Federal Circuit Court

General Federal Law fees payable as at 1 January 2021

Filing and other fees prescribed in Schedule 1 – Part 2

Federal Court and Federal Circuit Court Regulation 2012

Notes:

- 1) Other than for items 206, 208, 217 and 223:
 - a. "corporation" includes a publicly listed company and any other corporation; and
 - b. Public authorities, small business and not-for-profit associations are regarded as "other".
- 2) For items 206, 208, 217 and 223, 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) Court fees are GST exempt
- 4) Fees (other than 202, 209, 210 and 220 are subject to annual increase under section 2.20.

| Schedule | Document or Service | Fee |
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| Item No. | | |
| 201 | Filing a document by which a proceeding in the Court seeking final orders is commenced, other than an | Corporation \$1,660 |
| | proceedings mentioned in items 202, 204 to 206, 208 to 214 or an application under the Trans-Tasman | Any other case \$690 |
| | Proceedings Act 2010 | |
| 201A | Filing of a document by which a proceeding is commenced in the Federal Circuit Court seeking final orders in | (a) full fee—\$3,330, or |
| | exercise of: | (b) if a Registrar or an authorised |
| | (a) the Court's jurisdiction under section 476 of the Migration Act 1958, or | officer has determined that the |
| | (b) the Court's jurisdiction in relation to a non-privative clause decision (within the meaning of the <i>Migration Act</i> | person may pay a reduced fee under |
| | <i>1958</i>) under: | section 2.06A—\$1,665 |
| | (i) section 44AA of the Administrative Appeals Tribunal Act 1975, or | |
| | (ii) section 8 of the Administrative Decisions (Judicial Review) Act 1977. | |
| 202 | Filing of an application under section 46PO or 46PP of the Australian Human Rights Commission Act 1986 | \$55 |
| 203 | Filing a bill of costs | \$265 |
| 204 | Filing of a document seeking interlocutory, interim or procedural orders (other than a proceeding mentioned in | Corporation \$1,000 |
| | item 202) or an application under the Trans-Tasman Proceedings Act 2010 other than an application mentioned | Any other case \$405 |
| | in item 214A | |
| 205 | Filing of an application to review an exercise of power by the Registrar of the Federal Circuit Court, under | Corporation \$1,000 |
| | subsection 104 (2) of the Federal Circuit Court Act | Any other case \$405 |

| Schedule Item No. | Document or Service | Fee |
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| 206 | Filing of a document by which a proceeding in the Federal Circuit Court under the <i>Bankruptcy Act 1966</i> is commenced | Publicly listed company \$5,830 Corporation \$3,890 Public authority \$3,890 Any other case \$1,620 |
| 207 | Filing, by a person other than the applicant, of a document seeking the making of final orders different from those sought by the applicant (other than in a proceeding mentioned in item 202) | Corporation \$1,660 Any other case \$680 |
| 208 | Filing of an application for an order for substituted service of a bankruptcy notice | Publicly listed company \$655 Corporation \$435 Public authority \$435 Any other case \$170 |
| 209 | Filing of an application under section 539 of the <i>Fair Work Act 2009</i> 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 | \$74.50 |
| 210 | Filing of an application under section 539 of the <i>Fair Work Act 2009</i> if the applicant has been dismissed from employment in alleged contravention of section 772 of that Act | \$74.50 |
| 211 & 212 | Filing an application under section 548 of the <i>Fair Work Act 2009</i> if the applicant indicates that the applicant wants the small claims procedure under that Act to apply: | |
| | If the claim is less than \$10,000 | \$245 |
| | If the claim is between \$10,000 and \$20,000 | \$400 |
| 213 & 214 | Filing of an application under <i>Consumer Credit Protection Act 2009</i> if the applicant indicates the applicant wants the small claims procedure under that Act to apply: | |
| | If the claim is less than \$10,000 | \$245 |
| | If the claim is between \$10,000 and \$20,000 | \$400 |
| 214A | Filing of an application to register a New Zealand judgment under the Trans-Tasman Proceedings Act 2010 | \$130 |
| 215 | Setting down for hearing for final orders of a proceeding or an issue in question in a proceeding (other than a proceeding under the <i>Bankruptcy Act 1966</i> or proceeding mentioned in item 202 | Corporation \$1,990 Any other case \$825 |
| 216 | For hearing for final orders of a proceeding or an issue in question in a proceeding (other than a proceeding under the <i>Bankruptcy Act 1966</i> or proceeding mentioned in item 202)-for each hearing day or part of a hearing day (other than the first hearing day) | Corporation \$1,990 Any other case \$825 |

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| 217 | For the hearing for an examination by a Registrar of the Federal Circuit Court under section 50 or 81 of the <i>Bankruptcy Act 1966</i> -for each day or part of a day | Publicly listed company \$3,000 Corporation \$1,990 Public authority \$1,990 Any other case \$825 |
| 218 | For the hearing of an application (including a cross-claim) under subsection 104(3) of the Federal Circuit Court of Australia Act-for each day or part of a day | Corporation \$1,990 Any other case \$825 |
| 219 | On request, production of file of the Federal Circuit Court and the making of a copy or copies of a document or documents in the file (regardless of the number of documents to which the request relates: | |
| | For the production of the file | \$50 |
| | For each page included in a copy made in accordance with the request | \$1 |
| 220 | Each service or execution, or attempted service or execution, of the process of the Federal Circuit Court by an officer of the court (other than in a proceeding mentioned in item 202 | 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 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 |
| 221 | Seizure and sale of goods by an officer of the Federal Circuit Court in the execution of the process of the court (other than in relation to a proceeding under the <i>Admiralty Act 1988</i> or a proceeding mentioned in item 202) | \$635 |
| 222 | For issuing a subpoena | Corporation \$160 Any other case \$80 |
| 223 | For issuing a summons to a person, under section 50 or 81 of the <i>Bankruptcy Act 1966</i> to attend examination about a debtor's examinable affairs | Publicly listed company \$805 Corporation \$525 Public authority \$525 Any other case \$265 |
| 224 | Mediation by an officer of the Federal Circuit Court (other than in a proceeding mentioned in item 202) – for each attendance at the mediation | \$550 |