### **Information, Timescales and Fees**

### **Public Access - Child Arrangements in Divorce or Separation**

Our barristers can advise you if you and your former partner cannot agree on arrangements for your child. For example, you may not be able to agree on where your child lives, when your child spends time with each other or what school they go to. You may also wish to stop your former partner from making a decision about a child's upbringing.

If you cannot agree with your former partner, you can apply to a court for an order. You need to attend a number of court hearings - our barristers can represent you in these hearings. In some cases a conference may be necessary.

### **Timescales**

Timescales for your case may vary depending on factors such as a barristers' availability, the complexity of your case, how much you have agreed with your former partner and their approach. Written advice will be available within two to four weeks where possible. As a guide, court hearings for an order tend to take six to twelve months. This does not include possible appeals.

### **Fees**

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Stage of Case	Ranges of fixed fees (estimates)
Written advice and conferences	£400-1000
Hourly rate for assistance with drafting of any	£125-275
court documents.	
First hearing (see if the parties can agree)	£750-1500
Directions hearing (if the parties cannot agree,	£750-1500
to arrange the final hearing).	
Interim hearing (in some cases it may be	£1250-2500
necessary to, for example, decide whether a	
child should have contact with a parent before	
the final hearing)	
Pre-hearing review (to ensure the case is	£650-1250
ready for the final hearing)	
One day final hearing	£1500-3050
Court appearances per day, after the first day	£750-2000
of the final hearing	

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### **Public Access- Employment Law**

Our barristers can advise both employees and employers on a range of employment matters in written format, in conference or in the employment tribunal.

Please see below the fees for unfair dismissal and wrongful dismissal claims. For all other areas of employment, please contact the clerks on 01274 722560 or <a href="mailto:clerks@broadwayhouse.co.uk">clerks@broadwayhouse.co.uk</a>

### **Timescales**

Timescales for your case may vary depending on factors such as barristers' availability, the complexity of your case, the need for additional documents and the other side's approach. However, as a guide more straightforward cases tend to have a hearing date within four to six months of a claim being made.

#### Fees

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All fees stated are plus VAT (where applicable). There may also be additional costs should you instruct for something which is not listed. Your fixed fees may vary depending on your needs for example, your fees may be towards the higher end of the range if you need a more experienced barrister and/or you have a more complex case.

Stage of Case	Ranges of fixed fees (estimates)
Written Advice or Conference	£700-2000
Hourly rate for assistance with drafting of any	£150-300
tribunal documents	
Preliminary hearing	£750-2000
One day hearing	£1250-2500
Tribunal Appearances per day, after the first	£750-1750
day	
Remedy Hearing (to decide compensation	£1000-2500
based on one day)	

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## **Public Access - Financial Disputes in Divorce**

Our barristers can advise you if you and your former partner cannot agree on financial matters. For example, you may not be able to agree on how assets should be divided, whether to sell your home or other assets, maintenance payments and pension sharing.

If you cannot agree, you can apply to a court for a financial order. You may need to attend a number of court hearings - our barristers can represent you in these hearings.

### **Timescales**

Timescales for your case may vary depending on factors such as barristers' availability, the value and complexity of your assets, whether you have children, how much you have agreed with your former partner and their approach. Written advice on your financial dispute will be available within two to four weeks where possible. As a guide, court hearings for a financial order tend to take six to twelve months. This does not include possible appeals.

#### **Fees**

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Fixed fees vary depending on each case. Fees may be towards the higher end of the range if you need a more experienced barrister and/or you have a more complex case and/or you have assets over £300,000. There may also be additional costs should you instruct for something which is not listed.

Stage of Case	Ranges of fixed fees (estimates)
Written advice or conference	£700-2000
Hourly rate for assistance with drafting of any court document	£150-300
First directions appointment (first court	£750-1750
hearing exchanging financial information)	
Financial dispute resolution hearing (second court hearing to reach a financial settlement).	£1500-4000
One day hearing (if no settlement was reached in the financial dispute resolution hearing)	£1750-4500
Court appearances per day, after the first day of the final hearing	£1000-2500

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## **Public Access- Immigration and Asylum Appeals**

If you wish to challenge or appeal against a Home Office Visa or immigration decision, our barristers can advise and represent you. You can ask for help to submit an appeal form, or ask for representation and preparation for a hearing at the First-tier Tribunal (Immigration and Asylum Chamber) - our barristers can advise you about this. They can also advise you on the merits of applying for a judicial review of a decision.

Please note that barristers are not allowed to carry out legal aid work on a Public Access basis. You will need to make an informed decision about whether to apply for legal aid or to proceed with Public Access.

### **Timescales**

Timescales for our services may vary depending on factors such as barristers' availability, the complexity of your case and the need for additional documents. As you must appeal a decision within 14 days (from within the UK) or 28 days (from outside the UK), please contact the clerks as soon as possible after you have received a Home Office decision. You may also need advice and/or representation at short notice. If so, please contact the clerks as soon as possible. Our barristers will aim to advise you and/or represent you at a hearing where possible.

#### Fees

We charge fixed fees, which means you will be charged a fixed amount of money for the work that we provide. In some cases a conference may be necessary. Stated below are estimates only based on the ranges of fixed fees for barristers at Broadway House Chambers. VAT is not included on the fees stated but this will be added where applicable.

Fixed fees vary depending on each case. Fees may be towards the higher end of the range if you need a more experienced barrister and/or you have a more complex case. There may also be additional costs should you instruct one of our barristers to carry out work for something which is not listed.

Stage of case	Ranges of fixed fees (estimates)
Written advice or conference on your appeal or proposed Judicial Review	£300-500
Hourly rate for assistance with completion of	£150-200
forms.	
Preliminary hearing (in some cases)	£250-350
One tribunal appearance	£400-750

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## **Public Access - Inheritance Act Advices**

The Inheritance Act 1975 protects spouses (including former spouses), cohabitants, children and other dependants when a person dies without leaving sufficient money for their continued wellbeing. Our barristers can provide you with written advice on whether you can make a claim under the Act. Our barristers can also provide you with written advice when a person dies and you are a beneficiary of the estate, but also someone else makes a claim under the Act.

#### **Timescales**

Timescales for your written advice may vary depending on factors such as barristers' availability, the value and complexity of the deceased person's estate, your financial needs and those of any beneficiary of the estate. However, claims under the Act must be made within six months of the grant of probate, so as a guide our written advice will be available within two to four weeks where possible.

#### **Fees**

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Fixed fees vary depending on each case. Fees may be towards the higher end of the range if you need a more experienced barrister and/or you have a more complex case and/or you have assets over £300,000. There may also be additional costs should you instruct for something which is not listed.

Written Advice	Ranges of fixed fees (estimates)
Written advice or conference on making or	£750-2000
defending a claim	
Hourly rate for assistance with drafting of any	£200-300
document	
Directions	£750-1500
One day hearing	£1500-3000

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# **Public Access - Crime**

All areas of Criminal Law and Regulatory Law (Animal Welfare, Environmental, Health and Safety, Licensing, Local Authority & Regulatory).

### **Timescales**

Timescales will vary depending on factors such as barrister's availability, the need for additional documents and court waiting times.

### **Fees**

We charge hourly rates, which means you will be charged a certain amount of money for the work that we provide. For some cases a conference may be necessary. Stated below are estimates only for barristers at Broadway House Chambers. All fees stated are plus VAT (where applicable).

The fees vary depending on each case. Your fees will be higher if you need a more experienced barrister.

### **Hourly Rates**

£100-250

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