



# FEES AND DUTIES (GOVERNMENT FEES) ORDER 2013

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*Fees and Duties Act 1989*

## **FEES AND DUTIES (GOVERNMENT FEES) ORDER 2013**

*Approved by Tynwald:* 18 June 2013  
*Coming into Operation:* 1 July 2013

The Treasury makes the following Order under section 1(1) of the Fees and Duties Act 1989.

### **1 Title**

This Order is the Fees and Duties (Government Fees) Order 2013.

### **2 Commencement**

If approved by Tynwald<sup>1</sup>, this Order comes into operation on 1 July 2013.

### **3 Interpretation**

See the footnotes of the Order for details of interpretations under each relevant fee header.

### **4 Fees payable**

For each of the numbered matters set out in the Schedule there shall be charged the fee set out in the Fee column in respect of each matter.

### **5 Revocation**

The Fees and Duties (Government Fees) Order 2010<sup>2</sup> is revoked.

<sup>1</sup> Tynwald approval is required by section 1(4) of the Fees and Duties Act 1989

<sup>2</sup> SD 60/10

**MADE** 15<sup>th</sup> May 2013

**W E TEARE**  
*Minister for the Treasury*

## SCHEDULE

[Article 4]

## GOVERNMENT FEES

No	Transaction Description	Fee	VAT <sup>3</sup>
1	Drawing a Commission of a public authority <sup>4</sup>	£50.00	
2	Affixing the Seal Public of the Isle of Man, or a seal of office to a Commission, to any paper or proceeding, and providing a certificate if required (per document)	£30.00	
3	An affidavit, affirmation, declaration, or attestation taken before a public officer  Not applicable to a declaration of secrecy under rule 29 of the Election Rules contained in Schedule 2, Part 3, to the Representation of the People Act 1995 or a similar declaration made for the purposes of the election of members of a local authority	£7.50	
4	Witnessing each exhibit to an affidavit, affirmation, declaration or attestation taken before a public officer	£4.50	

<sup>3</sup>All fees are outside the scope of VAT unless shown otherwise in the 'VAT' column.

<sup>4</sup> An additional fee for the enrolment of a Commission or an Appointment is incorporated in the General Registry (Miscellaneous Fees) Order 2013

*EXPLANATORY NOTE**(This note is not part of the Order)*

This Order, which is made under the Fees and Duties Act 1989, increases the fees to be collected in relation to a number of common functions exercised in some Departments, Statutory Boards or Offices. The fees were last increased in 2010.

Fees have been reviewed and increased above the rate of inflation to better reflect the actual costs of the provision of such services by Government and to recover a greater percentage of costs in delivering these services.

The fees for the legalising of documents for Hague Convention countries and the Rest of the World have been transferred to the General Registry (Miscellaneous Fees) Order 2013.