

Court Fees Payable

From 1 July 2022

Filing and other fees prescribed in Schedule 1 – Part 1 <u>Federal Court and Federal Circuit and Family Court Regulations 2012</u>.

- 1. Other than for items 112, 113, 121A and 127:
 - (a) "corporation" includes a publicly listed company and any other corporation; and
 - (b) public authorities, small businesses and not-for-profit associations are regarded as "other".
- 2. For items 112, 113, 121A and 127, publicly listed companies pay the highest rate of fees, corporations and public authorities both pay the middle rate and all others pay the lowest rate.
- 3. Some court fees may be exempted or payment time deferred in some circumstances.
- 4. Court fees are GST exempt.
- 5. Fees are subject to annual increases.

Item	Document or service	Federal Court fee
101	Filing of a document by which a proceeding in the Federal Court is commenced, other than: (a) a proceeding or application mentioned in item 102 to 104, 112, 113 or 115 to 115B; or (b) an appeal from a judgment of a court; or (c) an application for leave or special leave to appeal; or (d) an incidental proceeding in the course of, or in connection with, a proceeding; or (e) an application under the Trans-Tasman Proceedings Act 2010	(a) for a corporation \$4,450 (b) in any other case \$1,530
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102	Filing of an application under section 46PO or 46PP of the <i>Australian Human Rights</i> Commission Act 1986	No annual increase \$55
103	Filing of an application under section 539 of the Fair Work Act 2009 in either of the following circumstances: (a) the applicant has been dismissed from employment in alleged contravention of Part 3-1 of that Act; (b) the applicant alleges a breach of section 351 of that Act	The fee prescribed under subsection 395(2) of the Fair Work Act 2009. Increased in accordance with the Fair Work Regulations 2009 \$77.80
104	Filing of an application under section 539 of the Fair Work Act 2009 if the applicant has been dismissed from employment in alleged contravention of section 772 of that Act	The fee prescribed under subsection 395(2) of the <i>Fair Work Act 2009</i> . Increased in accordance with the <i>Fair Work Regulations 2009</i> \$77.80
105	Filing of a bill of costs	\$490
106	Filing of an affidavit or other document originating an application for leave or special leave to appeal	(a) for a corporation \$4,440 (b) in any other case \$2,055
107	Filing of a notice of appeal commencing an appeal from a judgment of a court if no fee has been paid under item 106	(a) for a corporation—an amount equal to the sum of the fees mentioned in items 106 and 109 for a corporation \$11,115 (b) in any other case—an amount equal to the sum of the fees mentioned in items 106 and 109 for a person other than a corporation \$5,135
108	Filing of a notice of appeal commencing an appeal from a decision of the Administrative Appeals Tribunal	(a) for a corporation \$11,110 (b) in any other case \$5,145
109	Filing of a notice of appeal in a proceeding in relation to which a fee has been paid under item 106	(a) for a corporation \$6,675 (b) in any other case \$3,080
110	Filing of an application to review a decision of the relevant Registrar of the Federal Court	(a) for a corporation \$1,810 (b) in any other case

	under subsection 35A(5) of the Federal Court Act	\$745
111	Filing of: (a) an interlocutory application, other than an interlocutory application mentioned in another item; or (b) an application under the <i>Trans-Tasman Proceedings Act 2010</i> , other than an application mentioned in item 115C	(a) for a corporation\$1,360(b) in any other case\$550
112	Filing of a document by which a proceeding in the Federal Court under the <i>Bankruptcy Act</i> 1966 is commenced	 (a) for a publicly listed company \$6,195 (b) for a corporation \$4,135 (c) for a public authority \$4,135 (d) in any other case \$1,725
113	Filing of an application for an order for substituted service of a bankruptcy notice	 (a) for a publicly listed company \$1,375 (b) for a corporation \$915 (c) for a public authority \$915 (d) in any other case \$390
114	Filing of a cross-claim	(a) for a corporation\$4,450(b) in any other case\$1,530
115	Filing of an urgent application without notice, by a person (the prospective applicant) who intends to commence a proceeding, for any of the following: (a) if the proceeding relates to property - an order: (i) for the detention, custody, preservation or inspection of property; or (ii) to authorise a person to enter land, or do an act or thing, to give effect to the order; (b) if the proceeding relates to the right of the prospective applicant to an amount in a fund - an order that the amount in the fund be paid into the Federal Court or otherwise secured	(a) for a corporation \$7,790 (b) in any other case \$2,825

