

Rules of the Law Society of Nunavut - Fees (Section 103)

RESOLUTION RESPECTING SECTION 103 FEES

Moved by () and seconded by ().

WHEREAS the Executive shall make rules for the regulation of the Law Society of Nunavut (“LSN”), the management and conduct of its business affairs and for the exercise of the powers conferred or the performance of the duties imposed on the Society or the Executive under the *Legal Profession Act*;

AND WHEREAS paragraph 8(1)(d) of the *Legal Profession Act* provides for the fixing of admission fees and the annual and other fees payable to the Society by members and students-at-law;

AND WHEREAS the fees outlined herein are reasonable to address the costs of the LSN for 2025 in order for the LSN to meet its responsibilities under the *Legal Profession Act*;

AND WHEREAS in accordance with subsection 8.1(2) of the *Legal Profession Act*, the Executive forwarded to the Rules Committee established pursuant to subsection 8.1(1) of the act, its proposed amendments to the Rules of the Law Society of Nunavut respecting fees;

AND WHEREAS the Rules Committee has examined the proposed amendments and has advised the Executive that there are no matters to be drawn to the attention of the Executive or the members of the Society as described in subsection 8.1(3) of the *Legal Profession Act*;

AND WHEREAS the Executive has made the proposed amendments as outlined in appendix A which, pursuant to section 8 of the *Legal Profession Act*, must be confirmed by resolution of the Society at a meeting of the Society called for the purpose;

BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Society confirms the amendments made to the Rules of the Law Society of Nunavut by the Executive as set out in appendix A.

(All in favour. Motion Carried).

Appendix A

Amendments to the LSN Rules re Fees

1. The Rules of the Law Society of Nunavut are amended:

a. by repealing section 103 and substituting the following:

Law Society Fees – Schedule A

103. The fees set out in Schedule A are:

(a) payable in advance to the Society; and

(b) exclusive of any assurance fund levy or trust account levy that may apply, and of any federal or Nunavut taxes payable in respect of the fees.

b. by repealing Schedule A and substituting the following:

[*amendments on next page and following*]

Schedule A: Fees

(Section 103)

Regular Membership

Active

1. (1) Fees payable by a person for active membership under S. 18 of the *Legal Profession Act*
 - (a) application fee.....\$200.00
 - (b) admission fee.....2,100.00
- (2) Fees payable by a person for membership as a Canadian Legal Advisor under S. 39.6 of the Rules
 - (a) application fee.....\$200.00
 - (b) admission fee.....\$2,100.00
- (3) Annual renewal fee payable by an active member under S. 55 of the *Rules* (other than a member granted a restricted appearance certificate).....\$2,100.00

Inactive

2. (1) Fees payable by a person for inactive membership under S. 18 of the *Legal Profession Act*
 - (a) application fee.....\$ 200.00
 - (b) admission fee.....\$550.00
- (2) Annual renewal fee payable by an inactive member under S. 55 of the Rules.....\$550.00

Canadian Legal Advisor Certificate

3. (1) Fees payable by a person for a Canadian Legal Advisor S. 39.6 of the *Rules*
 - (a) application fee.....\$200.00
 - (b) admission fee.....\$2,100.00
- (2) Annual renewal fee payable by a Canadian Legal Advisor under S. 55 of the *Rules*.....\$2,100.00

Students-at-law

4. (1) Fee payable for admission to the Society as a student-at-law
 - (a) application fee.....\$100.00
 - (b) admission fee.....\$250.00
- (2) Annual renewal fee payable by a student-at-law.....\$150.00

- (3) Fee payable on filing of assignment of articles of clerkship\$ 50.00

Restricted Appearance Certificate

5. (1) Fees payable for a restricted appearance certificate
- (a) application fee.....\$200.00
 - (b) admission fee.....2,100.00
- (2) Renewal fee payable for a restricted appearance certificate.....\$2,100.00

Combined Application

6. Restricted Appearance Certificate and Regular Membership
OR
Restricted Appearance Certificate and Canadian Legal Advisor Certificate
- (1) Fees payable for a combined application
- (a) application fee.....\$400.00
 - (b) admission fee.....\$2,100.00

Other Applications

7. Fee payable for a certificate of standing (Regular processing).....\$75.00
- 7.1 Fee payable for a certificate of standing (Expedited processing).....\$100.00
8. Fee payable for sitting for a special examination administered under
Ss. 16(1) of the *Act*.....\$350.00
9. (1) Fees payable for a change of status from inactive to active under S. 53 of the *Rules*
- (a) application fee.....\$200.00
 - and
 - (b) The difference between the annual fee for an active member and the annual fee paid by the inactive member, if the change of status occurs after January 31 in a year.
- 9.1 (1) Fees payable for the reinstatement of a member who resigned under section 59.1 of the *Rules*
- (a) Application fee.....\$200.00
 - And
 - (b) The applicable annual membership fees for an active member.....\$2,100.00
10. Fee payable for reinstatement of a suspended member, for every year or part of a year that the member is suspended.....\$125.00

11. Application fee payable for the readmission of a former member
struck for the Roll.....\$500.00