

FEE SCHEDULE  
REGISTER OF WILLS

**NO PERSONAL CHECKS**

<b><u>AFFIDAVIT</u></b> ( <i>miscellaneous</i> )	\$ 5.00
<b><u>AFFIDAVIT OF DEATH</u></b>	\$ 10.00
<b><u>AMEND PROBATE RECORD</u></b>	
Within 3 months of probate ( <i>Petition to the Register of Wills</i> )	\$ 30.00
After 3 months from date of probate (2 checks for \$ 30.00 each) ( <i>Petition Orphans' Court</i> )	\$ 60.00
O.C. Petition	\$ 25.00
Certified Order to Register of Wills	\$ 5.00
Open & Amend Record/Reissue Letters	\$ 30.00
<b><u>ANCILLARY LETTERS</u></b> ( <i>Follow regular estate fee schedule based on <u>PA assets only</u></i> )	
<b><u>APPEAL FROM REGISTER</u></b> ( <i>Filed in Orphans' Court</i> ) ( <i>Includes certification of record to Orphans' Court</i> )	\$ 75.00
<b><u>AUTOMATION FEE</u></b> <i>** To be charged on <u>all first filings</u> <u>requiring JCS fee &amp; on all marriage</u> <u>license applications</u></i>	\$ 15.50
<b><u>BOND</u></b>	\$ 35.00
<b><u>CAVEAT</u></b>	\$ 35.00
<b><u>CERTIFICATION OF RECORD</u></b> + pages @ 2.00	\$ 40.00+ \$ 2.00
<b><u>CERTIFICATION OF INH TAX PAYMENTS</u></b>	
Issuing Certificate to another county	\$ 25.00
Filing & Recording from another county	\$ 15.00

<b><u>CERTIFIED MAILING</u></b> <i>(Subject to Change without further Court Order)</i>	<b>\$ 10.00</b>
<b><u>CODICILS</u></b>	<b>\$ 25.00</b>
<b><u>COMMISSION TO ADMINISTER OATH</u></b>	<b>\$ 25.00</b>
<b><u>COMMISSION ON COURT-ORDERED ESCROW</u></b> <i>5% on first \$1,000.</i> <i>1% on each additional \$1,000 or any part thereof*</i> <i>*To be deducted <u>prior to investment</u></i>	
<b><u>DEATH CERTIFICATE</u></b>	<b>\$ 10.00</b>
<b><u>DISCLAIMER</u></b> <i>(of beneficial interest)</i> <i>(Filed in Orphans' Court)</i>	<b>\$ 10.00</b>
<b><u>DISTRIBUTION RECEIPT</u></b> <i>(Independent of Settlement Agreement)</i> <i>*(Per Legatee)</i>	<b>\$ 5.00 *</b>
<b><u>ELECTION TO TAKE</u></b> <i>(Filed in Orphans' Court)</i>	<b>\$ 25.00</b>
<b><u>EXEMPLIFICATION OF RECORD</u></b>	
Issuing /Recording + pages @ 2.00	<b>\$ 40.00+</b> <b>\$ 2.00 each</b>
<b><u>INTEREST/LATE FEE</u></b> – 1% per month	
<b><u>INH TAX RELEASE OF LIEN</u></b>	<b>\$ 10.00</b>
<b><u>INVENTORY</u></b> *	
<b>SOLVENT ESTATES</b>	<b>\$ 30.00</b>
<b>INSOLVENT ESTATES</b>	<b>\$ 10.00</b>
<b><u>SUPPLEMENTAL</u></b> <i>(Same as original filing according to solvent/insolvent)</i>	<b>\$30.00/\$10.00</b>

**LETTERS** (Testamentary/Administration/Administration C.T.A.)

*SEE SCHEDULE for Estate Values*

**AUTOMATION FEE** **\$ 15.50**  
*To be charged on all first filings requiring a JCS fee  
& on all marriage license applications*

