

Schedule of Fees in South Australia

as at 1 July 2023 – Excluding GST

HOURLY RATES CHARGED PER MINUTE

1. All work other than as described under 2 or 3, including Assessments, Bills in Taxable Form, Notices of Objections, Advice, In-House work, preparation for Taxation, file inspections, conferring, telephone calls, negotiations and expert reports
\$325.00 per hour
2. All Court appearances whether Taxations, Callovers, instructing or as witness. Mediations or Case Conferences
\$380.00 per hour
3. Typing, travel
\$200.00 per hour

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TERMS OF TRADE

(as at 1 July 2023)

- A. Written instructions (emails or letters) will be required for us to commence work & our Schedule of Fees / Terms of Trade will be provided upon receipt of instructions.
- B. Our terms of payment are 30 days from date of invoice unless otherwise confirmed in writing by both parties.
- C. Payment of our fee is not conditional upon the recovery of your costs or the payment of money to you by your client.
- D. We reserve the right to charge interest on all accounts outstanding over 30 days, and any costs associated with the recovery of overdue accounts. Interest will be charged on overdue accounts at the RBA cash target rate plus 2%.
- E. We accept instructions to amend or add to a completed bill of costs but reserve the right to render a further memorandum of fees where applicable.
- F. We may require you to hold funds in trust to cover the entirety of our fees in any matter before we will commence work on a matter. In our discretion, we insist on written confirmation of this. We may alternatively require funds being held in a solicitor's trust account of our nomination.
- G. If we have commenced work upon your instructions and you choose to terminate our services, you will be liable for our fees up to the date of termination.
- H. Any variation to these terms must be confirmed in writing by Blackstones and the onus remains with the client to produce the varied terms in case of a dispute. The law of South Australia is to be applied in case of a dispute.

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