

Cumberland County - August 8, 2014 Register of Wills Fee Schedule

SURCHARGES

Automation Fee	\$ 5.00
JCS Fee (increased by Act 113 & 126 of 2014)	\$ 35.50

LETTERS TESTAMENTARY, LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION AND LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION C.T.A.*

Not exceeding \$2,000	\$ 20.00
\$2,001 to \$5,000	\$ 30.00
\$5,001 to \$10,000	\$ 45.00
\$10,001 to \$25,000	\$ 60.00
\$25,001 to \$50,000	\$ 90.00
\$50,001 to \$75,000	\$ 135.00
\$75,001 to \$100,000	\$ 210.00
For each additional \$100,000 or fraction thereof	\$ 50.00
Probate without issuance of letters	\$ 20.00

ALL OTHER LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION: D.B.N., D.B.N.C.T.A., PENDENTE LITE, DURANTE ABSENTIA, OR DURANTE MINORITATE *

Letters	\$ 20.00
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MISCELLANEOUS

Affidavit or Oath, executing	\$ 5.00
Affidavit to Settle Small Estate (for insurance proceeds under \$11,000)	\$ 20.00
Appeal from the Register	\$ 25.00
Bonds	\$ 15.00
Caveat	\$ 20.00
Certified Copies of Instruments	\$ 5.00
Certified Copies of Instruments with certificates attached	\$ 15.00
Certified Docket Entries	\$ 10.00
Citation, issued by the Register of Wills	\$ 20.00
Claim against the estate	\$ 10.00
Codicil	\$ 15.00
Commissions to take Oath or Testimony	\$ 20.00
Election to take under or against the will	\$ 20.00
Exemplified Copies of Instruments	\$ 15.00
Exemplified Copies of Letters, filing and recording	\$ 20.00
Exemplification of Letters, issuing	\$ 40.00
Inheritance Tax Return (payable at time of probate)	\$ 15.00
Inventory or Affidavit in lieu of Inventory (payable at time of probate)	\$ 15.00
Petitions	\$ 15.00
Photocopies, per page	\$ 0.50
Powers of Attorney, filing and indexing	\$ 20.00
Research, per record	\$ 5.00
Renunciation	\$ 5.00
Short Certificate	\$ 5.00
Subpoena	\$ 5.00
Tax Certificate, issuing	\$ 10.00
Will	\$ 15.00

Where the gross value of an estate has been underestimated on the Petition of Letters, probate fees will be adjusted and an invoice will be rendered for the balance. Additional probate fees will be due and payable within (30) days from the date of the invoice. Any balance more than thirty days in arrears will be charged interest at the rate of 1% per month. All fees must be paid in full before any estate settlement will be accepted for filing.

Fees for similar services not herein specifically scheduled shall be charged on the same basis as those scheduled.

Where the gross value of an estate has been overpaid, such overpayment will not be refunded and the money will be forwarded to the county. When filing fees have been overpaid in an amount not exceeding ten (10) dollars, such overpayment will not be refunded and the money will be forwarded to the county.

Cumberland County - August 8, 2014 Orphans' Court Fee Schedule

SURCHARGES

Automation Fee	\$ 5.00
JCS Fee (increased by Act 113 & 126 of 2014)	\$ 35.50

ACCOUNTS - Gross Value not over \$100,000

Account	\$ 50.00
Petition for Adjudication	\$ 15.00
Advertising	\$ 150.00
Receipt and Release	\$ 5.00
Objections	\$ 5.00
For Each Additional \$100,000 or Fraction Thereof	\$ 50.00

Gross Value=the taxable estate assets plus income generated by the estate. If there is a testamentary trust, then the gross value shall be only the income generated by the trust.

ADOPTION (ONE CHILD PER DOCUMENT*)

Petition for Adoption	\$ 60.00
Report of Intention to Adopt	\$ 15.00
Report of Intermediary	\$ 15.00
Petition for Termination of Rights or Relinquishment (Vol. or Invol.)	\$ 15.00
Petition to Confirm Consent to Adopt	\$ 15.00
Act 34 Fund	\$ 75.00
Home Study Fee	\$ 320.00
Investigation (non-identifying)	\$ 50.00
Investigation (identifying)	\$ 150.00

GUARDIANSHIP

Annual Report of Guardian	\$ 15.00
Bond, filing and approval	\$ 15.00
Guardian Inventory	\$ 15.00
Petition for Appointment, filing	\$ 15.00
Petition for Discharge, filing	\$ 15.00
Petition for Successor Guardian, filing	\$ 15.00

MARRIAGE LICENSE

Certified Marriage Certificate	\$ 5.00
Custodial Parental Consent	\$ 20.00
Judicial Waiver of Waiting Period	\$ 20.00
Marriage License (Cash Only-Includes Surchage)	\$ 50.00
Military Waiver	no charge
Replacement Marriage License - (before Marriage takes place)	\$5.00

ORPHANS' COURT - MISCELLANEOUS

Appeal to Appellate Court, certificate of record and bond	\$ 75.00
Certified copies of instruments	\$ 5.00
Certified docket entries	\$ 10.00
Citation, issued by Clerk of Orphan's Crt	\$ 20.00
Commissions on money paid into court held or controlled by the court (including CDs, Bonds and Escrow Accounts)	5% per year
Commitment	\$ 5.00
Decree awarding real estate	\$ 10.00
Decree, issuing	\$ 5.00
Disclaimer	\$ 5.00
Exemplification of record, issuing	\$ 40.00
Family settlement agreement	\$ 20.00
Motion	\$ 15.00
Petition and writ of attachment	\$ 20.00
Petitions	\$ 15.00
Photocopies, per page	\$ 0.50
Release	\$ 5.00
Research, per record	\$ 5.00
Satisfaction of award	\$ 5.00
Satisfaction of claim	\$ 10.00

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The Register of Wills (Clerk of Orphans' Court) requests that each motion/petition filed seek only one type of relief and reference only one docket number. If a party files a single motion/petition seeking multiple forms of relief, then that party shall be charged as if it had filed a separate motion/petition for each requested matter of relief. If a party files a single motion/petition referencing multiple docket numbers, then that party shall be charged as if it had filed a separate motion/petition for each docket number referenced.

When filing fees have been overpaid in an amount not exceeding ten (10) dollars, such overpayment will not be refunded and the money will be forwarded to the county.

*For confidentiality reasons, each child is assigned a separate docket number; therefore, each document filed should reference only one child.