

FIRST JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

NOTICE TO THE BAR

Effective November 1, 2002, the Judicial Computerization Fee will be Increased to \$10.00, as mandated by Act 122 of 2002 (House Bill 2322).

The fee shall be henceforth be known as the
“Judicial Computer System/Access To Justice” or “J.C.S./A.T.J.” fee.

The Increased Fee Will Effect the Initial Filing Fees Charged and Collected by the Prothonotary, Clerk of Orphans’ Court, Register of Wills, Clerk of Quarter Sessions, and Minor Judiciary.

The Fees for Initial Filings in the Philadelphia Prothonotary’s Office Are as Follows:

COMMON PLEAS COURT

Judicial Computer System Fee	WAS: \$5.00	NEW: \$10.00
Commencement:	WAS: 203.50 Plus \$11 per Defendant	NEW: \$208.50 Plus \$11 per Defendant
Commencement with Jury:	WAS: 383.50 Plus \$11 per Defendant	NEW: \$388.50 Plus \$11 per Defendant
Judgment by Confession:	WAS: \$71.50	NEW: \$76.50
Minor Judiciary and Statutory Appeals:	WAS: \$89.00	NEW: \$94.00
Name Change, Adult:	WAS: \$203.50	NEW: \$208.50

FAMILY COURT

Custody Petition:	WAS: \$52.00	NEW: \$57.00
Domestic Relations/ Support	WAS: \$5.00	NEW: \$10.00
Divorce	WAS: \$214.00	NEW: \$219.00
Name Change, Minor:	WAS: \$203.50	NEW: \$208.50

ADOPTIONS:

Adoption:	WAS: \$216.00	NEW: \$221.00
Adoption, Foreign Birth:	WAS: \$204.00	NEW: \$209.00
Adoption with Counsel:	WAS: \$291.00	NEW: \$296.00

MUNICIPAL COURT

Judicial Computer System Fee	WAS: \$1.50	NEW: \$10.00
Small Claims (\$1.00 to \$500)	WAS: \$12.50	NEW: \$21.00
Small Claims (\$501 to \$2,000)	WAS: \$18.50	NEW: \$27.00
Small Claims (\$2,001 to \$10,000)	WAS: \$38.50	NEW: \$47.00
Landlord & Tenant	WAS: \$18.50	NEW: \$27.00

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