STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1974 No. 1236

BANKRUPTCY, ENGLAND

The Bankruptcy (Amendment No. 2) Rules 1974

Made - - - -	18*th July* 1974
Laid before Parliament	30*th July* 1974
Coming into Operation	21*st August* 1974

The Lord Chancellor, in exercise of the powers conferred on him by section 132 of the Bankruptcy Act 1914**(a)** and with the concurrence of the Secretary of State for Trade, hereby makes the following Rules:—

1.—(1) These Rules may be cited as the Bankruptcy (Amendment No. 2) Rules 1974 and shall come into operation on 21st August 1974.

(2) The Interpretation Act 1889**(b)** shall apply to the interpretation of these Rules as it applies to the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

2. For Rule 70 of the Bankruptcy Rules 1952**(c)**, as amended **(d)**, there shall be substituted the following rule:—

"70—(1) The fees of a shorthand writer shall be calculated in accordance with the table appended to this rule and shall be paid by the party at whose instance the appointment was made, or out of the estate, as the court may direct.

(2) This rule shall apply in relation to payments made on or after 21st August 1974 for attendances and transcripts made on or after 1st April 1973 and 1st April 1974 in accordance with the amounts specified in columns 2 and 3 of the table respectively.

TABLE

	Column 1	*Column* 2	*Column* 3
1.	For attending the court, per day	£7·50	£8·35
2.	For attending the court when the shorthand writer's place of business or employment is in London and the court is more than 60 miles from that place, per day	£8·35	£9·45

(a) 1914 c. 59. **(b)** 1889 c. 63.
(c) S.I. 1952/2113 (1952 I, p. 213).
(d) The relevant amending instruments are S.I. 1961/317, 1965/1571, 1969/1162, 1972/529 (1961 I, p. 510; 1965 II, p. 4578; 1969 II, p. 3428; 1972 I, p. 1812).

3. For attending the court when the shorthand writer's place of business or employment is not in London and the court is more than 25 miles from that place, per day	£8·35	£9·45
4. For any transcript of the shorthand or other note of the evidence that may be required, per folio ...	£0·16½	£0·18¼."

Elwyn Jones, C.

Dated 16th July 1974.

I concur.

Peter Shore,
Secretary of State
for Trade.

Dated 18th July 1974.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(*This Note is not part of the Rules.*)

These Rules amend the Bankruptcy Rules 1952 by increasing the fees payable to shorthand writers for attending the court and making transcripts.

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