

Terms and Conditions

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TERMS AND CONDITIONS RELATING TO THE PROVISION OF EXPERT SERVICES

My services:

1. My appointment is as Party Appointed Expert
2. For the avoidance of doubt you have instructed me as principal, and not as agent for your client. In the absence of any response I shall assume that you have accepted these terms.
3. **Deferred terms do not apply to these instructions. All invoices are due and payable within 30 days of receipt by you.** I reserve the right to charge interest on overdue debts at the rate of 2% per month.
4. The following fee structure shall apply

Report Writing Hourly Rate	£180
Outpatient Attendance	£200
Court Appearance	£1500 per day (whole day charged)
Written response to questions	Charged at hourly rate (£180)
Travel expenses	£60 per hour + cost of rail / taxi as appropriate or mileage at 49p per mile
Hotel Accommodation	Bed and Breakfast – only applicable when venue is more than 50 miles from home base
Cancellation of court appearance within 7 days	£750
Cancellation of court appearance within 3 day	£1500
Cancellation of outpatient appointment less than 4 days, or failure to attend for outpatient appointment	£200
5. Value added tax will not be added to my charges.
6. In legally aided cases (where my fees constitute a disbursement) I expect you to make a prompt claim to the Legal Services Commission and to advise me of any expected delay in settlement.
7. Where I am instructed to prepare for and attend a hearing, and for whatever reason those instructions are revoked, I reserve the right to make a cancellation charge.
8. I reserve the right to seek payments on account.
9. I am not prepared to have my accounts subjected to assessment and look to you, my Client, to fund any assessment deducted to the Case, at any time
10. I will use my experience, care and skill in fulfilling your instructions to the best of my ability. Please remember that I am an independent witness
11. You have not yet instructed me in writing and I am unable to start work until you do so.

12. Please let me have your full instructions, together with any further relevant information you may have, and confirm your agreement in writing to the above terms. Receipt of your written instructions will be taken as implicit agreement to the terms and conditions stated in this letter.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if there is anything relating to these terms that you would like to discuss.