

# Memo

To: Attorneys & all other interested parties

From: Teresa Harper  
Clerk of Superior Court  
Upson County, Georgia

Date: May 17, 2010

Re: **Notice of Fee Increases**

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Effective May 12, 2010, filing fees and other court costs increased substantially as the result of enactment of HB 1055 passed by the Georgia General Assembly. The costs for filing a civil action in superior court and state court increased \$125.00. **The entire additional amount generated from superior court filings will be sent to the State of Georgia for funding judicial operations.**

Attached is a schedule of the new fees which consolidates the new fees with other existing fees provided for in O.C.G.A. § 15-6-77 which will remain the same.

Please call the Clerk's Office at 706-647-7835 or visit [www.upsoncountyga.org](http://www.upsoncountyga.org) if you have questions concerning the fee increases.

Thank you in advance for your cooperation.

# **NEW CIVIL FILING FEES**

**effective May 12, 2010**

## **Superior Court Civil Cases**

**\$205.00\***

\*Plus applicable service fees

*Refer to complete cost schedule for more detailed descriptions*

Notary Public Appointment..... \$ 37.00

## Partnerships

General, Limited & Amendments, each ..... \$205.00

Registering Trade Name..... \$157.00  
Publication cost to publisher..... \$ 40.00

### Other Changes in Superior Court Fees:

Uncertified copies..... \$ .50

Issuing Subpoena..... \$ 5.00

Preparation of appeal to Supreme Court and Court of Appeals  
per page ..... \$10.00  
Transcript, where clerk is not required to copy... \$35.00

Preparation/copying record for appeal of criminal/capital felony to the Attorney General, per page..... \$ 5.00

## **Sheriff's Service Fees**

Serving process .....	\$50.00
Action from another county.....	\$50.00
Each levy or writ of fifa.....	\$50.00
Search/return of nulla bona.....	\$20.00
Serving summons of garnishment, 1 <sup>st</sup> copy.....	\$50.00
2 <sup>nd</sup> and subsequent copy.....	\$ 6.00
Levying an attachment.....	\$50.00
Summoning each witness.....	\$10.00
Taking bonds in criminal cases.....	\$20.00
Service of dispossessory.....	\$25.00