

Cognitive Law

FIXED FEES FOR COMMERCIAL DEBT RECOVERY

Stages of Claim Available	Fee	Disbursements
Letter Before Action	£50	
Commencement of proceedings		
Prepare and issue Claim	£50-£100	£25 – 5% of the claim
Obtain Default Judgment (Payment at this stage results in full costs recovery)	£22-£35	
Defended Small Claim		
Advise on Defence to Claim	£250	
Prepare, file and serve Directions Questionnaire	£75	
Draft one witness statement for Small Claims Hearing (Additional witness statements charged at hourly rate)	£750	Hearing Fee £25-£1,090
Instruct and Brief Agent for Small Claims Hearing	£100	Agent's Fee
Post Hearing work (excluding enforcement)	£150	
Small Claims Counterclaim		
Advise on Defence and Counterclaim	£250	
Draft Reply to Defence and Defence to Counterclaim	£500	
Summary Judgment Application		
Draft, file and serve Application and Evidence	£1000	
Advise on Evidence served in response	£250	
Instruct and Brief Agent for Application Hearing	£100	Agent's Fee
Post Hearing work (excluding enforcement)	£150	
Defendant's Application to Set Aside Judgment		
Advise on Application	£100	
Draft one witness statement to oppose Application	£500	
Instruct and Brief Agent for Application Hearing	£100	Agent's Fee
Post Hearing Work (excluding enforcement)	£50	
Enforcement of a Judgment (including but not limited to)		
Instruct a County Court Bailiff	£50	£44
Instruct a High Court Enforcement Officer	£100	£66 (plus £90 if unsuccessful)
Apply for Attachment of Earnings Order	£100	£110
Apply for Third Party Debt Order	£150	£110
Apply for an Order Requiring Further Information from Debtor	£150	£55-£110
Apply for a Charging Order	£500	£110 plus Agent's Fee
Insolvency Proceedings		
Statutory Demand	£350	Process Server's Fee
Bankruptcy Petition	£750	£1105 plus search fee, Process server, Agent
Winding Up Petition	£1000	£1630 As above plus advertisement fee

*Fixed fees apply to one event only. If you need more than one witness statement, or a hearing is adjourned and re-listed, or negotiations are entered into, any additional work will be done at our usual hourly rate. Disbursements are subject to change.

If you instruct us to represent you at a hearing in preference to an Agent, our attendance will be priced accordingly. Where a range of fees or costs have been indicated, the value is dependent on the amount of your claim and will be confirmed on receipt of firm instructions.

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