

STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2022 No. 567

The Prohibition of Cross-Examination in Person (Fees of Court-Appointed Qualified Legal Representatives) Regulations 2022

Cancelled hearings

- 5.—(1) A fee in respect of a cancelled hearing may be claimed where—
- (a) a preliminary hearing or a cross-examination hearing is listed;
 - (b) the qualified legal representative subsequently undertakes at least 30 minutes of preparatory work; and
 - (c) the hearing is cancelled.
- (2) A cancelled hearing fee in respect of a preliminary hearing is—
- (a) in family proceedings, a Hearing Unit 1 fee as described in Table 1 in the Schedule; or
 - (b) in civil proceedings, a Hearing Unit 1 fee as described in Table 3 in the Schedule.
- (3) A cancelled hearing fee in respect of a cross-examination hearing is—
- (a) in family proceedings, half of a single day fee as described in Table 2 in the Schedule; or
 - (b) in civil proceedings, half of a single day fee as described in Table 4 in the Schedule.
- [^{F1}(4) Costs in respect of a cancelled hearing may be claimed where—
- (a) a preliminary hearing or a cross-examination hearing is listed;
 - (b) the qualified legal representative has incurred costs in anticipation of attending the hearing;
 - (c) the hearing is cancelled; and
 - (d) the qualified legal representative has complied with paragraph (5) but is unable to recover all of the costs incurred.
- (5) The qualified legal representative must attempt to recover the costs incurred within 24 hours of being notified of the hearing cancellation.]

Textual Amendments

- F1** Reg. 5(4)(5) inserted (2.1.2024) by [The Prohibition of Cross-Examination in Person \(Fees of Court-Appointed Qualified Legal Representatives\) \(Amendment\) Regulations 2023 \(S.I. 2023/1319\)](#), regs. 1(2), 2(5)

Commencement Information

- II** Reg. 5 in force at 21.7.2022, see [reg. 1\(2\)](#)

Changes to legislation:

The Prohibition of Cross-Examination in Person (Fees of Court-Appointed Qualified Legal Representatives) Regulations 2022, Section 5 is up to date with all changes known to be in force on or before 15 May 2024. There are changes that may be brought into force at a future date. Changes that have been made appear in the content and are referenced with annotations.

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Changes and effects yet to be applied to the whole Instrument associated Parts and Chapters:

Whole provisions yet to be inserted into this Instrument (including any effects on those provisions):

- reg. 5A inserted by [S.I. 2024/624 reg. 2\(3\)](#)