Schedule 2—Costs

Note: See rules 22.09, 22.15 and 29.13.

Part 1A—Application of this Schedule

1 Application of this Schedule

This Schedule, as substituted by the *Federal Circuit and Family Court of Australia (Division 2) (General Federal Law) Amendment (2022 Measures No. 1) Rules 2022*, applies to work done or services performed on or after 1 January 2023.

Part 1—General federal law proceedings other than migration proceedings

Costs	Costs for general federal law proceedings other than migration proceedings				
Item	Description	Amount (including GST)			
1	Initiating or opposing an application up to the completion of the first court date	Both: (a) \$3,354.70; and (b) the daily hearing fee mentioned in item 9 that applies to the hearing			
2	Initiating or opposing an application which includes interim orders (other than procedural orders) up to the completion of the first court date	Both: (a) \$4,197.91; and (b) the daily hearing fee mentioned in item 9 that applies to the hearing			
3	Interim or summary hearing—as a discrete event Note: This stage applies to an interim application or a summary proceeding of a type not otherwise addressed in this fee structure. It does not include the item 1 or 2 component.	Both: (a) \$2,093.62; and (b) the daily hearing fee mentioned in item 9 that applies to the hearing			
4	Dispute resolution litigation intervention	\$3,517.80			
5	Preparation for final hearing—one day matter	\$7,543.02			
6	Preparation for final hearing—2 day matter	\$11,335.84			
7	Preparation for final hearing—each additional hearing day after the second hearing day	\$2,384.64			
8	Final hearing costs for attendance of solicitor at hearing to take judgment and explain orders	Both: (a) \$342.19; and (b) the daily hearing fee mentioned in item 9 that applies to the hearing			
9	Daily hearing fee	(a) for a short mention—\$342.19; or (b) for a half day hearing—\$1,255.75; or (c) for a full day hearing—\$2,512.56			
10	Advocacy loading	50% of the daily hearing fee mentioned in item 9 that applies to the hearing			
11	Disbursements—Court fees and other fees and payments to the extent that they have been reasonably incurred	The amount of the fees and payments			
12	Disbursements—photocopying for each page	\$0.86			
13	Agents' fees and travelling costs Note: For 2 or more hours travel.	\$706.76			

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Part 2—Migration proceedings

Division 1—Migration proceedings that have concluded

Costs for migration proceedings that have concluded			
Item	Description	Amount (including GST)	
1	A proceeding concluded at or before the first court date for the proceeding	\$1,675.75	
2	A proceeding concluded: (a) after the first court date for the proceeding; and (b) at or before an interlocutory hearing	\$4,189.38	
3	A proceeding concluded at a final hearing	\$8,371.30	

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Division 2—Migration proceedings that have been discontinued

Costs for migration proceedings that have been discontinued			
Item	Description	Amount (including GST)	
1	A proceeding in which the notice of discontinuance is filed and served at least 14 days before the first court date for the proceeding	\$833.61	
2	A proceeding in which the notice of discontinuance is filed and served:	\$2,089.36	
	(a) less than 14 days before the first court date for the proceeding; and		
	(b) at least 15 days before an interlocutory hearing		
3	A proceeding in which the notice of discontinuance is filed and served:	\$4,189.38	
	(a) less than 15 days before an interlocutory hearing; and		
	(b) at least 15 days before the final hearing		
4	Any other case	\$5,859.80	

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