DUST DISEASES TRIBUNAL OF NSW

ADVICE TO PRACTITIONERS
(No. 1 of 2026)

NEW TRIBUNAL FEES COMMENCING 1 JULY 2026

Practitioners are advised that Schedule 1 Part 2 of the *Dust Diseases Tribunal Regulation 2019* has been updated to reflect the new fee unit amount for financial year 2026-27.

A copy of Schedule 1 of the *Dust Diseases Tribunal Regulation 2019* and a table of the new fee amounts is attached below.

Daniel Watson
Registrar
30 June 2026

Dust Diseases Tribunal Regulation 2019							
							123.40
	Column 1	**Column 2**	**Column 3**	1/07/2026	1/07/2026	2025/26 CPI increase	4.2%
Item	**Matter for which fee payable**	**Standard fee (in fee units)**	**Corporation fee**	**Revised Standard fee**	**Revised Corporate fee**		
	Filing fees						
1	Initiating process	2.16	Double the standard fee	267	534		
2	Cross-claim	2.16	Double the standard fee	267	534		
3	Notice of motion	2.23	Double the standard fee	275	550		
	Hearing fees						
4	First directions hearing	8.61	Double the standard fee	1062	2124		
	Fees for issuing subpoenas						
5	For production	0.87	Double the standard fee	107	214		
6	To give evidence	0.42	Double the standard fee	52	104		
7	For production and to give evidence	0.87	Double the standard fee	107	214		
	Fees for administrative services						
8	Receipt by the registrar of a document or thing produced in compliance with a notice to produce under the Uniform Civil Procedure Rules 2005, Part 34	0.87	Double the standard fee	107	214		
9	Retrieving, providing access to and supplying a copy of a document, except as specified in—						
	(a) for up to 20 pages	0.13	—	16			
	(b) for each 10 pages, or part of 10 pages, after the first 20 pages	0.07	—	9			
10	Supplying a copy of the written opinion or reasons for opinion of a member of the Tribunal—						
	(a) for a printed copy	0.75	—	93			
	(b) for another kind of copy	0.46	—	57			
11	Supplying a copy of a transcript of proceedings—						
	(a) if the matter being transcribed is less than 3 months old—						
	(i) for up to 8 pages	0.92	—	114			
	(ii) for each following page	0.11	—	14			
	(b) if the matter being transcribed is 3 or more months old—						
	(i) for up to 8 pages	1.11	—	137			
	(ii) for each following page	0.13	—	16			
12	Retrieving and providing access to, but not supplying a copy of, a file or box of files in relation to proceedings before the Tribunal, if the file or box of files is retrieved from an off-site storage facility—						
	(a) standard retrieval request	0.85	—	105			
	(b) non-standard retrieval request, including a retrieval request—	0.85 plus the additional cost incurred by the Tribunal	—	$101 plus the additional cost incurred by the Tribunal			
	(i) of urgent, high or after hours priority, or						
	(ii) for delivery to or from a location outside the Sydney metropolitan area						
13	Supplying 1 or more sealed or certified copies of a judgment or order of the Tribunal	0.75	—	93			
14	Supplying a duplicate recording of sound-recorded evidence, for each disc	0.56	—	69			
15	Requesting production to the court of documents held by another court	0.64	Double the standard fee	79	158		
16	Opening or keeping open the registry or part of the registry—						
	(a) on a Saturday, Sunday or public holiday	7.64	Double the standard fee	943	1886		
	(b) on another day—						
	(i) before 8.30am or after 4.30pm	7.64	Double the standard fee	943	1886		
	(ii) between 8.30am and 9am or 4pm and 4.30pm	0.8	Double the standard fee	99	198		
Fees for							
17	Providing a service in respect of proceedings before the Tribunal for which a fee is not otherwise provided for in this Schedule, if the registrar approves the charging of a fee	0.45	Double the standard fee	56	112		

$\$103.05 \times \frac{A}{B}$

A is the CPI number for the December quarter in the financial year immediately preceding the financial year for which the amount is calculated.

B is the CPI number for the December quarter of **2021**.

Dust Diseases Tribunal Regulation 2019

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Part 1 Fees

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Filing fees			
1	Initiating process	2.16	Double the standard fee
2	Cross-claim	2.16	Double the standard fee
3	Notice of motion	2.23	Double the standard fee
Hearing fees			
4	First directions hearing	8.61	Double the standard fee
Fees for issuing subpoenas			
5	For production	0.87	Double the standard fee
6	To give evidence	0.42	Double the standard fee
7	For production and to give evidence	0.87	Double the standard fee
Fees for administrative services			
8	Receipt by the registrar of a document or thing produced in compliance with a notice to produce under the *Uniform Civil Procedure Rules 2005*, Part 34	0.87	Double the standard fee
9	Retrieving, providing access to and supplying a copy of a document, except as specified in items 10–12—		
	(a) for up to 20 pages	0.13	—
	(b) for each 10 pages, or part of 10 pages, after the first 20 pages	0.07	—
10	Supplying a copy of the written opinion or reasons for opinion of a member of the Tribunal—		

	(a) for a printed copy	0.75	—
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	(b) on another day—		

	(i) before 8.30am or after 4.30pm	7.64	Double the standard fee
	(ii) between 8.30am and 9am or 4pm and 4.30pm	0.8	Double the standard fee
Fees for other services			
17	Providing a service in respect of proceedings before the Tribunal for which a fee is not otherwise provided for in this Schedule, if the registrar approves the charging of a fee	0.45	Double the standard fee