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BANKRUPTCY ACT (CHAPTER 20)

BANKRUPTCY (COSTS) (AMENDMENT) RULES 2016

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 166 of the Bankruptcy Act, the Minister for Law makes the following Rules:

Citation and commencement

1. These Rules are the Bankruptcy (Costs) (Amendment) Rules 2016 and come into operation on 1 August 2016.

Deletion and substitution of Schedule

2. The Schedule to the Bankruptcy (Costs) Rules (R 2) is deleted and the following Schedule substituted therefor:

“THE SCHEDULE

Rule 7

<i>Description</i>	<i>Costs to be allowed</i>
1. Where a bankruptcy order is made on a creditor’s bankruptcy application, costs allowed to the creditor-applicant	\$1,200 plus disbursements
2. The following costs are to be allowed in addition to the costs allowed under paragraph 1:	
(a) where substituted service is ordered and effected	\$350 plus disbursements
(b) where service out of jurisdiction is ordered and effected	\$700 plus disbursements
(c) where an order for taxation is made, for work done for and in the taxation	\$500

<i>Description</i>	<i>Costs to be allowed</i>
3. Costs allowed to a debtor's solicitor where a bankruptcy order is made upon a debtor's bankruptcy application	\$450 plus disbursements
4. Costs allowed to a debtor's solicitor for work done for taxation where an order for taxation of the solicitor's costs is made	\$50
5. Where an application under section 124 of the Act is dismissed, costs allowed to a creditor who was heard under section 124(2) of the Act and who objected to the application	\$500 plus disbursements
6. Costs allowed to a creditor where an application under section 126(5D) of the Act is allowed upon the creditor's application	\$450 plus disbursements

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