



Victims of Crime Assistance Tribunal

Guideline No. 1 of 2018

Costs Guideline

Purpose

This Guideline is issued by the Chief Magistrate pursuant to section 45(1A) of the *Victims of Crime Assistance Act 1996* (the Act), and is designed as an aid to the exercise of the costs discretion given under section 48 of the Act.

	PREPARATION FEES	APPEARANCE FEES
Directions Hearing		\$340-\$530
Application of modest complexity	\$885-\$1020	\$730-\$860
Application of greater complexity	\$1020-\$1275	\$860-\$1140
Multiple claims	Principal application: \$875-\$1275 Second and subsequent applications: 30% to 50% of the principal application fee.	Principal application: \$730-\$1140 Second and subsequent applications: 30% to 50% of the principal application fee.
Related Victim applications	Lead application: \$875-\$1275 Associated applications: 30%-50% of lead application fee	Lead application: \$730-\$1140 Associated applications: 30%-50% of lead application fee
Obtaining instructions to review decision of Judicial Registrar	\$390	

Commencement date

This Guideline has effect from 1 January 2018.


PETER LAURITSEN
Chief Magistrate

15 DECEMBER 2017