115A	Filing of an application, including an interlocutory application, for an order: (a) restraining a person from removing, disposing of, dealing with, or diminishing the value of, assets; or (b) for the purpose of preventing the frustration or inhibition of the Court's process by seeking to meet a danger that a judgment or prospective judgment of the Court will be wholly or partly unsatisfied	(a) for a corporation \$7,790 (b) in any other case \$2,825
115B	Filing of an application, including an interlocutory application, for an order for the purpose of securing or preserving evidence and requiring a person to permit other persons to enter premises for the purpose of securing the preservation of evidence that is, or may be, relevant to an issue in a proceeding or anticipated proceeding	(a) for a corporation\$7,790(b) in any other case\$2,825
115C	Filing of an application to register a New Zealand judgment under the <i>Trans-Tasman Proceedings Act 2010</i>	\$135
116	Setting down for hearing a proceeding (including an application, appeal, cross-claim or cross-appeal) or an issue in question in a proceeding	(a) for a corporation\$7,440(b) in any other case\$3,055
117	For the hearing of an application (including a cross-claim) under subsection 35A(5) of the Federal Court Act - for each day or part of a day	(a) for a corporation \$2,970 (b) in any other case \$1,215
118	For the hearing of an application (including a cross-claim) other than: (a) an application mentioned in item 117; or (b) an issue or question in such an application; or (c) an appeal (including a cross-appeal); for the second, third, and fourth days, or part of those days	(a) for a corporation \$2,970 (b) in any other case \$1,215
119	For the hearing of an application (including a cross-claim) other than:	(a) for a corporation\$5,360(b) in any other case

	(a) an application mentioned in item 117; or	\$2,030
	(b) an issue or question in such an application; or	
	(c) an appeal (including a cross-appeal); for the fifth, sixth, seventh, eighth and ninth days, or part of those days	
120	For the hearing of an application (including a cross-claim) other than:	(a) for a corporation \$10,560
	(a) an application mentioned in item 117; or	(b) in any other case \$4,085
	(b) an issue or question in such an application; or	
	(c) an appeal (including a cross-appeal); for the tenth, 11th, 12th, 13th and 14th days, or part of those days	
121	For the hearing of an application (including a cross-claim) other than:	(a) for a corporation \$15,835
	(a) an application mentioned in item 117; or	(b) in any other case \$6,125
	(b) an issue or question in such an application; or	
	(c) an appeal (including a cross-appeal); for the 15th and subsequent days, or part of the 15th and subsequent days	
121A	For the hearing for an examination by a	(a) for a publicly listed company
	relevant Registrar of the Federal Court under section 50 or 81 of the <i>Bankruptcy Act</i> 1966 -	\$4,465 (b) for a corporation
	for each day or part of a day	\$2,970 (c) for a public authority
		\$2,970 (d) in any other case
		\$1,215
122	For the hearing for an examination by a relevant Registrar of the Federal Court under	(a) for a corporation \$2,970
	Division 1 of Part 5.9 of the <i>Corporations Act</i> 2001 - for each day or part of a day	(b) in any other case \$1,215
123	On request, production of file of the Federal	(a) for the production of the file \$55
	Court and the making of a copy or copies of a document or documents in the file (regardless	(b) for each page included in a copy made in accordance with the request
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	of the number of documents to which the request relates)	\$1
124	For each service or execution, or attempted service or execution, of process of the Federal Court by an officer of the Federal Court	An amount equal to: (a) the amount of any expenses reasonably incurred by the officer in the service or execution, or attempted service or execution, of the process; and No annual increase (b) a charge worked out at the hourly rate of salary payable to the officer for the time involved in the service or execution, or attempted service or
		execution No annual increase
125	For the seizure and sale of goods by an officer of the Federal Court in the execution of process of the court (except in relation to a proceeding under the <i>Admiralty Act 1988</i>)	\$1,330
126	For issuing a subpoena	(a) for a corporation \$265 (b) in any other case \$130
127	For issuing a summons to a person, under section 50 or 81 of the <i>Bankruptcy Act 1966</i> , to attend an examination about a debtor's examinable affairs	(a) for a publicly listed company \$855 (b) for a corporation \$555 (c) for a public authority \$555 (d) in any other case \$285
128	For taxation of a bill of costs in which the amount claimed in the bill is \$10,000 or less	\$1,455
129	For taxation of a bill of costs in which the amount claimed in the bill is more than \$10,000 and no more than \$100,000	\$4,965
130	For taxation of a bill of costs in which the amount claimed in the bill is more than \$100,000 and no more than \$500,000	\$5,675
131	For taxation of a bill of costs in which the amount claimed in the bill is more than \$500,000	\$6,385

132	For mediation by an officer of the Federal Court	(a) for a corporation
	- for each attendance at the mediation	\$2,330
		(b) in any other case
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