NOTICE TO THE BAR

COURT FILING FEES – CONFORMING AMENDMENTS TO RULE 1:43 TO REFLECT FLAT RATE SERVICE FEE IN SPECIAL CIVIL PART

The Supreme Court has adopted amendments to the Rule 1:43 to conform to legislation regarding Special Civil Part service fees.

Rule 1:43 ("Filing and Other Fees Established Pursuant to N.J.S.A. 2B:1-7") is amended to establish a flat rate of \$7.00 for service of process by Court Officer for each defendant. The fee for mileage is eliminated.

The Court's November 29, 2021 Order is attached.

Questions about this notice may be directed to Superior Court Clerk Michelle M. Smith at michelle.smith@njcourts.gov or (609) 421-6100.

Hon. Glenn A. Grant, J.A.D.

Acting Administrative Director of the Courts

Dated: December 6, 2021

SUPREME COURT OF NEW JERSEY

It is ORDERED that the attached amendments to Rule 1:43 ("Filing and Other Fees Established Pursuant to N.J.S.A. 2B:1-7") of the Rules Governing the Courts of the State of New Jersey are adopted to be effective immediately.

For the Court,

Chief Justice

Dated: November 29, 2021

Rule 1:43. Filing and Other Fees Established Pursuant to N.J.S.A. 2B:1-7

The following filing fees and other fees payable to the court, revised and supplemented by the Supreme Court in accordance with N.J.S.A. 2B:1-7, are established effective November 17, 2014. All other filing fees or other fees not here listed are unchanged by the process set forth in N.J.S.A. 2B:1-7.

All State Courts

No Change

Supreme Court

No Change

Superior Court, Appellate Division

No Change

Superior Court, Law Division, Civil Part

No Change

Superior Court, Law Division, Special Civil Part

Fee Subject	<u>Fee</u>	<u>Authority</u>
Reservice of Summons or	\$3.00	N.J.S.A.
Other Original		22A:2-37.1

Process by Court Officer:

One Defendant [(Plus Mileage)] (Plus \$7.00 Flat Rate for Mileage)

Reservice of Summons or \$5.00 N.J.S.A.
Other Original 22A:2-37.1

Process by Court Officer:

Each Additional Defendant [(Plus Mileage)] (Plus \$7.00 Flat Rate for Mileage)

Superior Court, Law Division, Chancery Part General Equity

No Change

Superior Court, Law Division, Chancery Part Family

No Change

Superior Court, Law Division, Criminal Part

No Change

Superior Court, Probation Division

No Change

Superior Court Clerk's Office

No Change

Note: Adopted October 31, 2014 to be effective November 17, 2014; amended March 7, 2017 to be effective immediately; Special Civil Part section amended July 27, 2018 to be effective September 1, 2018; General Equity section and Criminal section amended December 8, 2020 to be effective immediately; Special Civil Part section amended November 29, 2021 to be effective immediately.