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TO: ATTORNEYS AND GENERAL PUBLIC
FROM: HON. LISA RAY DIGGS *Lisa R. Diggs*
 CLERK OF SECOND CITY COURT
DATE: June 10, 2023
RE: **FILING FEE INCREASE – EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2023**

Please be advised that the Judges' Supplemental Compensation Fund Board has notified the Clerk's office of increases in civil filing fees, effective July 1, 2023.*

Therefore, effective July 1, 2023, the following fees will be due at the time of filing:

Civil Case Filing Fees-Non Refundable	
CIVIL PETITIONS ** This fee is for up to five (5) plaintiffs. After the fifth plaintiff there will be a charge of \$78.00 per additional plaintiff. Additionally, the fee is for up to five (5) defendants. After the fifth defendant there will be a charge of \$78.00 per additional defendant.	\$315.50
PETITION TO MAKE JUDGMENT EXECUTORY & GARNISHMENT (Per defendant if more than one defendant is being garnished) (This includes \$15.00 deposit for answering interrogatories)	\$330.50
ANSWER TO PETITION	\$225.00
ANSWER & EXCEPTION	\$277.50
ANSWER & RECONVENTIONAL DEMAND	\$291.50
ANSWER & THIRD PARTY DEMAND	\$291.50
ANSWER & CROSS CLAIM	\$291.50
ANSWER & COUNTER CLAIM	\$291.50
EXCEPTION	\$25.00
RULES	\$25.00
JUDGEMENT DEBTOR RULE (CIVIL)	\$25.00
MOTION FOR SUMMARY JUDGEMENT	\$25.00
MOTION TO COMPEL	\$25.00
REVIVAL OF JUDGMENT	\$104.50
PETITION TO MAKE JUDGMENT EXECUTORY	\$330.50
PETITION FOR INTERVENTION	\$315.50
ANSWER TO INTERVENTION	\$315.50
PETITION FOR NULLITY OF JUDGMENT	\$315.50
PETITION FOR DECLARATORY JUDGMENT (There is no fee for an Amended Answer unless the answer is on behalf of a litigant that did not respond in the original answer.)	\$315.50
PETITION FOR WRIT OF ATTACHMENT	\$315.50
PETITION FOR DEFICIENCY JUDGMENT	\$315.50
PETITION/MOTION FOR LETTERS ROGATORY	\$315.50

MOTION TO SUBSTITUTE PARTY PLANITIFF	\$307.50
FIRST SUPPLEMENTAL AND AMENDING PETITION (If adding a 6th or more plaintiff or defendant, fee is \$78.00 per litigant)	NO FEE
DUPLICATE CITATIONS (REISSUE)	\$24.00
REISSUE OF JUDGMENT	NO FEE
CURATOR'S FEE	\$500.00
CURATOR'S ANSWER TO ORIGINAL PETITION	NO FEE
SUPPLEMENTAL PETITION FOR GARNISHMENT (includes \$15.00 deposit for answering interrogatories.)	\$133.50
GARNISHMENT WITH WRIT OF FIFA (includes \$15.00 deposit for answering interrogatories.)	\$133.50
MOTION FOR NEW TRIAL	\$125.00
ACT OF CONGRESS	\$30.00
PRO HAV VICE	\$100.00
APPEALS	FEES ARE ASSESSED AFTER FILING
REGULAR COPIES (per page)	\$2.00
CERTIFIED COPIES	\$4.00

CHECKS FOR SERVICE NEED TO BE MADE PAYABLE TO

THE CONSTABLE OF SECOND CITY COURT AND NOT THE CLERK'S OFFICE.

EVICTION FILING FEES- NON REFUNDABLE	
RULE FOR POSSESSION (EVICTION/RFP)	\$131.50
RULE FOR POSSESSION (HOUSING AUTHORITY)	NO FEE
ANSWER TO RULE FOR POSSESSION	\$67.00
MOTION FOR NEW TRIAL (EVICTION)	\$25.00

SMALL CLAIMS FILING FEES- NON REFUNDABLE	
SMALL CLAIMS SUIT	\$119.50
SMALL CLAIMS COUNTERCLAIM SUIT OR RECONVENTIONAL DEMAND	\$ 119.50
MOTION TO TRANSFER TO SCC DOCKET	\$338.50
PETITION FOR NULLITY	\$119.50
PETITION FOR INTERVENTION	\$119.50
PETITION TO MAKE JUDGMENT EXECUTORY (This includes \$15 deposit for employers who answer interrogatories)	\$ 133.50
SMALL CLAIMS GARNISHMENT DEPOSIT (This is the deposit for employers who answer interrogatories)	\$15.00
SMALL CLAIMS ANSWERS	NO FEE
PETITION TO AMEND (To add additional Defendant)	\$ 88.50 (Fee per Defendant)
DUPLICATE CITATIONS (REISSUES) Note: Only if a new citation has to be reproduced by the clerk's office	\$20.00
EXCEPTION	\$15.00
JUDGEMENT DEBTOR RULE	\$15.00

*New Civil, Small Claims, & Rule for Possessions increase in price every year on 07.01.