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**Civil Fee Schedule (Alphabetical)**  
**ALL FEES MUST BE PAID AT THE TIME OF FILING**  
**EFFECTIVE July 1, 2019**

The following is the filing fee and first adversarial pleading fee for all Civil and Probate cases. The complete definition of case types is included as an addendum to this schedule.

| <b>Case Type:</b>  | <b>Filing Fee:</b> | <b>Answer Fee:</b> |
|--|--------------------|--------------------|
| <b>AD (Adoption)</b>   |                    |                    |
| AD - Petition for appointment of a confidential intermediary | \$0.00             | \$0.00             |
| AD - All Others  | \$89.00            | \$0.00             |
| <b>CH (Chancery)</b>   |                    |                    |
| CH - All Cases, except:                                      | \$327.00           | \$202.00           |
| Commercial Mortgage Foreclosures                             | \$327.00           | \$202.00           |
| Real Estate Mortgage Foreclosures 0 - 49                     | \$427.00           | \$202.00           |
| Real Estate Mortgage Foreclosures 50 - 174                   | \$627.00           | \$202.00           |
| Real Estate Mortgage Foreclosures 175 +                      | \$877.00           | \$202.00           |
| <b>D (Divorce or Dissolution of Marriage)</b>                |                    |                    |
| D - All Cases  | \$327.00           | \$202.00           |
| <b>ED (Eminent Domain)</b>                                   |                    |                    |
| ED - All Cases   | \$327.00           | \$202.00           |
| <b>F (Family)</b>  |                    |                    |
| F - Voluntary petitions to determine parentage               | \$0.00             | \$0.00             |
| F - Parental Notification of Abortion Act                    | \$0.00             | \$0.00             |
| F - All Others   | \$327.00           | \$202.00           |
| <b>L (Law)</b>   |                    |                    |
| L - Damages over \$50,000                                    | \$327.00           | \$202.00           |
| <b>LM ( Law Magistrate)</b>                                  |                    |                    |
| LM - Damages \$15,000+                                       | \$327.00           | \$202.00           |
| LM - Damages \$10,000 - \$14,999                             | \$277.00           | \$202.00           |
| LM - Eviction - Possession Only                              | \$110.00           | \$130.00           |
| <b>MC (Municipal Corporation)</b>                            |                    |                    |
| MC - All Cases   | \$327.00           | \$202.00           |
| <b>MH (Mental Health)</b>                                    |                    |                    |
| MH - All Cases   | \$0.00             | \$0.00             |
| <b>MR (Miscellaneous Remedies)</b>                           |                    |                    |
| MR - Administrative Review of Unemployment Decisions         | \$0.00             | \$0.00             |
| MR - Cases filed Pursuant to Estrays and Lost Property Act   | \$0.00             | \$0.00             |

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| MR - All Others                            | \$327.00 | \$202.00 |
| <b>OP (Order of Protection)</b>            |          |          |
| OP - All Cases                             | \$0.00   | \$0.00   |
| <b>P (Probate)</b>                         |          |          |
| Administration of the Estate of a Decedent | \$377.00 | \$202.00 |
| Filing of a Will                           | \$0.00   | \$0.00   |
| P - All Others                             | \$277.00 | \$202.00 |
| <b>SC (Small Claims)</b>                   |          |          |
| SC - Damages \$0 >\$2500.00                | \$110.00 | \$130.00 |
| SC - Damages \$2500.01 - \$10,000          | \$277.00 | \$202.00 |
| <b>TX (Tax)</b>                            |          |          |
| TX - All Cases                             | \$306.00 | \$181.00 |

