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Mr. Donovan Walker
President
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Dear Mr. Walker,

The Legal Aid Council is pleased to advise your membership, that by Cabinet Decision 06/2015, the Tariff of Fees for Legal Aid matters have been revised.

The new rates and the respective offences are attached.

Best regards

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Hugh B. Faulkner
EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

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Table 2: Tariff of Fees

Matters	Counsel	Junior Counsel
Trials		
Capital Murder	\$135,960.00	\$90,640.00
Non-Capital Murder and Manslaughter	\$101,970.00	\$67,980.00
Other Circuit Court and Firearm cases	\$90,640.00	\$67,980.00
RM Court Offences, other than Fraud		\$33,990.00
Fraud		\$45,320.00
Traffic Offences – Dangerous / Reckless Driving, Under the Influence of Alcohol	\$33,990.00	
Preliminary Enquiries		
Where Oral Evidence is given	\$45,320.00	\$33,990.00
Only written statements tendered	\$22,660.00	\$13,596.00
Appeals		
Murder	\$67,980.00	\$45,320.00
Other Circuit Court and Firearm cases	\$45,320.00	\$31,724.00
RM Court Appeals, other than Fraud	\$33,990.00	\$22,660.00
Fraud	\$45,320.00	\$31,724.00
Attending police station / lock up and representation at Court on 1 st mention day		\$11,330.00
For each additional person visited on same occasion		\$3,399.00
Duty Counsel	\$11,330.00	\$11,330.00