

II. Costs Guidelines for Summonses

A. General

	Nature of Application	Costs (\$) (excl. disbursements)
1.	Uncontested	1,000 – 5,000
2.	Contested <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Application on normal list lasting less than 45 mins Application on normal list lasting 45 mins or longer Complex or lengthy application fixed for special hearing (duration of 3hrs) 	2,000 – 5,000 4,000 – 11,000 9,000 – 22,000

B. Specific

	Nature of Application	Costs (\$) (excl. disbursements)
1.	Adjournment	500 – 2,000
2.	Extension of time	1,000 – 4,000
3.	Amendment of pleadings <i>[*The costs range for amendment of pleadings stipulated in Appendix G relates only to the application itself. Separate costs for the amendments (eg, for costs thrown away as a result of the amendment) may be sought]</i>	1,000 – 7,000
4.	Further and better particulars	2,000 – 9,000
5.	Production of documents	3,000 – 11,000
6.	Security for costs	2,000 – 10,000
7.	Interim payments (Order 13, Rule 8)	2,000 – 10,000
8.	Striking out (Order 9, Rule 16)	
	striking out of part(s) of pleadings / affidavit	3,000 – 12,000
	striking out of whole suit / defence*	6,000 – 20,000

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	<p><i>[*The costs range for striking out of whole suit / defence stipulated in Appendix G relates only to the application itself.</i></p> <p><i>If the applicant is successful in striking out the whole suit / defence, separate costs for the action (based on the pre-trial range, if appropriate) may be sought]</i></p>	
9.	<p>Summary judgment (Order 9, Rule 17)*</p> <p><i>[*Part 2(c) of Appendix 1, Order 21 of the Rules of Court 2021 provides for the scale of fixed costs for applications under Order 9, Rule 17 of the Rules of Court 2021. The Court may depart from the said scale and otherwise order: see Order 21, Rule 10 of the Rules of Court 2021.</i></p> <p><i>The costs range for an application under Order 9, Rule 17 of the Rules of Court 2021 stipulated in Appendix G relates only to the application itself. If the plaintiff is successful in obtaining judgment for the whole action, separate costs for the action (based on the pre-trial range, if appropriate) may be sought]</i></p>	
	Summary judgment given	6,000 – 20,000
	Application for summary judgment dismissed	6,000 – 20,000
10.	Setting aside of judgment	2,000 – 19,000
11.	Stay of proceedings	
	for arbitration	5,000 – 23,000
	on <i>forum non conveniens</i>	6,000 – 21,000
	pending appeal	3,000 – 11,000
12.	Examination of Enforcement Respondent	3,000 – 10,000
13.	Discharge of solicitor	1,000 – 4,000
14.	Setting aside of service	3,000 – 14,000
15.	Permission to appeal to the Appellate Division or to the Court of Appeal	4,000 – 15,000
16.	Division of issues at trial to be heard separately	3,000 – 12,000
17.	Injunction / search order	10,000 – 35,000
18.	Application for committal order	4,000 – 16,000
19.	Application for unless order	2,000 – 10,000