</i>	<i>London (£)</i>	<i>National (£)</i>
Routine letters written and telephone calls per item	4.26	4.09
Preparation hourly rate	55.14	52.15
Advocacy (including applications for bail and other applications to the court) hourly rate	65.42	65.42
Travelling and waiting hourly rate (only applicable where the Undesignated Area fees apply)	N/A	27.60]

F48 Sum in Sch. 4 para. 6(2) substituted (30.9.2022) by The Criminal Legal Aid (Remuneration) (Amendment) Regulations 2022 (S.I. 2022/848), reg. 1(1), **Sch. 4 para. 9(2)** (with reg. 3) (as amended (31.10.2022) by The Criminal Legal Aid (Remuneration) (Amendment) (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 2022 (S.I. 2022/1035), regs. 1(1), **2(1)**)

F49 Sum in Sch. 4 para. 6(3) substituted (30.9.2022) by The Criminal Legal Aid (Remuneration) (Amendment) Regulations 2022 (S.I. 2022/848), reg. 1(1), **Sch. 4 para. 9(3)** (with reg. 3) (as amended (31.10.2022) by The Criminal Legal Aid (Remuneration) (Amendment) (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 2022 (S.I. 2022/1035), regs. 1(1), **2(1)**)

F50 Sum in Sch. 4 para. 6(4) substituted (30.9.2022) by The Criminal Legal Aid (Remuneration) (Amendment) Regulations 2022 (S.I. 2022/848), reg. 1(1), **Sch. 4 para. 9(4)** (with reg. 3) (as amended (31.10.2022) by The Criminal Legal Aid (Remuneration) (Amendment) (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 2022 (S.I. 2022/1035), regs. 1(1), **2(1)**)

F51 Sch. 4 para. 6(4) table substituted (30.9.2022) by The Criminal Legal Aid (Remuneration) (Amendment) Regulations 2022 (S.I. 2022/848), reg. 1(1), **Sch. 4 para. 9(5)** (with reg. 3) (as amended (31.10.2022) by The Criminal Legal Aid (Remuneration) (Amendment) (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 2022 (S.I. 2022/1035), regs. 1(1), **2(1)**)

Representation in proceedings prescribed as criminal proceedings under section 14(h) of the Act

7.—(1) The fixed amounts and hourly rates for representation in the Crown Court in proceedings prescribed as criminal proceedings under section 14(h) of the Act (other than an appeal from a magistrates' court [^{F52}or where paragraph 5A applies]) are specified in the table following this sub-paragraph and this Unit of Work is subject to an Upper Limit of [^{F53}£1,574.06].

[^{F54}Representation in Prescribed Proceedings in a Crown Court

	<i>London (£)</i>	<i>National (£)</i>
Routine letters written and telephone calls per item	4.26	4.09
Preparation hourly rate	55.14	52.15
Advocacy hourly rate	65.42	65.42
Travelling and waiting hourly rate	27.60	27.60]

(2) The fixed amounts and hourly rates for representation in the High Court [^{F55}, the family court] or a county court in proceedings prescribed as criminal proceedings under section 14(h) of the Act [^{F56}(except where paragraph 5A or paragraph 10 applies)] are specified in the table following this sub-paragraph [^{F57}and this Unit of Work is subject to an Upper Limit of [^{F58}£1,574.06]].

[^{F59}Representation in Prescribed Proceedings in the High Court, the family court or a county court

	<i>London (£)</i>	<i>National (£)</i>
Routine letters out per item	7.87	6.92
Routine telephone calls per item	4.36	3.83
All other preparation work hourly rate	78.71 (83.42 where Provider's office is in London)	69.26 (73.46 where Provider's office is in London)
Attending counsel in conference or at the trial or hearing of any summons or application at court or other appointment – hourly rate	38.82	34.11
Attending without counsel at the trial or hearing of any cause or the hearing of any summons or other application at court or other appointment – hourly rate	78.71	69.26
Travelling and waiting hourly rate	34.89	30.65]

(3) The fees payable to Assigned Counsel for representation in the High Court [^{F60}, the family court] or a county court in proceedings prescribed as criminal proceedings under section 14(h) of the Act are subject to the limits specified in the table following paragraph 12.