**Additional Fees:**

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| <b>Auxiliary Probate Filings</b>   |                                    |
| For each account, other than one final account, filed in the estate of a decedent or ward              | \$25.00                            |
| For Filing a Claim:  |                                    |
| Amount claimed greater than \$150 and not more than \$500  | \$25.00                            |
| Amount claimed greater than \$500 and not more than \$10,000   | \$40.00                            |
| Amount claimed greater than \$10, 000  | \$60.00                            |
| For filing a Claim, Petition, or Supplemental Proceeding based upon an action seeking equitable relief | \$60.00                            |
| For a Jury Demand  | \$137.50                           |
| For each Certified copy of Letters of Office, Court Orders, or other certifications                    | \$2.00 per page                    |
| For each exemplification   | \$2 plus the fee for certification |
| <b>Miscellaneous</b>   |                                    |
| Alias Summons or Citation  | \$5.00                             |
| Jury Demand  | \$212.50                           |
| Change of Venue  | \$40.00                            |
| <b>Petition to Vacate or Modify</b>  |                                    |
| If filed within 30 days  | \$50.00                            |
| If filed after 30 days   | \$75.00                            |
| For Spousal or Child Support   | no charge                          |
| <b>Appeals Preparation</b>   |                                    |
| If record is 100 pages or less   | \$50.00                            |
| If record is between 100 and 200 pages   | \$100.00                           |
| If record is 200 pages or more   | Add'l fee of \$0.25 per page       |
| <b>Garnishment, wage deduction, and citation proceedings</b>   |                                    |
| Amount in controversy \$1,000 or less  | \$15.00                            |
| Amount in controversy greater than \$1,000 but not more than \$5000                                    | \$30.00                            |
| Amount in controversy greater than \$5,000   | \$50.00                            |
| <b>Mailing</b>   |                                    |
| Notice or Mailing prepared by Circuit Clerk  | \$10.00 plus cost of postage       |

| <b>Certification, authentication, and reproduction</b>   |                                       |
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| For each certified copy of judgment following the first copy   | \$10.00                               |
| Each certification or authentication for taking acknowledgement of a deed or other instrument in writing with the seal of office   | \$6.00                                |
| Reproduction of any document contained in the Clerk's files:   |                                       |
| For the first page   | \$2.00                                |
| The next 19 pages  | \$0.50                                |
| All additional pages   | \$0.25                                |
| For each record search within a division or municipal district   | \$6.00 for each year searched         |
| For each page of hard copy print output, when case records are maintained on an automated medium   | \$6.00                                |
| Performing a marriage in court   | \$10.00                               |
| <b>Expungement and Sealing</b>   |                                       |
| Expungement or sealing petition filed (in existing case)   | \$120 (\$60 to Illinois State Police) |
| Expungement or sealing petition filed (new MR case)  | \$327                                 |
| <b>Corrections</b>   |                                       |
| For correction of the case number, case title, or attorney computer identification number, if required by rule of the Court, on any document filed in the Clerk's Office   | \$25                                  |
| <b>Counterclaim or Third-Party Complaint</b>   |                                       |
| When any defendant files a counterclaim or third-party complaint -- as part of the defendant's answer or otherwise -- the defendant shall pay a filing fee for each counterclaim or third-party complaint in an amount equal to the filing fee the defendant would have had to pay had the defendant brought a separate action for the relief sought in the counterclaim or third-party complaint. Less the amount of the appearance fee, if any, that the defendant has already paid in the action in which the counterclaim or third-party complaint is filed. |                                       |

| <b>Case Type</b>       | <b>Court Ordered Assessment Schedule</b> |
|------------------------|--|
| Generic Felony         | \$549.00                                 |
| Felony DUI             | \$1,709.00                               |
| Felony Drug            | \$2,215.00                               |
| Felony Sex             | \$1,314.00                               |
| Generic Misdemeanor    | \$439.00                                 |
| Misdemeanor DUI        | \$1,381.00                               |
| Misdemeanor Drug       | \$905.00                                 |
| Misdemeanor Sex        | \$1,184.00                               |
| Major Traffic          | \$325.00                                 |
| Minor Traffic          | \$226.00                                 |
| Truck Overweight       | \$260.00                                 |
| Conservation Violation | \$195.00                                 |
| May Appear Traffic     | \$164.00                                 |
| Ordinance Violation    | \$100.00                                 |

# Civil Filing Fees by Schedule

For the assessment of civil filing fees pursuant to subsection (a) of Section 27.1b of the Clerk of the Courts Act (705 ILCS 105/27.1b(a)):

