

**Official Receiver's Office  
Bankruptcy (Fees and Percentages) Order Chapter 6C  
Fees and Charges in Bankruptcy**

<b>No.</b>	<b>Relevant Ordinance Reference</b>	<b>Description of fee item</b>	<b>Current Rate HK\$</b>
(1)	Table A Item 4	Proof of debt above \$250 including filing, other than a proof for workmen's wages	\$35
(2)	Table A Item 7A	On an inspection of a copy of the trustee's accounts filed under section 93(4) or (4A)	\$11
(3)	Table A Item 10	Application to the Official Receiver for payment of money out of the Bankruptcy Estates Account	\$80
(4)	Table A Item 11(a)(i)	On every payment of money out of the Bankruptcy Estates Account, where the money consists of unclaimed dividends, on each dividend paid out	\$50 on every \$1,000 or fraction of \$1,000
(5)	Table A Item 11(a)(ii)	On every payment of money out of the Bankruptcy Estates Account, where the money consists of undistributed funds or balances, on the amount paid out	\$50 on every \$1,000 or fraction of \$1,000
(6)	Table A Item 11(b)	The total fees taken under No. (4) shall not exceed \$37,500 in each bankruptcy	See Description of fee item
(7)	Table A Item 16	Application by a member of the public to the Official Receiver for a search on whether a bankruptcy petition has been presented against a person or firm	\$80
(8)	Table A Item 17	Application by a member of the public to the Official Receiver for issue of a non-bankruptcy certificate for a person	\$190

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(9)	Table A Item 18	For insertion in the Gazette of a notice relating to bankruptcy	\$330
(10)	Table B Item 1	On payments made by the Official Receiver into any bank account opened by him in his capacity as nominee under a voluntary arrangement, after deducting any sums paid to secured creditors in respect of their securities, and not being monies received and spent in carrying on the business of a debtor	10%
(11)	Table B Item 1A	<p>For the Official Receiver acting as interim trustee, or trustee to administer a debtor's or bankrupt's property, on every payment made into the Official Receiver in Bankruptcy Account</p> <p>The payment referred to in this paragraph does not include any of the following –</p> <p>(a) sums that are payable to secured creditors in respect of their securities;</p> <p>(b) money received in carrying on the business of the debtor or bankrupt</p>	\$170
(12)	Table B Item 2(a)	On the amount distributed to creditors by the Official Receiver when acting as nominee under a voluntary arrangement	5%
(13)	Table B Item 2(b)	For the work done by the Official Receiver in connection with an approved voluntary arrangement to which the Official Receiver was not appointed to act as nominee by the creditors at the meeting	A fee of such amount as the appointed nominee and the Official Receiver may agree or as the court may approve

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(14)	Table B Item 3	On the amount paid to preferential creditors or distributed in dividend by the Official Receiver when acting otherwise than as nominee under an approved voluntary arrangement	5%
(15)	Table B Item 4	For the Official Receiver acting as interim trustee of the property of a debtor under section 13, in addition to the percentage chargeable on realizations, on every order	\$1,000
(16)	Table B Item 4	In addition, where the order is in force for a longer period than 14 days, for every 7 days after the first 14, and for every fraction of 7 days	\$1,000
(17)	Table B Item 5(a)	For all official stationery, printing and postage within Hong Kong; and to include notices to creditors of meetings and sittings of the court and room hire for a number of creditors and bankrupts not exceeding 10	\$620
(18)	Table B Item 5(b)	Thereafter for every 10 additional creditors and bankrupts or part thereof  This fee does not include the charge which may be made by the Official Receiver on calling a meeting at the request of creditors, for which provision is made in No. (18)	\$620

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(19)	Table B Item 6	Where the Official Receiver calls a meeting at the request of the creditors, the costs of summoning the meeting, including all disbursements for stationery, printing and postage within Hong Kong	\$1,440 Any charge for hiring a room outside the Official Receiver's Office by reason of the large number of creditors shall be additional to the above sum
(20)	Table B Item 7	For the Official Receiver supervising a special manager or the carrying on of a bankrupt's business	Such amount as the court, on application of the Official Receiver, may consider reasonable
(21)	Table B Item 8	Travelling, keeping possession and other reasonable expenses of Official Receiver	The amount disbursed
(22)	Table B Item 9(a)(b)(i)	On the aggregate amount of the assets realized and brought to credit there shall be paid -  (a) in respect of estates in which the Official Receiver acts as trustee, when he accounts to the court under section 86B(2); (b) in respect of estates in which the Official Receiver is not acting as trustee, when the trustee provides his accounts to the Official Receiver under section 93(1A).	On the first \$500,000 or fraction thereof  \$100 on every \$1,000 or fraction thereof

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(23)	Table B Item 9(a)(b)(ii)	On the next \$500,000 or fraction thereof	\$75 on every \$1,000 or fraction thereof
(24)	Table B Item 9(a)(b)(iii)	On the next \$4,000,000 or fraction thereof	\$65 on every \$1,000 or fraction thereof
(25)	Table B Item 9(a)(b)(iv)	On the next \$5,000,000 or fraction thereof	\$37.5 on every \$1,000 or fraction thereof
(26)	Table B Item 9(a)(b)(v)	On the next \$40,000,000 or fraction thereof	\$20 on every \$1,000 or fraction thereof
(27)	Table B Item 9(a)(b)(vi)	On all further amounts	\$10 on every \$1,000 or fraction thereof
(28)	Table B Item 10	Where the Official Receiver performs any special duties not provided for under the other paragraphs of Table B in the Bankruptcy (Fees and Percentages) Order	Such amount as the court, on the application of the Official Receiver, may consider reasonable
(29)	Table B Item 11	Notwithstanding the fees and charges prescribed in the foregoing paragraphs, where the Official Receiver acts as trustee to administer a bankrupt's property	The total fees and charges under Table B shall not be less than \$11,250

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(30)	Bankruptcy Rules 52A	Unless the applicant is also the nominee, where an application is made for an interim order under section 20A of the Ordinance, the applicant or some other person on his behalf shall, at the time of making the application, deposit with the nominee the sum of \$12,150, and such further sum (if any) as the applicant and nominee may agree to or as the court may from time to time direct, to cover the fees, expenses and remuneration to be incurred by the nominee in connection with the work done by him in respect of the voluntary arrangement	See Description of fee item
(31)	Bankruptcy Rules 52(1)	Upon the presentation of a petition by the debtor or by a creditor, the petitioner shall deposit with the Official Receiver the sum of \$8,000 or \$11,250 respectively, and such further sum (if any) as the court may from time to time direct, to cover the fees and expenses to be incurred by the Official Receiver, and no petition shall be received unless the receipt of the Official Receiver for the deposit payable on the presentation of the petition is produced to the Registrar	(i) Deposit in relation to a petition by the debtor - \$8,000  (ii) Deposit in relation to a petition by creditors - \$11,250
(32)	Decision of court	Costs awarded by the court to the Official Receiver in respect of bankruptcy cases	Such amount as awarded by the court
(33)	Bankruptcy Ordinance S.128(4)	After any money has remained unclaimed in the Bankruptcy Estates Account over 5 years the Official Receiver may transfer such money to the general revenue of Hong Kong	Such amount as may be available

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(34)	Bankruptcy Ordinance S.128A(2)	The Official Receiver shall transfer to the general revenue any interest paid in respect of deposits under (a) Bankruptcy Estates Account (b) account operated by the Official Receiver in Bankruptcy Account	Total bank interest

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