F52 Words in Sch. 4 para. 7(1) inserted (23.3.2015) by [The Civil and Criminal Legal Aid \(Remuneration\) \(Amendment\) Regulations 2015 \(S.I. 2015/325\)](#), reg. 1, **3(8)(a)**

F53 Sum in Sch. 4 para. 7(1) substituted (30.9.2022) by [The Criminal Legal Aid \(Remuneration\) \(Amendment\) Regulations 2022 \(S.I. 2022/848\)](#), reg. 1(1), **Sch. 4 para. 10(2)** (with reg. 3) (as

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- amended (31.10.2022) by The Criminal Legal Aid (Remuneration) (Amendment) (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 2022 (S.I. 2022/1035), regs. 1(1), **2(1)**)
- F54** Sch. 4 para. 7(1) table substituted (30.9.2022) by The Criminal Legal Aid (Remuneration) (Amendment) Regulations 2022 (S.I. 2022/848), reg. 1(1), **Sch. 4 para. 10(3)** (with reg. 3) (as amended (31.10.2022) by The Criminal Legal Aid (Remuneration) (Amendment) (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 2022 (S.I. 2022/1035), regs. 1(1), **2(1)**)
- F55** Words in Sch. 4 para. 7(2) inserted (17.7.2015) by The Civil and Criminal Legal Aid (Amendment) Regulations 2015 (S.I. 2015/1416), regs. 1(2)(b), **5(3)(a)**)
- F56** Words in Sch. 4 para. 7(2) inserted (23.3.2015) by The Civil and Criminal Legal Aid (Remuneration) (Amendment) Regulations 2015 (S.I. 2015/325), regs. 1, **3(8)(c)**)
- F57** Words in Sch. 4 para. 7(2) inserted (1.4.2017) by The Criminal Legal Aid (Standard Crime Contract) (Amendment) Regulations 2017 (S.I. 2017/311), regs. 1, **3(5)(d)** (with reg. 5)
- F58** Sum in Sch. 4 para. 7(2) substituted (30.9.2022) by The Criminal Legal Aid (Remuneration) (Amendment) Regulations 2022 (S.I. 2022/848), reg. 1(1), **Sch. 4 para. 10(4)** (with reg. 3) (as amended (31.10.2022) by The Criminal Legal Aid (Remuneration) (Amendment) (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 2022 (S.I. 2022/1035), regs. 1(1), **2(1)**)
- F59** Sch. 4 para. 7(2) table substituted (30.9.2022) by The Criminal Legal Aid (Remuneration) (Amendment) Regulations 2022 (S.I. 2022/848), reg. 1(1), **Sch. 4 para. 10(5)** (with reg. 3) (as amended (31.10.2022) by The Criminal Legal Aid (Remuneration) (Amendment) (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 2022 (S.I. 2022/1035), regs. 1(1), **2(1)**)
- F60** Words in Sch. 4 para. 7(3) inserted (17.7.2015) by The Civil and Criminal Legal Aid (Amendment) Regulations 2015 (S.I. 2015/1416), regs. 1(2)(b), **5(3)(c)**)

Advice and Assistance on an appeal against conviction or sentence or an application to the Criminal Cases Review Commission

8. The fixed amounts and hourly rates for Advice and Assistance on an appeal against conviction or sentence pursuant to a determination made under section 15 of the Act (except where there is a subsisting section 16 determination) or an application to the Criminal Cases Review Commission are specified in the table following this paragraph and are subject to an Upper Limit of—

- (a) [^{F61}£314.81] for Advice and Assistance on appeals against conviction or sentence; and
- (b) [^{F62}£524.69] for Advice and Assistance on an application to the Criminal Cases Review Commission.