## (705 ILCS 105/27.1b(a)(1))

### SCHEDULE 1

The following case categories shall have a filing fee of ..... \$327.00

- ARBITRATION (AR) cases where the amount in controversy is \$15,000.01 or more;
- CHANCERY (CH) cases;
- DISSOLUTION (D) cases;
- EMINENT DOMAIN (ED) cases;
- FAMILY (F) cases. Except:
  - Petitions filed pursuant to the Parental Notice of Abortion Act of 1995 (750 ILCS 70/1 *et seq.*);
  - Voluntary petitions to determine parentage filed pursuant to section 309 of the Illinois Parentage Act of 2015 (750 ILCS 46/309);
- LAW (L) cases. Except:
  - Eviction cases filed pursuant to Article IX of the Code of Civil Procedure (735 ILCS 5/9-101 *et seq.*) seeking possession only;
- LAW-MAGISTRATE (LM) cases. Except:
  - Eviction cases filed pursuant to Article IX of the Code of Civil Procedure (735 ILCS 5/9-101 *et seq.*) seeking possession only;
- MISCELLANEOUS REMEDY (MR) cases. Except:
  - Cases filed pursuant to the Estrays and Lost Property Act (765 ILCS 1020/1 *et seq.*)
  - Petitions seeking administrative review of unemployment decisions filed pursuant to Section 1100 of the Unemployment Insurance Act (820 ILCS 405/1100);
- MUNICIPAL CORPORATION (MC) cases;
- TAX (TX) cases.

## (705 ILCS 105/27.1b(a)(2))

### Schedule 2

The following case categories shall have a filing fee of ..... \$277.00

- ARBITRATION (AR) cases where the amount in controversy is \$15,000.00 or less;
- PROBATE (P) cases. Except:
  - The filing of a Will pursuant to Section 6-1 of the Probate Act of 1975 (755 ILCS 5/6-1);
- LAW-MAGISTRATE (LM) cases where the amount in controversy is \$15,000.00 or less. Except:
  - Eviction case filed pursuant to Article IX of the Code of Civil Procedure (735 ILCS 5/9-101 *et seq.*) seeking possession only;
- SMALL CLAIMS (SC) cases where the amount in controversy is \$2,500.01 or more.

**(705 ILCS 105/27.1b(a)(3))**

**Schedule 3**

**The following case categories shall have a filing fee of . . . . . \$110.00**

- ADOPTION (AD) cases. Except:
  - Petitions for appointment of a confidential intermediary filed pursuant to Section 18.3a of the Adoption Act (750 ILCS 50/18.3a);
- The following LAW (L) cases:
  - Eviction cases filed pursuant to Article IX of the Code of Civil Procedure (735 ILCS 5/9-101 *et seq.*) seeking possession only;
- The following LAW-MAGISTRATE (LM) cases:
  - Eviction cases filed pursuant to Article IX of the Code of Civil Procedure (735 ILCS 5/9-101 *et seq.*) seeking possession only;
- SMALL CLAIMS (SC) cases where the amount in controversy is \$2,500.00 less.

**(705 ILCS 105/27.1b(a)(4))**

**Schedule 4**

**The following case categories shall have a filing fee of . . . . . \$0.00**

- The following ADOPTION (AD) cases.
  - Petitions for appointment of a confidential intermediary filed pursuant to Section 18.3a of the Adoption Act (750 ILCS 50/18.3a);
- The following PROBATE (P) cases:
  - The filing for a Will pursuant to Section 6-1 of the Probate Act of 1975 (755 ILCS 5/6-1);
- The following FAMILY (F) cases:
  - Petitions filed pursuant to the Parental Notice of Abortion Act of 1995 (750 ILCS 70/5 *et seq.*)
  - Voluntary petitions to determine parentage filed pursuant to Section 309 of the Illinois Parentage Act of 2015 (750 ILCS 46/309);
- MENTAL HEALTH (MH) cases;
- The following MESCELLANEOUS REMEDY (MR) cases:
  - Cases filed pursuant to the Estrays and Lost Property Act (765 ILCS 1020/1 *et seq.*)
  - Petitions seeking administrative review of unemployment decisions filed pursuant to Section 1100 of the Unemployment Insurance Act (830 ILCS 405/1100);
- ORDER OF PROTECTION (OP) cases;
- All cases filed by units of local government or school district, except in counties having a population of 500,000 or more where the county board has, by resolution, set reduced filing fees for such units of local government or school district pursuant to Subsection (z)(1)(A-5) of Section 27.1b of the Clerk of the Courts Act (705 ILCS 105/27.1b(z)(1)(A-5)).

