

32A. Costs

- (1) When awarding costs the court may—
 - (a) direct that the costs of any matter or application—
 - (i) shall be taxed and paid as between party and party or as between solicitor and client, on the basis of a common fund in which the client and others are interested; or
 - (ii) may be allowed as between solicitor and own client; or
 - (b) fix a sum to be paid in lieu of taxed costs.
- (2) Unless the court otherwise directs, the costs of an application to the court which is opposed shall follow the event and shall be taxed as between party and party.
- (3) Where—
 - (a) an action is brought against the Official Receiver or trustee as representing the estate of the debtor; or
 - (b) the Official Receiver or trustee is made a party to any proceedings on the application of any other party,the Official Receiver or trustee shall not be personally liable for costs unless the court otherwise directs.

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