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CIRCULAR LETTER TO ALL BRITISH COLUMBIA LAND SURVEYORS

Re: Revised Land Act Fee Schedule

Attached is a revised schedule of Land Act fees, which has been approved by the Lieutenant Governor in Council, with effect from December 1, 1987.

It will be noted that the former \$100.00 fee for resubmission of rejected survey returns has been dropped from the schedule in recognition of the improvement in quality of these returns which has occurred.

The increased hourly rate set out in items 13 and 15 brings these rates into line with those previously in place under the Forest Act in other Branches of the Ministry. It should also be noted that substantial efficiencies have been achieved, particularly in the plan search and land status functions, through the use of automated systems, and that hourly rate includes the use by Branch staff of these systems.

Yours sincerely,

D. A. DUFFY
Surveyor General
and Director

Attachment

LAND ACT FEES REGULATION

Fees

1. A person applying under the Land Act shall pay to the Minister of Finance for a matter itemized in Column 1 of the Schedule the fee set opposite that item in Column 2 of the Schedule.

SCHEDULE

<u>Item</u>	<u>Column 1</u>	<u>Column 2</u> <u>Fee</u>
1.	For an application for a Crown grant, lease, licence of occupation, letter of consent, easement or right of way	\$ 50.00
2.	For an application for the establishment of a public road allowance under section 75 of the <u>Land Act</u>	\$250.00
3.	For an application for a declaration of intention under section 55 of the <u>Land Act</u>	\$250.00
4.	For issuance of a lease or of a licence of occupation other than a short form licence of occupation	\$150.00
5.	For issuance of a short form licence of occupation or letter of authorization	\$ 50.00
6.	For issuance of a Crown grant	\$150.00
7.	For issuance of an easement or statutory right of way where the easement or statutory right of way is shorter than 25 km	\$150.00
8.	For issuance of an easement or statutory right of way where the easement or statutory right of way is 25 km or longer	\$500.00
9.	For processing and approving any document evidencing the assignment of an interest passing under a disposition	\$250.00
10.	Where an amendment to a disposition is requested by the holder of the disposition, for processing the amendment	\$100.00
11.	For the preparation of an uncertified copy of any document that has been issued pursuant to a disposition	\$ 15.00
12.	For the preparation of a certified true copy of any document that has been issued pursuant to a disposition	\$ 50.00
13.	For the extracting of information from Ministry records	\$ 50.00 per hour
14.	For the issuance of survey instructions and the final plan examinations for surveys of Crown land, including easements or statutory rights of way less than 25 km in length	\$250.00
15.	For the issuance of survey instructions and the final examination of survey plans of easements or statutory rights of way which are 25 km or longer	\$ 50.00 per hour