

Discipline Costs – 2014

Pursuant to action by the State Bar’s governing board in January 2011 and May 2012, the costs assessed for disciplinary matters are adjusted annually to account for changes in labor and other resource costs. The adjustment is calculated by combining 40% of the year-on-year percentage change in the Consumer Price Index¹ with 60% of the annual percentage change in the Employment Cost Index for Management, Professional and Related Occupations². For 2014, the adjustment is an increase of 2.31%.

For matters filed on or after January 1, 2014, the costs assessed are as follows:

Original Proceedings (Stage at which the matter settles)	Cost Assessment
Matters that go in Default	\$4,343
Matters that Settle Prior to Filing of a Notice of Disciplinary Charges	\$2,992
Matters that Settle during first 120 days of proceeding	\$3,497
Matters that Settle before Pretrial Statement is filed	\$5,543
Matters that Settle before trial but after Pretrial Statement is filed	\$7,252
Matters that proceed to a One-day trial	\$7,252
Matters that proceed to a Multi-day trial	\$16,354
Matters that proceed to the Review Department	\$20,005

Conviction Referrals (Stage at which the matter settles)	Cost Assessment
Matters that go into Default	\$2,930
Matters that Settle during the first 120 days of proceeding	\$2,447
Matters that Settle before Pretrial Statement is filed	\$5,249
Matters that Settle before trial but after Pretrial Statement is filed	\$6,890
Matters that proceed to a One-day trial	\$6,890
Matters that proceed into a Multi-day trial	\$12,545
Matters that proceed to the Review Department	\$17,932

Other Matters	Cost Assessment
Probation Revocation Proceedings	\$2,344
Rule 9.20 Proceedings	\$2,488

Additional Costs (as appropriate)	Cost Assessment
Each investigation matter over one	\$955
Each resignation	\$134
Consolidation cost equal to the minimum cost for the consolidated case type	
Transcript costs incurred by the Office of the Chief Trial Counsel (BPC § 6086.10(b)(1))	
Taxable costs incurred by the Office of the Chief Trial Counsel (BPC § 6086.10(b)(2))	

¹ Specifically, the December-to-December change in U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics series CUURA422SA0.

² Specifically, the Q4-to-Q4 change in U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics series CIU20100001000001.

Discipline Costs – 2013

Pursuant to action by the State Bar’s governing board in January 2011 and May 2012, the costs assessed for disciplinary matters are adjusted annually to account for changes in labor and other resource costs. The adjustment is calculated by combining 40% of the year-on-year percentage change in the Consumer Price Index³ with 60% of the annual percentage change in the Employment Cost Index for Management, Professional and Related Occupations⁴. For 2013, the adjustment is an increase of 2.08%.

For matters filed on or after January 1, 2013, the costs assessed are as follows:

Original Proceedings (Stage at which the matter settles)	Cost Assessment
Matters that go in Default	\$4,246
Matters that Settle Prior to Filing of a Notice of Disciplinary Charges	\$2,925
Matters that Settle during first 120 days of proceeding	\$3,419
Matters that Settle before Pretrial Statement is filed	\$5,418
Matters that Settle before trial but after Pretrial Statement is filed	\$7,088
Matters that proceed to a One-day trial	\$7,088
Matters that proceed to a Multi-day trial	\$15,986
Matters that proceed to the Review Department	\$19,554

Conviction Referrals (Stage at which the matter settles)	Cost Assessment
Matters that go into Default	\$2,864
Matters that Settle during the first 120 days of proceeding	\$2,392
Matters that Settle before Pretrial Statement is filed	\$5,131
Matters that Settle before trial but after Pretrial Statement is filed	\$6,734
Matters that proceed to a One-day trial	\$6,734
Matters that proceed into a Multi-day trial	\$12,262
Matters that proceed to the Review Department	\$17,528

Other Matters	Cost Assessment
Probation Revocation Proceedings	\$2,291
Rule 9.20 Proceedings	\$2,432

Additional Costs (as appropriate)	Cost Assessment
Each investigation matter over one	\$933
Each resignation	\$131
Consolidation cost equal to the minimum cost for the consolidated case type	
Transcript costs incurred by the Office of the Chief Trial Counsel (BPC § 6086.10(b)(1))	
Taxable costs incurred by the Office of the Chief Trial Counsel (BPC § 6086.10(b)(2))	

³ Specifically, the December-to-December change in U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics series CUURA422SA0.

⁴ Specifically, the Q4-to-Q4 change in U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics series CIU20100001000001.

