

Statutory Document No. 2023/0059



Coroners Act 1983

CORONERS FEES ORDER 2023

Approved by Tynwald:

Coming into Operation:

1 April 2023

The Treasury makes the following Order under section 5(1) of the Coroners Act 1983.

1 Title

This Order is the Coroners Fees Order 2023.

2 Commencement

If approved by Tynwald, this Order comes into operation on 1 April 2023¹.

3 Coroners' Fees

The fees to be charged by a Coroner in the exercise of a function or obligation described in the second column of the table in the Schedule is that specified in the third column of the table in the entry corresponding to that function or obligation.

4 Transitional Arrangements

- (1) The fee payable to the coroner is the fee relevant to the corresponding chargeable date.
- (2) For the purposes of paragraph (1) the “**chargeable date**” is the date that the instruction is received by the coroner.

5 Revocation

The Coroners Fees Order 2022² is revoked.

¹ Under section 5(2) of the Coroners Act 1983, an order made under section 5(1) of that Act shall not come into operation unless it has been approved by Tynwald.

² SD 2022/0194.

MADE 6TH FEBRUARY 2023

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Minister for the Treasury



SCHEDULE

[Article 3]

CORONERS' FEES

Item	Function or obligation exercised or executed	Fee
1.	For summoning parties, witnesses and jurors in any cause or matter (other than the cases referred to in items 2, 3, and 4 of this Schedule) and for making and serving a copy of the summons and serving with it a copy of the statement of claim and form of acknowledgment of service, or serving a petition with an order for hearing and any other pleading or notice, including granting a certificate of service.	£6.25
2.	For serving a petition of divorce, nullity of marriage or judicial separation or similar petition and associated papers.	£11.35
3.	For serving a petition for an injunction or order in proceedings involving domestic violence, including in each case providing written proof of service.	£21.60
4.	For serving a document when personal service is required by the Court or by statute, including providing written proof of service.	£14.45
5.	For receiving and paying over any payments due under an attachment of earnings order.	5% of the amount collected
6.	For executing an order, or judgment or enforcing an execution and giving a certificate or return of proceedings thereunder where no valuation is required for each defendant (but excluding the enforcement of an execution pursuant to a certificate issued under paragraph 10 of Schedule 5A to the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1985) —	£13.85
	(a) except that the fee in the third column of this table corresponding to this entry shall apply in the case of the enforcement for an order of possession of any real estate; and	£16.75
	(b) if a valuation is made or a certificate issued under section 8 of the Administration of Justice Act 1981, the additional fee in the third column of this table corresponding to this entry shall apply for each valuation or certificate irrespective of the amount of the valuation.	£13.85
7.	For the enforcement of an execution pursuant to a certificate issued under paragraph 10 of Schedule 5A to the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1985, save in a case where the Coroner delivers a return of no effects in respect of such enforcement.	£67.00
8.	For collecting any debt by a single payment, but excluding any	2.5% of the debt

	fine in relation to an execution pursuant to a certificate issued under paragraph 10 of Schedule 5A to the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1985.	collected
9.	For collecting by instalments, at the request in writing of an execution creditor or his advocate, amounts of a judgment debt.	5% of the amount collected
10.	For selling real or personal property by public auction under due process of law, where the proceeds of the sale available to go in discharge of the execution or order — (a) do not exceed £100; (b) exceed £100.	5% of such proceeds The following amounts of such proceeds — (a) 5% on the first £100; (b) 2.5% on the remainder up to £1,000; and (c) 1% on the balance over £1,000
11.	For attending and taking charge of a jury to view.	£7.15
12.	For attending and taking charge of a jury of enquiry.	£14.45
13.	For attending at the selection of a jury in a civil action.	£6.85
14.	For admission of an offence in court on behalf of a defendant.	£4.30

*EXPLANATORY NOTE**(This note is not part of the Order)*

This Order has the effect of increasing the fees to be charged by Coroners in the exercise or execution of a function or obligation vested by any enactment or otherwise specified in the Order, by approximately 9.8% (in line with the Isle of Man Consumer Price Index inflation rate (CPI) over the 12-month period to September 2022).

The fees at items 5, 7, 8, 9 and 10 in the table in the Schedule remain unchanged.

This order also contains a transitional provision so that the amount charged by the coroner relates to the date that the instruction was received.

The Order revokes the Coroners Fees Order 2022 [SD 2022/0194].