**JCS/ATJ/CJEA fee** **\$ 40.25\***  
*\*fixed by Legislature*

**FOR ESTATE VALUES:**

<i>NOT EXCEEDING \$5,000.</i>	<i>.....</i>	<i>\$ 40.00</i>
<i>From \$ 5001. to \$10,000.</i>	<i>.....</i>	<i>\$ 60.00</i>
<i>From \$10,001. to \$20,000.</i>	<i>.....</i>	<i>\$ 75.00</i>
<i>From \$20,001 . to \$30,000.</i>	<i>.....</i>	<i>\$ 90.00</i>
<i>From \$30,001. to \$40,000.</i>	<i>.....</i>	<i>\$ 105.00</i>
<i>From \$40,001 . to \$50,000.</i>	<i>.....</i>	<i>\$ 120.00</i>
<i>From \$50,001 . to \$75,000.</i>	<i>.....</i>	<i>\$ 150.00</i>
<i>From \$75,001. to \$100,000</i>	<i>.....</i>	<i>\$ 200.00</i>
<i>From \$100,001 to \$200,000</i>	<i>.....</i>	<i>\$ 250.00</i>
<i>**EACH ADDITIONAL \$100,000 or any fraction thereof</i>		<i>\$ 100.00</i>
<i>FIRST \$1 MILLION .....</i>		<i>\$1,050.00</i>
<i>**EACH ADDITIONAL \$100,000 or any fraction thereof</i>		<i>\$ 100.00</i>
<i>EACH ADDITIONAL \$1 MILLION .....</i>		<i>\$1,000.00</i>

**\*\*NOTE:**

- Where the gross value of an estate has been underestimated on the Petition for Letters, Probate fees will be adjusted and an invoice rendered for the balance.
- Additional probate fees will be due and payable within thirty (30) days from the date of the invoice. Any balances more than thirty (30) days in arrears will be charged interest at the rate of 1% per month.
- All fees must be paid in full before any finalization/estate settlement will be accepted for filing.

**LETTERS** (*Administration D.B.N*) \$ 50.00

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**LITIGATION ONLY** \$ 40.00  
(Estate Opened for Litigation Purposes)

**NOTICE/CITATION TO HEIRS**

(When Renunciation Can't be Obtained) \$ 20.00+\*  
\*(INCLUDES Certified Mail)

JCS/ATJ/CJEA fee \$ 40.25\*  
\*fixed by Legislature

\* Imposed by the PA Supreme Court, on all Petitions for Letters and on all first filings for adoptions, small estates, trusts, guardianships, and minors' estates.

**PROBATE OF WILL** (*without Letters*) \$ 50.00  
(LODGE WILL ONLY)

**PROBATE OF CODICIL** \$ 25.00

**PROOFS OF PUBLICATION** \$ 10.00 each

**REQUESTS FOR INFORMATION**  
(*Per name Per record searched*) \$ 5.00+\*

\*Requires SASE + \$1 per page copied

**NO PERSONAL CHECKS**

**(U.S.MONEY ORDERS/CASHIER'S CHECKS ONLY)**

**REGISTER'S HEARINGS**

Petition (*e.g., to Compel Admn*) \$ 25.00

Order \$ 5.00

Citation(s) (each) \$ 20.00

Certified Mail (subject to change) \$ 10.00

Hearing \$ 50.00

(*Court Reporter @ Atty's Expense*)

**RECEIPT & RELEASE**  
(*Independent of Settlement Agreement*) \$ 5.00

<b><u>ROW CITATION/NOTICE TO HEIRS</u></b>	<b>\$ 20.00*</b>
(When all Renunciations Can't be Obtained) *(Includes Certified Mail)	
<b><u>RENUNCIATION*</u></b> ( <i>right to serve as Personal Representative</i> )	<b>\$ 5.00 per name*</b>
* Per signature	
* <b>RENUNCIATIONS MUST BE NOTARIZED</b>	
<b><u>PHOTOCOPIES</u></b>	
Self-made copies	<b>\$ 0.50 page</b>
Staff made copies	<b>\$ 1.00 page</b>
Screen Shots and Docket Entries	<b>\$ 1.00 page</b>
<b><u>RESEARCH FEE</u></b>	
( <i>Per name Per record searched</i> )	<b>\$ 5.00*+</b>
*Requires SASE + \$1 per page copied	
<b>NO PERSONAL CHECKS</b> <b>(U.S. MONEY ORDERS/CASHIER'S CHECKS ONLY)</b>	
<b><u>RETURNED CHECKS</u></b>	
Reprocessing fee	<b>\$ 35.00+</b>
+ original amount ( <i>cashier's checks only on replacements</i> )	
<b><u>SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT</u></b>	<b>\$ 60.00+</b>
(Signed by Personal Rep & any Legatees)	
Original Proofs are	<b>\$ 10.00 each</b>
Copies no additional fee	
Receipt and Release	<b>\$ 5.00 per signature</b>
<b><u>SHORT CERTIFICATE</u></b>	<b>\$ 5.00 each</b>
<b><u>SMALL ESTATES AFFIDAVIT</u></b>	<b>\$ 25.00</b>
( <i>Includes Certification fee</i> )	
<b><u>TAX CERTIFICATION</u></b>	
Issuing Certificate to another county	<b>\$ 25.00</b>
Filing & Recording Certificate from another county	<b>\$ 15.00</b>
<b><u>WAIVER</u></b>	<b>\$ 10.00</b>

*NOTE: In cases not specifically provided for in this fee schedule, the Register of Wills shall make the same charge as that imposed for other services of a substantially similar nature.*