

## GOVERNMENT OF ZAMBIA

STATUTORY INSTRUMENT NO. 5 OF 2017

**The Supreme Court Act**  
(Laws, Volume 3, Cap. 25)**The Supreme Court (Amendment) Rules, 2017**

IN EXERCISE of the powers contained in section *twenty-eight* of the Supreme Court Act, the following Rules are made:

1. These Rules may be cited as the Supreme Court (Amendment) Rules, 2017, and shall be read as one with the Supreme Court Rules, in these Rules referred to as the principal Rules. Title  
Cap. 25
2. The Second Schedule to the principal Rules is amended by the deletion of Part II and the substitution therefor of the Part II set out in the Appendix. Amendment  
of Second  
Schedule

APPENDIX  
(Paragraph 2)

SCHEDULE  
(Rule 15)

PART II  
TARIFF OR FEES

*Instructions and Preparation*

*Applicable Scale*

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| 1. Instructions, preparation and filing notice of appeal                                                                                                           | B |
| 2. Instructions, preparations and filing of memorandum of appeal (including grounds of appeal)                                                                     | A |
| 3. Instructions, preparation and filing of respondent's notice (including grounds of cross appeal)                                                                 | B |
| 4. Instructions, preparation and filing of any other notice/ application relevant to an appeal                                                                     | A |
| 5. Instructions to appear for the respondent to any application for an appeal                                                                                      | A |
| 6. Preparing heads of arguments, list of authorities, including notes for use at the hearing of the appeal and researching into the law in preparation for hearing | A |

SCALE A

*Fee not exceeding (per hour or proportionately for any part thereof)*

*Maximum Fees*

*Fee Units*

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| 1. A practitioner of less than five years standing and experience or legal executive.         | 2,467 |
| 2. A practitioner of more than five but of not more than ten years standing and experience    | 3,701 |
| 3. A practitioner of more than ten but of not more than fifteen years standing and experience | 4,441 |
| 4. A practitioner of fifteen or more years standing and experience                            | 5,674 |
| 5. State Counsel                                                                              | 6,661 |

## SCALE B

	<i>A fee not exceeding (per hour or Proportionately for any part thereof)</i>	<i>Maximum Fee</i>	<i>Fee Units</i>
1. A practitioner of less than five years standing			1,481
2. A practitioner of more than five but of not more than ten years standing and experience			2,467
3. A practitioner of more than ten but of not more than fifteen years standing and experience			3,701
4. A practitioner of fifteen or more years standing and experience			4,934
5. State Counsel			6,167

**Note:**

In the absence of any specific Scale fees, the High Court Scale shall apply.

JUSTICE I. C. MAMBILIMA,  
*Chief Justice*

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16th December, 2016

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