

# **U.S. COURT OF FEDERAL CLAIMS**

## **SCHEDULE OF FEES**

(effective 12/1/2023)

All fees are payable to the Clerk, U.S. Court of Federal Claims, by cash, check, or money order.<sup>1</sup> For cash payments, exact change is required.

### **FILING FEES**

1. Complaint/Petition	\$405.00 <sup>2</sup>
2. Notice of Appeal	\$605.00
3. Petition to Perpetuate Testimony Under Rule 27(a)	\$52.00
4. Letters Rogatory/Request for Judicial Assistance	\$52.00

### **ATTORNEY ADMISSIONS FEES**

5. Admission to Practice	\$299.00 <sup>3</sup>
6. Duplicate Certificate of Admission	\$21.00
7. Certificate of Good Standing	\$21.00

### **COPY FEES**

8. Paper Documents	\$0.50/page
9. Certification of Document or Paper (in addition to cost of copy)	\$12.00
10. Exemplified Copy of Document or Paper	\$24.00
11. Audio Recording of Court Proceeding	\$34.00/disk
12. Copy of Document in Electronic Form	\$33.00 <sup>4</sup>

### **MISCELLANEOUS FEES**

13. Payment Returned/Reversed or Denied for Insufficient Funds	\$53.00
14. Record Retrieval from Archives or other storage location removed from the place of business of the court	\$70.00/first box; \$43.00/each additional box
15. Electronic Record Retrieval (SmartScan)	\$20.90 plus \$0.65/page <sup>5</sup>
16. Search of Court Records	\$34.00/name or item
17. Apostille	\$50.00

### **WITNESS FEES**

18. Attendance	\$40.00/day
19. Automobile Mileage (effective 1/1/2023)	\$0.66 mile

For current and historic per diem rates, go to <http://www.gsa.gov/perdiem>.

For historic automobile mileage rates, go to <http://gsa.gov/mileage>.

<sup>1</sup> If electronically filing a complaint, petition, or notice of appeal using the court's case management/electronic case files (CM/ECF) system, the filer must pay the filing fee by credit card in CM/ECF. For refunds of duplicate or erroneously paid filing fees, please see the court's Electronic Filing Fee Refund Policy on the court's website <http://www.uscfc.uscourts.gov/electronic-filing>.

<sup>2</sup> The \$405.00 filing fee includes a \$55.00 general administrative fee. Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1915, the \$55.00 administrative fee is waived for prisoner-plaintiffs granted *in forma pauperis* (IFP) status and *all* filing fees are waived for non-prisoner plaintiffs granted IFP status.

<sup>3</sup> Pursuant to RCFC 83.1(b)(4), the admission fee includes \$100.00 above the amount prescribed by the Judicial Conference of the United States for deposit in a fund to be used by the court for the benefit of members of the bench and the bar in the administration of justice.

<sup>4</sup> This fee applies when the court provides a copy of a record in electronic form, that record is not stored in the court's CM/ECF system, and no separate fee for a copy of a recording of a court proceeding applies.

<sup>5</sup> This service includes an \$11.00 judiciary administrative fee and two additional Federal Records Center (FRC) fees: a \$9.90 flat rate fee to pull and refile the record(s) and a \$0.65 per page fee. The FRC fees are subject to change in accordance with the Inter-Agency Agreement between the Administrative Office of the United States Courts and the FRC.