STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1977 No. 2022

INDUSTRIAL AND PROVIDENT SOCIETIES

The Industrial and Provident Societies (Amendment of Fees) Regulations 1977

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Coming into Operation	*1st January* 1978

The Treasury, in exercise of the powers conferred upon them by section 70(1) of the Industrial and Provident Societies Act 1965**(a)**, and of all other powers enabling them in that behalf, hereby make the following Regulations:—

1.—(1) These Regulations may be cited as the Industrial and Provident Societies (Amendment of Fees) Regulations 1977 and shall come into operation on 1st January 1978.

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

2. The Industrial and Provident Societies Regulations 1965**(c)** shall be amended by substituting for Schedule 2 thereto the following Schedule:—

SCHEDULE 2

FEES PAYABLE FOR REGISTRATION AND SUNDRY OTHER MATTERS

Regulation 13	£
For the acknowledgement of registration of a society (except as hereinafter provided)	75·00
For the acknowledgement of registration of an amendment of rules being a substitution of an entire set of rules for the existing set of rules (except as hereinafter provided)	50·00
For the acknowledgement of registration of an amendment of rules not being a substitution of an entire set of rules for the existing set of rules (except that no fee shall be payable for the acknowledgment of registration of an amendment of rules made for the purposes of section 10(2)(*b*) and section 11 of the Industrial and Provident Societies Act 1965)	25·00
For the approval of a change of name	25·00
For the registration of a notice of change in the situation of a registered office	5·00

(a) 1965 c. 12.
(b) 1889 c. 63.
(c) S.I. 1965/1995 (1965 III, p. 5882).

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For the registration of a special resolution—	
(1) where the special resolution relates to an amalgamation or a transfer of engagements and the society passing it has—	
(*a*) 100 members or less	10·00
(*b*) more than 100 members but not more than 500... ...	15·00
(*c*) more than 500 members but not more than 1,000 members	20·00
(*d*) more than 1,000 members	25·00
(2) where the special resolution relates to a conversion ...	25·00
For the appointment of an inspector, or the calling of a special meeting by the Chief Registrar or the Assistant Registrar for Scotland	30·00
For the registration of an instrument of dissolution or alteration therein where the society has—	
(*a*) 100 members or less	10·00
(*b*) more than 100 members but not more than 500... ...	15·00
(*c*) more than 500 members but not more than 1,000 members	20·00
(*d*) more than 1,000 members	25·00
For the reference of a dispute to the Registrar	1·25
For the award of a Registrar on a dispute (except as hereinafter provided) where the award is made without an oral hearing or upon one oral hearing without adjournment	6·25
and if more than one oral hearing becomes necessary, then for every such additional hearing	6·25
For the award of the Chief Registrar for the appropriation or division of the assets of a society on dissolution—	
where the value of the assets is less than £300, 9% of that value;	
where the value of the assets is £300 or more, £27·00 with an additional £1·80 for every £100 or part thereof in excess of £300.	
For every document (except as otherwise provided) required to be signed by a Registrar or to bear the seal of the Central Office not chargeable with any other fee	2·50
For every inspection on the same day of documents on the file kept by a Registrar under Regulation 12 of these Regulations relating to one and the same society	0·50
For a copy or extract of any document on a file kept as aforesaid not exceeding 216 words, £1 and, if exceeding that number, 25p per folio of 72 words, in addition to the fee, if any, for the signature of a Registrar or seal of the Central Office: provided that where a photocopy is supplied the fee charged therefor may be for an amount less than the fee payable on the basis of word content.	

For a document certified as a true copy of a document on a file kept as aforesaid, where the copy so certified is not made by the Registrar, 50p for the examination of such copy, and, if the copy exceeds 216 words, for every additional folio of 72 words, 10p (in addition to the fee for the signature of a Registrar, or seal of the Central Office): provided that the fee to be charged for the examination and authentication of copies of rules or amendments of rules required for the purposes of recording shall not be greater than the fee paid for acknowledgment of registration of the society or of the amendment of rules as the case may be.

The fee for the acknowledgement of registration of a society the rules of which are in the form of model rules, where the application for the registration is made through and endorsed by the association or body which has sponsored the rules contained in the said model, shall be £35·00.

The fee for the acknowledgment of registration of an amendment of rules being a substitution of an entire set of rules for the existing set of rules, where the entire set of rules are in the form of model rules and where the application for registration is made through and endorsed by the association or body which has sponsored the rules contained in the said model, shall be £25·00.

The fee for an award on a dispute may be reduced or waived as the Registrar to whom the dispute is referred may think fit.

3. The Industrial and Provident Societies (Amendment of Fees) Regulations 1976**(a)** are hereby revoked.

Donald R. Coleman,

J. Dormand,

Two of the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury.

5th December 1977.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Regulations.)

These Regulations increase the fees to be paid for matters to be transacted and for the inspection of documents under the Industrial and Provident Societies Act 1965. They supersede the Industrial and Provident Societies (Amendment of Fees) Regulations 1976. The fees payable on the reference of a dispute to the Registrar and for his award remain unchanged.

(a) S.I. 1976/355 (1976 I, p. 1002).

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