**For the assessment of civil filing fees pursuant to subsection (b) of Section 27.1b of the Clerk of the Courts Act (705 ILCS 105/27.1b(b)):**

**(705 ILCS 105/27.1b(b)(1))**

**SCHEDULE 1**

**The following case categories shall have an appearance fee of . . . . . \$202.00**

- ARBITRATION (AR);
- CHANCERY (CH) cases;
- DISSOLUTION (D) cases;
- EMINENT DOMAIN (ED) cases;
- FAMILY (F) cases. Except:
  - Petitions filed pursuant to the Parental Notice of Abortion Act of 1995 (750 ILCS 70/1 *et seq.*);
  - Voluntary petitions to determine parentage filed pursuant to section 309 of the Illinois Parentage Act of 2015 (750 ILCS 46/309);
- PROBATE (P) cases;
- LAW (L) cases. Except:
  - Eviction cases filed pursuant to Article IX of the Code of Civil Procedure (735 ILCS 5/9-101 *et seq.*) seeking possession only;
- LAW-MAGISTRATE (LM) cases. Except:
  - Eviction cases filed pursuant to Article IX of the Code of Civil Procedure (735 ILCS 5/9-101 *et seq.*) seeking possession only;
- MISCELLANEOUS REMEDY (MR) cases. Except:
  - Cases filed pursuant to the Estrays and Lost Property Act (765 ILCS 1020/1 *et seq.*)
  - Petitions seeking administrative review of unemployment decisions filed pursuant to Section 1100 of the Unemployment Insurance Act (820 ILCS 405/1100);
- MUNICIPAL CORPORATION (MC) cases;
- SMALL CLAIMS (SC) cases where the amount in controversy is \$2500.01 or more;
- TAX (TX) cases.

**(705 ILCS 105/27.1b(b)(2))**

**Schedule 2**

**The following case categories shall have an appearance fee of . . . . . \$130.00**

- The following LAW (L) cases:
  - Eviction cases file pursuant to Article IX of the Code of Civil Procedure (735 ILCS 5/9-101 *et seq.*) seeking possession only;
- The following LAW-MAGISTRATE (LM) cases:
  - Eviction cases filed pursuant to Article IX of the Code of Civil Procedure (735 ILCS 5/9-101 *et seq.*) seeking possession only;
- SMALL CLAIMS (SC) cases where the amount in controversy is \$2500.00 or less.

**(705 ILCS 105/27.1b(b)(3))**

**Schedule 3**

**The following case categories shall have an appearance fee of ..... \$0.00**

- ADOPTION (AD) cases;
- The following FAMILY (F) cases:
  - Petitions filed pursuant to the Parental Notice of Abortion Act of 1995 (750 ILCS 70/5 et seq.)
  - Voluntary petitions to determine parentage filed pursuant to Section 309 of the Illinois Parentage Act of 2015 (750 ILCS 46/309);
- MENTAL HEALTH (MH) cases;
- The following MISCELLANEOUS REMEDY (MR) cases:
  - Cases filed pursuant to the Estrays and Lost Property Act (765 ILCS 1020/1 et seq.)
  - Petitions seeking administrative review of unemployment decisions filed pursuant to Section 1100 of the Unemployment Insurance Act (830 ILCS 405/1100);
- ORDER OF PROTECTION (OP) cases;
- All appearances filed by units of local government or school district, except in counties having a population of 500,000 or more where the county board has, by resolution, set reduced appearance fees for such units of local government or school district pursuant to Subsection (z)(1)(A-5) of Section 27.1b of the Clerk of the Courts Acts (705 ILCS 105/27.1b(z)(1)(A-5)).