STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2016 No. 1138

ARMORIAL BEARINGS, ENSIGNS AND FLAGS

The Lyon Court and Office Fees (Variation) (Reserved Functions) Order 2016

Made - - - -	*22nd November 2016*
Laid before Parliament	*24th November 2016*
Coming into force - -	*1st January 2017*

The Secretary of State makes the following Order in exercise of the powers conferred by section 5 of, as read with paragraph 3 of Schedule 3 to, the Public Expenditure and Receipts Act 1968(**1**).

Citation, commencement, extent and interpretation

1.—(1) This Order may be cited as the Lyon Court and Office Fees (Variation) (Reserved Functions) Order 2016 and comes into force on 1st January 2017.

(2) This Order extends to Scotland only.

(3) In this Order "the 1867 Act" means the Lyon King of Arms Act 1867(**2**).

Variation of fees

2. Schedule B to the 1867 Act(**3**) is amended in accordance with article 3 of this Order.

3.—(1) For the period from the coming into force of this Order until 31st December 2017, the table set out in Schedule 1 to this Order is substituted for the table in Part 1 of Schedule B to the 1867 Act.

(2) For the period from 1st January 2018 to 31st December 2018, the table set out in Schedule 2 to this Order is substituted for the table in Part 1 of Schedule B to the 1867 Act.

(3) For the period from 1st January 2019, the table set out in Schedule 3 to this Order is substituted for the table in Part 1 of Schedule B to the 1867 Act.

4. The Lyon Court and Office Fees (Variation) Order 2008(**4**) is revoked.

(**1**) 1968 c.14.
(**2**) 1867 c.17.
(**3**) Schedule B was relevantly amended by article 3, and Schedules 1 and 2, to S.I. 2008/1166 and by article 3, and the Schedule, to S.S.I. 2008/168.
(**4**) S.I. 2008/1166.

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Secretary of State
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22nd November 2016

SCHEDULE 1 Article 3(1)

PART 1

Fees payable in respect of reserved functions

Column 1 *(Matter to which fee relates)*	*Column 2* *(Fee payable from 1st January 2017)* £
1. On every patent of arms	700.00
2. On every patent of crest	600.00
3. On every patent of supporters	460.00
4. On every patent of arms with supporters to a commercial organisation	2500.00
5. On every patent of arms without supporters to a commercial organisation	1900.00
6. On lodging a petition in respect of paragraphs 1, 2, 3 and 4 (which sum is then deducted from the total fees due on completion)	350.00
7. On every reprographic extract from a digital image of a register Maximum charge	100.00
8. On every other extract from a register	30.00
9. On affixing seal of office to warrant, decree or precept	30.00
10. On the appointment of a herald	10.00
11. On the appointment of a pursuivant	10.00

Note: In Part 1—

(a) "commercial organisation" means—

(i) any partnership within the meaning of section 1 (definition of partnership) of the Partnership Act 1890(**5**);
(ii) any limited liability partnership incorporated under section 2 (incorporation document etc.) of the Limited Liability Partnerships Act 2000(**6**);
(iii) any company registered under the Companies Acts; or
(iv) any overseas company having an established place of business in the United Kingdom,

but does not include companies registered for charitable purposes, community interest companies within the meaning of Part 2 (community interest companies) of the Companies (Audit, Investigations and Community Enterprise) Act 2004(**7**) or private companies limited by guarantee; and

(**5**) 1890 c.39; section 1 of the 1890 Act was amended by paragraph 2 of Schedule 1 to S.I 2009/1941 and section 1 of, and Part X of Schedule 1 to, the Statute Law (Repeals) Act 1998 c.43.
(**6**) 2000 c.12; section 2 was modified by paragraphs 1(2), 1(3), 1(4)(a), 1(4)(b), 1(4)(c), and 1(6) of Part 1 of Schedule 3 to S.I. 2009/1804; and amended by paragraph 1(6) of Part 1 of Schedule 3 to S.I. 2009/1804 and paragraphs 1(a) and (b) of Schedule 3 to S.I. 2016/340.
(**7**) 2004 c.27.