[^{F63} Advice and Assistance on an appeal against conviction or sentence or application to the Criminal Cases Review Commission

	<i>London (£)</i>	<i>National (£)</i>
Routine letters written and routine telephone calls per item	4.04	3.89
Preparation hourly rate	52.15	49.22
Travel and waiting hourly rate	27.60	27.60]

- F61** Sum in Sch. 4 para. 8(a) substituted (30.9.2022) by The Criminal Legal Aid (Remuneration) (Amendment) Regulations 2022 (S.I. 2022/848), reg. 1(1), **Sch. 4 para. 11(2)** (with reg. 3) (as amended (31.10.2022) by The Criminal Legal Aid (Remuneration) (Amendment) (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 2022 (S.I. 2022/1035), regs. 1(1), **2(1)**)

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- F62** Sum in Sch. 4 para. 8(b) substituted (30.9.2022) by The Criminal Legal Aid (Remuneration) (Amendment) Regulations 2022 (S.I. 2022/848), reg. 1(1), **Sch. 4 para. 11(3)** (with reg. 3) (as amended (31.10.2022) by The Criminal Legal Aid (Remuneration) (Amendment) (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 2022 (S.I. 2022/1035), regs. 1(1), **2(1)**)
- F63** Sch. 4 para. 8 table substituted (30.9.2022) by The Criminal Legal Aid (Remuneration) (Amendment) Regulations 2022 (S.I. 2022/848), reg. 1(1), **Sch. 4 para. 11(4)** (with reg. 3) (as amended (31.10.2022) by The Criminal Legal Aid (Remuneration) (Amendment) (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 2022 (S.I. 2022/1035), regs. 1(1), **2(1)**)

Representation on an appeal by way of case stated

9.—(1) The fixed amounts and hourly rates for representation on an appeal by way of case stated are specified in the table following this sub-paragraph.

[^{F64}Representation on an appeal by way of case stated in the High Court

	<i>High Court (£)</i>
Routine letters out per item	7.87
Routine telephone calls per item	4.36
All other preparation work – hourly rate	78.71 (83.42 where the Provider’s office is in London)
Attending counsel in conference or at the trial or hearing of any summons or application at court or other appointment – hourly rate	38.82
Attending without counsel at the trial or hearing of any cause or the hearing of any summons or other application at court or other appointment – hourly rate	78.71
Travel and waiting hourly rate	34.89]

(2) The fees payable to Assigned Counsel for representation in the High Court on an appeal by way of case stated are subject to the limits specified in the table following paragraph 12.

- F64** Sch. 4 para. 9(1) table substituted (30.9.2022) by The Criminal Legal Aid (Remuneration) (Amendment) Regulations 2022 (S.I. 2022/848), reg. 1(1), **Sch. 4 para. 12** (with reg. 3) (as amended (31.10.2022) by The Criminal Legal Aid (Remuneration) (Amendment) (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 2022 (S.I. 2022/1035), regs. 1(1), **2(1)**)

Representation in the Crown Court on an appeal from a magistrates' court in proceedings prescribed as criminal proceedings under section 14(h) of the Act

10. The fixed amounts and hourly rates for representation in the Crown Court pursuant to a section 16 determination on an appeal from a magistrates' court in proceedings prescribed as criminal proceedings under section 14(h) of the Act [^{F65}or an appeal to the County Court relating to an injunction under Part 1 of the 2014 Act or a parenting order under section 8(1)(b) of the Crime and Disorder Act 1998 made in connection with an injunction under Part 1 of the 2014 Act] are specified in the table following this paragraph, and this Unit of Work is subject to an Upper Limit of [^{F66}£1,574.06].

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	^{F67} London (£)	National (£)
Routine letters written and telephone calls per item	4.26	4.09
Preparation hourly rate	55.14	52.15
Advocacy hourly rate	65.42	65.42
Travelling and waiting hourly rate	27.60	27.60]

