

Superior Court of California

County of San Diego

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July 17, 2012

NOTICE TO ATTORNEYS

NOTICE OF FEE CHANGES EFFECTIVE JULY 23, 2012

As a result of the enactment of Senate Bill 1021 (Chapter 41, Statutes of 2012), various civil, family, and probate fees have been established or increased as of July 23, 2012. The additional revenue from these fee changes will be used to offset reductions to trial court funding.

New Fee

• \$50 fee for delivering a will to the clerk of the superior court under Probate Code section 8200.

Increased Fees

- \$40 increase to first paper filing fees for unlimited civil cases where the amount in controversy is more than \$25,000.
- \$40 increase to various probate and family law fees. Refer to the Fee Schedule (SDSC Form #ADM-001) for specifics.
- \$20 increase to various motion fees. Refer to the Fee Schedule (SDSC Form #ADM-001) for specifics.
- \$450 increase to the complex case fee.

Changed Fee

The advance jury fee is fixed at \$150, is no longer refundable, and must be deposited earlier than previously required. The fee is due on or before the date scheduled for the initial case management conference in the action; if no case management conference is scheduled, no later than 365 calendar days after the filing of the initial complaint; if the party has not appeared before the initial case management conference or has appeared more than 365 calendar days after the filing of the initial complaint, at least 25 calendar days before the date initially set for trial; or if the action is for unlawful detainer action, at least five days before the date set for trial.

The revised Fee Schedule (SDSC Form #ADM-001) is posted on the court's website at www.sdcourt.ca.gov and is also available in the clerk's office.

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