

Administration of Estates Ordinance (Cap. 1)

RULES

(under section 22 of the Ordinance)

No. 2 of 1965.

C. HASKARD,
Governor.

Cap. 1.

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 22 of the Administration of Estates Ordinance, the Governor in Council has made the following Rules —

Citation and commencement.
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1. (1) These Rules may be cited as the Administration of Estates (Amendment) Rules, 1965, and shall be read as one with the Administration of Estates Rules, hereinafter referred to as the principal Rules.

(2) These Rules shall come into operation on the 30th day of October, 1965.

Replacement of the
Second Schedule to the
principal Rules.

2. For the Second Schedule to the principal Rules the following shall be substituted —

"SECOND SCHEDULE

Rule 3.

PART I

The following fees shall be taken in respect of the non-contentious items set out in this part of this Schedule —

ITEM	FEE		
	£	s.	d.
1. On application for a grant of probate or letters of administration or for resealing such a grant —			
If the net estate is under the value of —			
£			
100	10 0
300	1 0 0
500	1 10 0
1,000	2 10 0
3,000	5 0 0
5,000	6 0 0
7,500	6 15 0
10,000	7 10 0
12,500	8 0 0
15,000	8 5 0
20,000	9 10 0
25,000	10 0 0
30,000	10 10 0
35,000	11 10 0
40,000	12 10 0
45,000	13 10 0
50,000	14 10 0
60,000	16 0 0
75,000	18 0 0
100,000	24 0 0
For every additional £50,000 or any fractional part of £50,000 a further and additional fee of	10 0 0

	£	s.	d.	
8. On drawing up and entering judgment, decrees, and orders	2	0	0	
9. On a reference, investigation, or inquiry, including examination of witnesses, if any — for every hour or part of an hour the officer is occupied	10	0		
10. On a search for an appearance or an affidavit, and inspecting the same	1	0		
11. On any other search including inspection, for each hour or part of an hour occupied	2	6		
12. On sealing a subpoena for witnesses, for each witness ...	10	0		
13. On taxing a bill	1	0		for every £4 or part thereof allowed.
14. On sealing a writ of summons or commencement of action	4	0	0	
15. On sealing a concurrent reward or amended writ ...	5	0		
16. On sealing a writ of execution or attachment	10	0		
17. On bespeaking a request for service out of the jurisdiction	1	0	0	

Made by the Governor in Council this 24th day of August, 1965.

D. R. MORRISON,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Rules, but is intended to indicate their general purport).

These rules vary and extend the fees payable in connexion with non-contentious and contentious probate matters in the Supreme Court, and bring them into line with similar fees charged under the Court Fees (Civil Cases) Rules.

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