

Statement of Costs (summary assessment)

In the High Court of Justice, Queens Bench Division, Media & Communications List	
Case Reference	QB-2021-001113 QB-2021-001115

Judge/Master

Case Title Richard Davidoff and Others v Dhir Doshi
 Richard Davidoff and Others v Thomas Govan

Claimant's Statement of costs following Summary Judgement

Description of fee earners*

- (a) *(name)(grade)(hourly rate claimed)*
- (b) *(name)(grade)(hourly rate claimed)*
- (c) *(name)(grade)(hourly rate claimed)*
- (d) *(name)(grade)(hourly rate claimed)*

Mark Lewis, Partner, Grade A, £500.00
Megan Tolkien, Trainee Solicitor, Grade D, £180.00

Attendances on *(party)* Claimants

Personal / long telephone attendances

(a) <i>(number)</i>		hours at £		£	0.00
(b) <i>(number)</i>		hours at £		£	0.00
(c) <i>(number)</i>		hours at £		£	0.00
(d) <i>(number)</i>		hours at £		£	0.00

Letters out/emails

(a) <i>(number)</i>	1.90	hours at £	500.00	£	950.00
(b) <i>(number)</i>		hours at £		£	0.00
(c) <i>(number)</i>		hours at £		£	0.00
(d) <i>(number)</i>		hours at £		£	0.00

Telephone

(a) <i>(number)</i>	0.70	hours at £	500.00	£	350.00
(b) <i>(number)</i>		hours at £		£	0.00
(c) <i>(number)</i>		hours at £		£	0.00
(d) <i>(number)</i>		hours at £		£	0.00

Attendances on opponents (including negotiations)

Personal / long telephone attendances

(a)(number)		hours at £		£	0.00
(b)(number)		hours at £		£	0.00
(c)(number)		hours at £		£	0.00
(d)(number)		hours at £		£	0.00

Letters out/emails

(a)(number)	5.20	hours at £	500.00	£	2,600.00
(b)(number)		hours at £		£	0.00
(c)(number)		hours at £		£	0.00
(d)(number)	1.30	hours at £	180.00	£	234.00

Telephone

(a)(number)		hours at £		£	0.00
(b)(number)		hours at £		£	0.00
(c)(number)		hours at £		£	0.00
(d)(number)		hours at £	180.00	£	0.00

Attendances on others (Counsel, Court):

Personal / long telephone attendances

(a)(number)		hours at £	500.00	£	0.00
(b)(number)		hours at £		£	0.00
(c)(number)		hours at £		£	0.00
(d)(number)		hours at £	180.00	£	0.00

Letters out/emails

(a)(number)	3.80	hours at £	500.00	£	1,900.00
(b)(number)		hours at £		£	0.00
(c)(number)		hours at £		£	0.00
(d)(number)	0.70	hours at £	180.00	£	126.00

Telephone

(a)(number)	3.40	hours at £	500.00	£	1,700.00
(b)(number)		hours at £		£	0.00
(c)(number)		hours at £		£	0.00

(d)(number)	<input type="text"/>	hours at £	<input type="text"/>	£	<input type="text" value="0.00"/>
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Site inspections etc.

(a)(number)	<input type="text"/>	hours at £	<input type="text"/>	£	<input type="text" value="0.00"/>
(b)(number)	<input type="text"/>	hours at £	<input type="text"/>	£	<input type="text" value="0.00"/>
(c)(number)	<input type="text"/>	hours at £	<input type="text"/>	£	<input type="text" value="0.00"/>
(d)(number)	<input type="text"/>	hours at £	<input type="text"/>	£	<input type="text" value="0.00"/>

Work done on documents, as set out in schedule		£	<input type="text" value="5,738.00"/>
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Attendance at hearing:

(a)(number)	<input type="text" value="2.50"/>	hours at £	<input type="text" value="500.00"/>	£	<input type="text" value="1,250.00"/>
(b)(number)	<input type="text"/>	hours at £	<input type="text"/>	£	<input type="text" value="0.00"/>
(c)(number)	<input type="text"/>	hours at £	<input type="text"/>	£	<input type="text" value="0.00"/>
(d)(number)	<input type="text" value="2.50"/>	hours at £	<input type="text" value="180.00"/>	£	<input type="text" value="450.00"/>
(e)Fixed costs				£	<input type="text"/>

