

Our Reference: **EM/wd/Practising Certificates Fees/2019**

Your Reference:

4 June 2019

**TO: THE MANAGING PARTNER  
ALL LAW FIRMS**


Dear Sir/Madam

**RE: FEE INCREMENTS FOR PRACTISING CERTIFICATES  
FOR 2019 AND MEMBERSHIP SUBSCRIPTION**

At the **Special General Meeting (SGM) held at the Law Society House on the 3<sup>rd</sup> of May 2019** after careful consideration of the prevailing economic situation and taking into account Member's concerns, Members resolved to revise fees for practising certificates and membership subscription fees. The resolution passed at the SGM and the fee increment schedule are attached hereto for your attention.

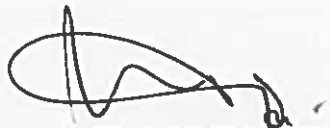
In order to preserve value, please pay the fee increment as soon as is reasonably practicable but in any event not later than 31<sup>st</sup> July 2019. It must also be noted that although the fees have been increased, such increment was modest in light of the high inflation that the country is currently experiencing.

Finally, your attention is drawn to part 2 of the resolution of the SGM, which provides that Council is mandated to call for a further Special General Meeting should the situation warrant a further review of the budget.



Yours faithfully

Incorporated in terms of the Legal Practitioners Act Cap 27:07



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**AN EXTRACT OF THE MINUTES OF THE LAW SOCIETY OF ZIMBABWE COUNCIL MEETING HELD AT THE LAW SOCIETY HOUSE, HARARE 4<sup>TH</sup> FLOOR BOARDROOM ON THE 3<sup>RD</sup> OF MAY 2019 AT 1700HOURS.**

**Budget adjustments and Fees Increment**

**The members unanimously resolved as follows:**

**1. Adjustments to the budget**

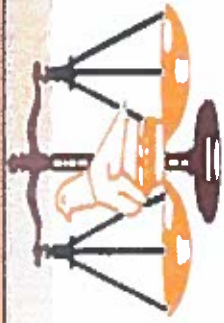
- a) That the salaries be increased by 30%.
- b) That the printing and stationery vote be set at RTGS \$ 100 000.
- c) That the contingency vote be set at RTGS \$ 5 000.
- d) That all other expenditure items be increased by not more than 100%.
- e) That all income items and contributions be members be adjusted to meet the expenses accruing in terms of resolutions a - d).  
(See the attached Fee Increment Schedule)

**2. That should it become necessary to effect any further increases or adjustments to the budget then Council is mandated to call a further Special General meeting for that purpose.**

Dated this 4<sup>th</sup> day of June 2019



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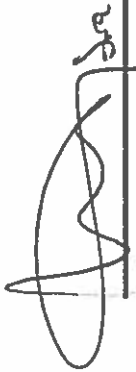


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## Schedule of Fee Increments

Practising Certificates fee increment	RTGS \$ 250
Membership subscription fee increment	RTGS \$ 50
<b><u>Total amount payable for practising members</u></b>	<b><u>RTGS \$300</u></b>
<b><u>Total amount payable for non-practising members</u></b>	<b><u>RTGS \$50</u></b>

  
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