- F65** Words in Sch. 4 para. 10 inserted (23.3.2015) by [The Civil and Criminal Legal Aid \(Remuneration\) \(Amendment\) Regulations 2015 \(S.I. 2015/325\)](#), regs. 1, **3(9)**
- F66** Sum in Sch. 4 para. 10 substituted (30.9.2022) by [The Criminal Legal Aid \(Remuneration\) \(Amendment\) Regulations 2022 \(S.I. 2022/848\)](#), reg. 1(1), **Sch. 4 para. 13(2)** (with reg. 3) (as amended (31.10.2022) by [The Criminal Legal Aid \(Remuneration\) \(Amendment\) \(Amendment\) \(No. 2\) Regulations 2022 \(S.I. 2022/1035\)](#), regs. 1(1), **2(1)**)
- F67** Sch. 4 para. 10 table substituted (30.9.2022) by [The Criminal Legal Aid \(Remuneration\) \(Amendment\) Regulations 2022 \(S.I. 2022/848\)](#), reg. 1(1), **Sch. 4 para. 13(3)** (with reg. 3) (as amended (31.10.2022) by [The Criminal Legal Aid \(Remuneration\) \(Amendment\) \(Amendment\) \(No. 2\) Regulations 2022 \(S.I. 2022/1035\)](#), regs. 1(1), **2(1)**)

Advice and Assistance provided pursuant to a determination made under section 15 of the Act in Prison Law cases

11.—(1) The Fixed Fee for Advice and Assistance in ^{F68}...Sentence Cases, Disciplinary Cases and Parole Board Cases is [^{F69}£200.75] and the Escape Fee Threshold is [^{F70}£602.25].

(2) The fixed amounts and hourly rates for recording time and to determine whether the Escape Fee Threshold has been reached are specified in the table following this sub-paragraph.

[^{F71}Hourly rates for determining whether Escape Fee Threshold reached

	<i>All areas (£)</i>
Routine letters written and routine telephone calls per item	3.38
Preparation hourly rate	42.80
Travel and waiting hourly rate	24.00]

(3) The fixed amounts and hourly rates for Advocacy Assistance in Disciplinary Cases [^{F72}and Sentence Cases], for recording time and to determine whether the Lower or Higher Standard Fee is claimable or whether the case is claimable on a non-Standard Fee basis, are specified in the tables following this sub-paragraph.

[^{F73}[^{F74}Hourly rates in Disciplinary Cases and Sentence Cases for determining application of Standard Fees]

	<i>All areas (£)</i>
Routine letters written and routine telephone calls per item	3.70
Preparation hourly rate	51.24
Advocacy hourly rate	62.28
Travel and waiting hourly rate	24.00

[^{F75}Higher and Lower Standard Fees table for Disciplinary Cases and Sentence Cases]

<i>Lower Standard Fee (£)</i>	<i>Lower Standard Fee Limit (£)</i>	<i>Higher Fee (£)</i>	<i>Standard Higher Standard Fee Limit (£)</i>
203.93	357.06	564.16	1,691.69]

(4) The fixed amounts and hourly rates for Advocacy Assistance in Parole Board Cases, for recording time and to determine whether the Lower or Higher Standard Fee is claimable or whether the case is claimable on a non-Standard Fee basis, are specified in the tables following this subparagraph.

[^{F76}Hourly rates in Parole Board Cases for determining application of Standard Fees

	<i>All areas (£)</i>
Routine letters written and routine telephone calls per item	3.70
Preparation hourly rate	51.24
Advocacy hourly rate	62.28
Travel and waiting hourly rate	24.00

Higher and Lower Standard Fees Table for Parole Board Cases

<i>Lower Standard Fee (£)</i>	<i>Lower Standard Fee Limit (£)</i>	<i>Higher Standard Fee (£)</i>	<i>Higher Standard Fee Limit (£)</i>
437.21	933.93	1,454.44	4,362.54]

