

LSS Criminal Tariff Quick Reference

This is a quick reference guide of the most commonly billed items only. For complete instructions, see the Billing items section of the *Criminal Tariff*.

| Tariff service provided (alphabetical listing) | Offence level | | | | | | Important – Selected billing rules (see Billing Items section for all rules) |
|--|----------------------|-------------|-------------------------|-------------|--------------------|-------------|---|
| | Summary ¹ | | Indictable ² | | Major ³ | | |
| | Fee | Tariff Code | Fee | Tariff Code | Fee | Tariff Code | |
| Bail matters in Provincial Court | \$125 | 0170 | \$150 | 0180 | \$200 | 0185 | Billable per half day. |
| Bail matters in Supreme Court | \$350 | 0195 | \$400 | 0200 | \$600 | 0205 | Billable per half day. Prior authorization is required except for bail applications for murder and other s.469 offences. |
| Contested fitness hearing | \$450 | 0250 | \$450 | 0255 | \$450 | 0260 | Billable per half day. |
| Multiple information resolution (per additional info) | \$90 | 0330 | \$120 | 0340 | \$150 | 0350 | Billable once per Information. |
| Non-trial resolution | \$200 | 0300 | \$300 | 0310 | \$475 | 0320 | Billable where a matter is resolved without a preliminary hearing or trial. |
| Preliminary hearing (first two half days) | n/a | | \$600 | 0400 | \$800 | 0410 | Billable for the first two half days regardless of when they occur. |
| Preliminary hearing (subsequent half days) | n/a | | \$300 | 0420 | \$400 | 0430 | Billable if evidence is led, witness(es) called, argument made on admissibility of evidence or on disclosure of third party records, or a decision is made. |
| Provincial Court fee | \$85 | 0100 | \$100 | 0105 | \$175 | 0110 | Billable once per referral. |
| Sentencing | \$100 | 0360 | \$125 | 0370 | \$200 | 0380 | Billable per half day of sentencing when you appear in court and substantive representation on sentence is made, evidence is led, or a decision is made. |
| Supreme Court fee | n/a | | \$300 | 0120 | \$350 | 0130 | Billable once per referral. |
| Travel | \$180 | 0850 | \$180 | 0860 | \$180 | 0870 | Travel authorization is required, unless travel was for one interview of a client in custody. Maximum billable per date is \$180 when other fees are claimed. |
| Trial (first two half days) | \$600 | 0500 | \$800 | 0510 | \$1400 | 0520 | Billable for the first two half days regardless of when they occur. |
| Trial (subsequent half days) | \$390 | 0540 | \$490 | 0545 | \$700 | 0550 | Billable if evidence is led, witness(es) called, argument made on admissibility of evidence or on disclosure of third party records, or a decision is made. |
| Visiting clients in custody | \$90 | 0140 | \$90 | 0150 | \$90 | 0160 | Billable once per date and location regardless of how many clients visited. |

¹ Summary includes hybrids where the Crown proceeds summarily and maximum is six months.

² Indictable includes summary matters where minimum sentence is greater than six months, except for breach of probation. Includes unlawful confinement or abduction cases where the Crown proceeds summarily.

³ Major level is all non-SCAP cases for the following offences: murder, attempted murder, manslaughter, aggravated sexual assault, sexual assault with a weapon or causing bodily harm, kidnapping, and dangerous and long-term offender hearings. Includes unlawful confinement or abduction cases where the Crown proceeds by indictment.

Understanding the LSS Criminal Tariff Quick Reference

| Section | Explanation |
|------------------------------------|---|
| Disclaimer | This quick reference chart is a summary of the fees and codes for the most commonly billed criminal tariff items, and also highlights some important billing rules. It is meant for general reference purposes only. Refer to the rest of the Criminal Tariff chapter of <i>LSS Tariffs</i> for the entire official Criminal Tariff. LSS will not be liable or responsible for damages of any kind arising out of the use of this reference. |
| Tariff service provided | This is an alphabetical list of selected Criminal Tariff items. |
| Offence level | This section is divided into columns for each of the three offence levels (summary, indictable, and major) with sub-columns indicating the applicable fees and tariff codes. Where “n/a” appears, the service is not billable for that offence level. |
| Important – Selected billing rules | Items in the Criminal Tariff have comprehensive billing rules, only some of which are noted here. It is important that you refer to the entire Criminal Tariff chapter for all billing rules before billing for services. |