

Fee Changes - Workers' Compensation Court SB 1973 (2010) - Effective November 1, 2010

All fees are payable to the Workers' Compensation Court. Sufficient information must be provided to relate the fee to the proper file.

Fee Type	Fee Amount Per SB1973	Statute	Party Responsible for Fee	Application of Fee Change
Final Award Fee	\$140	85 O.S., §93(A)	The party against whom an award becomes final (i.e. the employer/insurer if there is an award of compensation, or the worker if there is a denial or dismissal of a claim).	Applies to dispositions with hearing date on or after 11/1/10.
Court En Banc Panel Appeal Fee	\$175	85 O.S., §3.6(B)	The party appealing the trial judge's order to a three-judge review panel of the Workers' Compensation Court.	Must accompany Court En Banc Panel appeals filed on or after 11/1/10.
Reopen Fee	\$130	85 O.S., §93(B)	The party seeking to reopen a case. It is payable by the worker if the request is to reopen on a change of condition for the worse. It is payable by the employer/insurer if the request is to reopen on a change of condition for the better.	Must accompany requests to reopen filed on or after 11/1/10.
Fee for Compiling and Transmitting Record for Appeal to Supreme Court	\$100	85 O.S., §3.6(D)	The party taking the appeal to the Supreme Court. If more than one party to the action shall prosecute an appeal from the same order, decision or award, the fee is paid by the party whose petition in error is determined by the Workers' Compensation Court or appellate court to commence the principal appeal.	Must accompany designations of record filed on or after 11/1/10.
Self-Insurance and Servicing Company Annual Application Fee	\$1,000	85 O.S., §93.2(A)(B)(C)	Group self-insureds, individual own risk employers and servicing companies in order to receive a permit from the Court Administrator to operate in Oklahoma.	Applies to applications received on or after 11/1/10.
Fee for Review of Interim Financial Statements of Self-Insured Employers	\$500 per review, not to exceed \$1,000 per state fiscal year	85 O.S., §93.2(D)	Self-insured employers whose financial statements and/or loss runs are subject to interim review by Workers' Compensation Court personnel.	Applies upon written notice on or after 11/1/10 from the Workers' Compensation Court to a self-insured employer subject to the fee.

**DIRECT QUESTIONS TO THE WORKERS' COMPENSATION COURT
ADMINISTRATION OFFICE AT 405-522-8776 OR IN-STATE TOLL FREE AT 800-522-8210**