Discipline Costs – 2012

Pursuant to action by the State Bar’s governing board in January 2011 and May 2012, the costs assessed for disciplinary matters are adjusted annually to account for changes in labor and other resource costs. The adjustment is calculated by combining 40% of the annual percentage change in the Consumer Price Index⁵ with 60% of the annual percentage change in the Employment Cost Index for Management, Professional and Related Occupations⁶. Disciplinary costs assessed are as follows:

Original Proceedings (Stage at which the matter settles) – eff. 1/1/2012	Cost Assessment
Matters that go in Default	\$4,159
Matters that Settle Prior to Filing of a Notice of Disciplinary Charges	\$2,865
Matters that Settle during first 120 days of proceeding	\$3,349
Matters that Settle before Pretrial Statement is filed	\$5,308
Matters that Settle before trial but after Pretrial Statement is filed	\$6,944
Matters that proceed to a One-day trial	\$6,944
Matters that proceed to a Multi-day trial	\$15,660
Matters that proceed to the Review Department	\$19,156

Conviction Referrals (Stage at which the matter settles) – eff. 5/11/2012	Cost Assessment
Matters that go into Default	\$2,806
Matters that Settle during the first 120 days of proceeding	\$2,343
Matters that Settle before Pretrial Statement is filed	\$5,026
Matters that Settle before trial but after Pretrial Statement is filed	\$6,597
Matters that proceed to a One-day trial	\$6,597
Matters that proceed into a Multi-day trial	\$12,012
Matters that proceed to the Review Department	\$17,171

Other Matters	Cost Assessment
Probation Revocation Proceedings	\$2,244
Rule 9.20 Proceedings	\$2,382

Additional Costs (as appropriate)	Cost Assessment
Each investigation matter over one	\$914
Each resignation	\$128
Consolidation cost equal to the minimum cost for the consolidated case type	
Transcript costs incurred by the Office of the Chief Trial Counsel (BPC § 6086.10(b)(1))	
Taxable costs incurred by the Office of the Chief Trial Counsel (BPC § 6086.10(b)(2))	

⁵ Specifically, the December-to-December change in U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics series CUURA422SA0.

⁶ Specifically, the Q4-to-Q4 change in U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics series CIU20100001000001.

Discipline Costs

Effective January 10, 2011

Pursuant to action by the State Bar Board of Governors in January 2011, the costs associated with disciplinary actions have been increased to account for the increasing labor costs at the State Bar. For matters filed on or after January 10, 2011, the disciplinary costs assessed are as follows:

Original Proceedings (Stage at which the matter settles)	Cost Assessment
Matters that go in Default	\$4,060
Matters that Settle Prior to Filing of a Notice of Disciplinary Charges	\$2,797
Matters that Settle during first 120 days of proceeding	\$3,269
Matters that Settle before Pretrial Statement is filed	\$5,182
Matters that Settle before trial but after Pretrial Statement is filed	\$6,779
Matters that proceed to a One-day trial	\$15,287
Matters that proceed to a Multi-day trial	\$18,700
Matters that proceed to the Review Department	\$4,060

Conviction Referral (Stage at which the matter settles)	Cost Assessment
Matters that go into Default	\$2,739
Matters that Settle during the first 120 days of proceeding	\$2,287
Matters that Settle before Pretrial Statement is filed	\$4,906
Matters that Settle before trial but after Pretrial Statement is filed	\$6,440
Matters that proceed to a One-day trial	\$11,726
Matters that proceed into a Multi-day trial	\$16,762
Matters that proceed to the Review Department	\$2,739

Other Matters	Cost Assessment
Probation Revocation Proceedings	\$2,191
Rule 9.20 Proceedings	\$2,325

Additional Costs (as appropriate)	Cost Assessment
Each investigation matter over one	\$892
Each resignation	\$125
Consolidation cost equal to the minimum cost for the consolidated case type	
Transcript costs incurred by the Office of the Chief Trial Counsel (BPC § 6086.10(b)(1))	
Taxable costs incurred by the Office of the Chief Trial Counsel (BPC § 6086.10(b)(2))	

Discipline Costs

Effective January 1, 2003 – January 9, 2011

Pursuant to action by the State Bar Board of Governors in June 2002, the costs associated with disciplinary actions have been increased to account for the increasing labor costs at the State Bar. For matters filed on or after January 1, 2003 – January 9, 2011, the disciplinary costs assessed are as follows:

Original Proceedings (Stage at which the matter settles)	Cost Assessment
Matters that go in Default	\$2,918
Matters that Settle Prior to Filing of a Notice of Disciplinary Charges	\$1,983
Matters that Settle during first 120 days of proceeding	\$2,296
Matters that Settle before Pretrial Statement is filed	\$3,654
Matters that Settle before trial but after Pretrial Statement is filed or a one-day trial	\$4,920
Matters that proceed to a Multi-day trial	\$11,107
Matters that proceed to the Review Department	\$13,463

Conviction Referrals (Stage at which the matter settles)	Cost Assessment
Matters that go into Default	\$1,987
Matters that Settle during the first 120 days of proceeding	\$1,636
Matters that Settle before Pretrial Statement is filed	\$3,530
Matters that Settle before trial but after Pretrial Statement is filed or a one-day trial	\$4,569
Matters that proceed into a Multi-day trial	\$8,479
Matters that proceed to the Review Department	\$12,398

Other Matters	Cost Assessment
Probation Revocation Proceedings	\$2,244
Rule 9.20 Proceedings	\$2,382

Additional Costs (as appropriate)	Cost Assessment
Each investigation matter over one	\$914
Each resignation	\$128
Consolidation cost equal to the minimum cost for the consolidated case type	
Transcript costs incurred by the Office of the Chief Trial Counsel (BPC § 6086.10(b)(1))	
Taxable costs incurred by the Office of the Chief Trial Counsel (BPC § 6086.10(b)(2))	