

Family and Care Department Fees

DIVORCE FEES

PETITIONER - Fixed Fee for Uncontested Divorce

This fee is for an uncontested divorce where both parties cooperate with the procedure. Includes initial consultation, corresponding with the Respondent, preparation of all paperwork, lodging all documents with the court. This fee does not include any work in respect of children matters or finances. This fee does not include court fee for application for bailiff service, deemed service, instructing a process server etc.

£600 plus VAT (£120) plus Court Fee £612 = £1,332

RESPONDENT - Fixed Fee for Uncontested Divorce

This fee is for an uncontested divorce, where both parties cooperate with the procedure. Includes initial consultation, corresponding with the petitioner, completion of acknowledgement of service, reporting on each stage of the divorce thereafter and advice of conditional order and final order of divorce.

£400 plus VAT (£80) = £480

CHANGE OF NAME - ADULT

Change of Name - Includes preparation of Change of Name Deed, attending to sign the deed, provision of original and five certified copies for your use.

£200 plus VAT (£40) = £240

PROTECTING INTEREST IN FAMILY HOME OWNED IN SOLE NAME OF SPOUSE

Includes advice meeting, drafting matrimonial home rights notice and submission to land registry and reporting back on registration.

£200 plus VAT (£40) = £240

(In addition any Land Registry fees, but at present no fee is charged for this application)

CHILDREN ACT FEES

Preparing application for Children Act Proceedings, including C100 and if required C1A and C8

C100 - £400 plus VAT (£80) plus court fee of £263 = £743

C1A - £150 plus VAT (£30) = £180

C8 - £50 plus VAT (£10) = £60

Preparing a Position Statement

From £200 plus VAT (£40) = £240

Attendance at Child Protection Conference (if not eligible for legal aid)

£300 plus VAT (£60) = £360