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Hon Justice Courtney
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Dear Justice Courtney

Daily recovery rates – High Court and District Court

Thank you for your letter of 19 April 2018. The New Zealand Law Society appreciates the opportunity to comment on the Rules Committee's review of the daily recovery rates in Schedule 2 to the High Court Rules 2016 and Schedule 5 to the District Court Rules 2014.

The proposed increases in the daily recovery rates reflect changes to the Producer Price Index for legal services since the rates were last amended on 1 July 2015, and are supported by the Law Society.

Yours sincerely



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