

# Court fees – anticipated changes from April 2025

The MOJ has published guidance on the likely changes to court fees. The changes will be subject to Parliamentary approval and subject to this, they will likely take place from 1 April 2025. These include both increases and decreases to the fees currently in place and are in line mainly with inflation and the general rise in prices.

The changes will directly impact COP Practitioners and the ones that you need to be aware of are as follows:

## [Court of Protection Fees Order 2007](#)

SI Reference ID	Description	Current	New
4	Application fee (Article 4)	£408	£421
5	Appeal fee (Article 5)	£257	£265
6	Hearing fee (Article 6)	£494	£259

In relation to filing a bill of costs and requesting an appeal following the outcome of the same, the fees will be:

## [Civil Proceedings Fees Order 2008](#)

SI Reference ID	Description	Current	New
6.1	On the filing of a request for detailed assessment for Court of Protection	£96	£99
6.2	Appeal against a Court of Protection costs assessment decision	£77	£79

We will post further clarification on these rates once they have received Parliamentary approval and the date for the new rates have been confirmed. In the meantime if you have any questions on the information above or have any general queries with regard to seeking costs, please contact me at [Tanya.Foran@clarionsolicitors.com](mailto:Tanya.Foran@clarionsolicitors.com).