



Administrative Appeals Tribunal

Principal Registry

29 June 2022

Ms Joanne van der Plaats
President
The Law Society of New South Wales
170 Phillip Street,
SYDNEY NSW 2000

By email: lawsociety@lawsociety.com.au

Dear Ms van der Plaats

Application fees are payable in the Administrative Appeals Tribunal in respect of certain types of applications in accordance with the *Administrative Appeals Tribunal Regulation 2015* and the *Migration Regulations 1994*. The amounts of these fees will increase on 1 July 2022.

General, Freedom of Information, Security, Taxation & Commercial and Small Business Taxation Divisions

From 1 July 2022, the standard application fee that may be payable will be **\$1,011**. The lower application fee payable for lodging certain taxation applications will be **\$100**. The lower application fee payable for lodging certain small business taxation decisions will be **\$543**.

There is no change to the \$100 fee that is payable if a person is eligible to pay a concessional fee rather than a standard application fee.

Migration and Refugee Division

From 1 July 2022, the fee for the review of a protection visa decision will be increased to **\$1,940**.

The fee for other merits review applications in the Migration and Refugee Division where a fee is payable, will increase to **\$3,153**. In cases where a 50% fee reduction is granted, the reduced fee will be **\$1,576.50**.

I would be grateful if you could circulate this information to relevant members of your organisation.

If you have any questions about the change to the fees, please contact our Legal and Policy Section on (03) 9454 6145 or by email to legalandpolicy@aat.gov.au.

Yours sincerely,

Michael Hawkins AM
Registrar