- F68** Words in Sch. 4 para. 11(1) omitted (2.12.2013) by virtue of [The Criminal Legal Aid \(Remuneration\) \(Amendment\) Regulations 2013 \(S.I. 2013/2803\)](#), reg. 1, **3(6)** (with reg. 5(1))
- F69** Sum in Sch. 4 para. 11(1) substituted (31.3.2016) by [The Criminal Legal Aid \(Remuneration\) \(Amendment\) Regulations 2016 \(S.I. 2016/313\)](#), reg. 1(1), **Sch. 3 para. 12(a)(i)** (with reg. 5)
- F70** Sum in Sch. 4 para. 11(1) substituted (31.3.2016) by [The Criminal Legal Aid \(Remuneration\) \(Amendment\) Regulations 2016 \(S.I. 2016/313\)](#), reg. 1(1), **Sch. 3 para. 12(a)(ii)** (with reg. 5)
- F71** Sch. 4 para. 11(2) table substituted (31.3.2016) by [The Criminal Legal Aid \(Remuneration\) \(Amendment\) Regulations 2016 \(S.I. 2016/313\)](#), reg. 1(1), **Sch. 3 para. 12(b)** (with reg. 5)
- F72** Words in Sch. 4 para. 11(3) inserted (21.2.2018) by [The Criminal Legal Aid \(Amendment\) Regulations 2017 \(S.I. 2017/1319\)](#), reg. 1, **4(2)** (with reg. 5)
- F73** Sch. 4 para. 11(3) tables substituted (31.3.2016) by [The Criminal Legal Aid \(Remuneration\) \(Amendment\) Regulations 2016 \(S.I. 2016/313\)](#), reg. 1(1), **Sch. 3 para. 12(c)** (with reg. 5)
- F74** Words in Sch. 4 para. 11(3) table substituted (21.2.2018) by [The Criminal Legal Aid \(Amendment\) Regulations 2017 \(S.I. 2017/1319\)](#), reg. 1, **4(3)** (with reg. 5)
- F75** Words in Sch. 4 para. 11(3) table substituted (21.2.2018) by [The Criminal Legal Aid \(Amendment\) Regulations 2017 \(S.I. 2017/1319\)](#), reg. 1, **4(4)** (with reg. 5)
- F76** Sch. 4 para. 11(4) tables substituted (31.3.2016) by [The Criminal Legal Aid \(Remuneration\) \(Amendment\) Regulations 2016 \(S.I. 2016/313\)](#), reg. 1(1), **Sch. 3 para. 12(d)** (with reg. 5)

Payment for Assigned Counsel

12.—(1) This paragraph applies to the fees payable to Assigned Counsel for—

- (a) representation in a magistrates' court;

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- (b) representation in the High Court^[F77], the family court] or a county court in proceedings prescribed as criminal proceedings under section 14(h) of the Act; and
- (c) representation in the High Court on an appeal by way of case stated.

(2) The fees payable to Assigned Counsel are subject to the limits specified in the table following this paragraph.

[F78] Payment for Assigned Counsel

	<i>Junior Counsel (£)</i>		<i>Queen’s Counsel (£)</i>	
	Maximum	amount	Maximum	amount
Basic fee for preparation, including for a pre-trial review and, where appropriate, the first day’s hearing including, where they took place on that day, short conferences, consultations, applications and appearances (including bail applications, views and any other preparation).	491.05		4,664.40	
Refresher daily fee (for any day or part of a day during which a hearing continued, including, where they took place on that day, short conferences, consultations, applications and appearances (including bail applications, views and any other preparation)).	Maximum 169.05	amount	Maximum 311.66	amount
Subsidiary fees:				
Attendance at consultations, conferences and views not covered by the basic fee or the refresher fee	30.69 – minimum 15.24	per hour amount	57.19 – minimum 29.38	per hour amount
Written work (on evidence, plea, appeal, cases stated or other written work).	Maximum 53.79	amount	Maximum 110.18	amount
Attendance at pre-trial reviews, applications and other appearances (including bail applications and adjournments for sentence) not covered by the basic fee or the refresher fee	Maximum 98.65	amount	Maximum 215.12]	amount

F77 Words in Sch. 4 para. 12(1)(b) inserted (17.7.2015) by [The Civil and Criminal Legal Aid \(Amendment\) Regulations 2015 \(S.I. 2015/1416\)](#), regs. 1(2)(b), **5(3)(d)**

F78 Sch. 4 para. 12 table substituted (30.9.2022) by [The Criminal Legal Aid \(Remuneration\) \(Amendment\) Regulations 2022 \(S.I. 2022/848\)](#), reg. 1(1), **Sch. 4 para. 14** (with reg. 3) (as amended (31.10.2022) by [The Criminal Legal Aid \(Remuneration\) \(Amendment\) \(Amendment\) \(No. 2\) Regulations 2022 \(S.I. 2022/1035\)](#), regs. 1(1), **2(1)**)

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