STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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The Civil Procedure Rules 1998

PART 45

FIXED COSTS

Amount of fixed commencement costs

- **45.2.**—(1) The claim form may include a claim for fixed commencement costs.
- (2) The amount of fixed commencement costs which the claim form may include shall be calculated by reference to the following Table (Table 1).
 - (3) Additional costs may also be claimed in the circumstances specified in Table 3.
- (4) The amount claimed, or the value of the goods claimed if specified, in the claim form is to be used for determining the band in the Table that applies to the claim.

TABLE 1

Fixed costs on commencement of a claim

Relevant Band	Where the claim form is served by the court or by any method other than personal service by the claimant	Where • the claim form is served personally by the claimant; and • there is only one defendant	Where there is more than one defendant, for each additional defendant personally served at separate addresses by the claimant
Where— • the value of the claim exceeds £25 but does not exceed £500	£50	£60	£15
Where— • the value of the claim exceeds £500 but does not exceed £1000	£70	£80	£15
Where— • the value of the claim exceeds £1000 but does	£80	£90	£15

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not exceed £5000; or • the only claim is for delivery of goods and no value is specified or stated on the claim form			
Where— • the value of the claim exceeds £5000	£100	£110	£15