

Family Law - Matrimonial Proceedings

IN THE FAMILY COURT AT CENTRAL FAMILY COURT

BETWEEN:

MICHAEL JAMES THOMPSON (Applicant)

-and-

JENNIFER LOUISE THOMPSON (Respondent)

Case No: FL23F00123

BILL OF COSTS

Legal Aid Assessment

PROFIT COSTS

Grade B Fee Earner (Senior Solicitor) - £350 per hour

Date	Description	Time	Cost
08.02.2023	Initial client interview. Matrimonial history and financial disclosure	2.0 hrs	£700.00
15.02.2023	Preparing Form A - Application for Financial Remedies	1.5 hrs	£525.00
22.02.2023	Reviewing financial documentation. Bank statements and pension records	3.0 hrs	£1,050.00
01.03.2023	First Directions Appointment preparation	2.0 hrs	£700.00
08.03.2023	Court attendance - FDA	2.5 hrs	£875.00
15.03.2023	Financial Dispute Resolution preparation	4.0 hrs	£1,400.00
22.03.2023	Settlement negotiations with opposing solicitor	1.5 hrs	£525.00
29.03.2023	Consent Order drafting and finalisation	2.0 hrs	£700.00

TOTAL PROFIT COSTS: £6,475.00

DISBURSEMENTS

Date	Description	Amount
15.02.2023	Court application fee	£275.00
22.02.2023	Pension valuation - CETV report	£300.00
01.03.2023	Property valuation report	£450.00
15.03.2023	Barrister's fee - FDR hearing	£1,200.00

TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS: £2,225.00

SUMMARY

- **Profit Costs:** £6,475.00
- **VAT on Profit Costs (20%):** £1,295.00
- **Disbursements:** £2,225.00
- **VAT on Disbursements (where applicable):** £330.00

GRAND TOTAL: £10,325.00

Bill prepared in accordance with CPR Part 47 and relevant Practice Directions

Time recorded in 6-minute units as per standard practice

Rates based on 2023 guideline hourly rates for London