(a)(number)	<input type="text"/>	hours travel and waiting time	£	<input type="text"/>	£	<input type="text" value="0.00"/>
(b)(number)	<input type="text"/>	hours travel and waiting time	£	<input type="text"/>	£	<input type="text" value="0.00"/>
(c)(number)	<input type="text"/>	hours travel and waiting time	£	<input type="text"/>	£	<input type="text" value="0.00"/>
(d)(number)	<input type="text"/>	hours travel and waiting time	£	<input type="text"/>	£	<input type="text" value="0.00"/>

Sub Total £

* 4 grades of fee earner are suggested:
 (A)Solicitors with over eight years post qualification experience including at least eight years litigation experience.
 (B)Solicitors and legal executives with over four years post qualification experience including at least four years litigation experience.
 (C)Other solicitors and legal executives and fee earners of equivalent experience.
 (D)Trainee solicitors, para legals and other fee earners.
 "Legal Executive" means a Fellow of the Institute of Legal Executives. Those who are not Fellows of the Institute are not entitled to call themselves legal executives and in principle are therefore not entitled to the same hourly rate as a legal executive.

Brought forward £ 15,298.00

Counsel's fees (name)(year of call)

William Bennett QC (1994), Beth Grossman (2016)

Fee for [advice/conference/documents]

£10,000.00

£

5,000.00

Fee for hearing and Refresher

£

5,000.00

Other expenses

Court fees

£

Others (give brief description)

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£

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Total

£

30,298.00

Amount of VAT claimed

on solicitors and counsel's fees

£

6,059.60

on other expenses

£

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Grand Total £

36,357.60

The costs stated above do not exceed the costs which the Claimants are liable to pay in respect of the work which this statement covers. Counsel's fees and other expenses have been incurred in the amounts stated above and will be paid to the persons stated.

(Defendant)

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Mark Lewis

25.11.2021

Signed

Dated

Mark Lewis

Name of Partner signing

Patron Law

Name of firm of solicitors

Schedule of work done on documents

Item	Description of work <i>(one line only)</i>	(A) hours	(B) hours	(C) hours	(D) hours	Total £
1	Reading D Doshi application and supporting evidence	0.80				400.00
2	Reading T Govan application and supporting evidence	0.60				300.00
3	Completing PRA forms				0.40	72.00
4	Reading and amending draft witness statements	4.30				2,150.00
5	Finalising witness statements and exhibits in response to applications				3.30	594.00
6	Reading transcript of related hearing	0.30				150.00
7	Reviewing draft chronology and index	0.30				150.00
8	Reading second statements from Defendants	0.70				350.00
9	Bundle of papers for counsel				0.30	54.00
10	Reading Defendants' applications and statements				1.20	216.00
11	Reviewing hearing bundle and statements as preparation for hearing	2.10				1,050.00
12	Drafting cost schedule				1.40	252.00
13						0.00
14						0.00
15						0.00
16						0.00
17						0.00
18						0.00
19						0.00
20						0.00
21						0.00
22						0.00
23						0.00
24						0.00
25						0.00
26						0.00
27						0.00
28						0.00
29						0.00
30						0.00
Page Total		9.10	0.00	0.00	6.60	5,738.00

Schedule of work done on documents - page 2

Item	Description of work <i>(one line only)</i>	(A) hours	(B) hours	(C) hours	(D) hours	Total £
31						0.00
32						0.00
33						0.00
34						0.00
35						0.00
36						0.00
37						0.00
38						0.00
39						0.00

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41						0.00
42						0.00
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51						0.00
52						0.00
53						0.00
54						0.00
55						0.00
56						0.00
57						0.00
58						0.00
59						0.00
60						0.00
Page Total						0.00
Cumulative total of pages						5,738.00

Schedule of work done on documents - page 3

Item	Description of work (one line only)	(A) hours	(B) hours	(C) hours	(D) hours	Total £
61						0.00
62						0.00
63						0.00
64						0.00
65						0.00
66						0.00
67						0.00
68						0.00
69						0.00
70						0.00
71						0.00
72						0.00
73						0.00
74						0.00
75						0.00
76						0.00
77						0.00
78						0.00
79						0.00
80						0.00
81						0.00
82						0.00
83						0.00
84						0.00

85						0.00
86						0.00
87						0.00
88						0.00
89						0.00
90						0.00
Page Total		0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Cumulative total of pages						5,738.00

Grade A	£500.00	per hour
Grade B		per hour
Grade C		per hour
Grade D	£180.00	per hour