

Subsidiary Legislation made under s.24.

Testing and Adjustment Fees Regulations, 1986

LN.1986/034

Commencement **1.5.1986**

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Title and commencement.

1.(1) These regulations may be cited as the Testing and Adjustment Fees Regulations, 1986.

(2) These regulations shall come into operation on the 1st day of May, 1986.

Fees Schedule.

2.(1) The fees prescribed in the Schedule shall be payable in respect of the testing of any item of weighing or measuring equipment in accordance with the Act with a view to its being passed as fit for the use for trade and stamped.

(2) The prescribed fee shall be payable whether or not the equipment is passed as fit for use for trade and stamped.

(3) The fees prescribed in the Schedule shall be payable in respect of the testing of any item of weighing or measuring equipment submitted under section 21 of the Act.

(4) The fee to be paid for the adjustment of any weight or measure in the course of a service provided by section 22 shall be twice the amount prescribed as the fee for testing it.

Revocation.

3. The Weights and Measures (Testing and Adjustment Fees) Regulations, 1984, are revoked.

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Regulation 2.

SYMBOLS AND ABBREVIATIONS.

In this Schedule, the symbols and abbreviations employed to refer to units of measurement, refer to such units as follows:-

<i>Imperial</i>	<i>Metric</i>
ft - foot	m - metre
in - inch	m ³ - cubic metre
lb - pound	kg - kilogram
oz - ounce	l - litre
gal - gallon	
qt - quart	
pt - pint	
fl oz - fluid ounce	

A Linear Measures (with or without divisions or sub-divisions), each measure-

(1) With imperial and metric scales, both being tested-

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The scales exceeding 10 ft and 3m respectively	8.40
One scale exceeding 10 ft and the other not exceeding 3m (or vice versa)	5.60
other	2.80

(2) With imperial or metric scale or when only one scale is tested-

Exceeding 10 ft (if imperial) or 3m (if metric)	4.20
other	1.40

B. Capacity Measures-

(1) Without divisions or sub-divisions-

Of glass or earthenware not exceeding 1 pt (if imperial) or 1 litre (if metric) submitted in quantities of one gross or more at any one time, per dozen:	1.40
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Not exceeding 1 qt (if imperial) or 1 litre (if metric):	0.60
Exceeding 1 qt but not exceeding 1 gal (if imperial):	0.80
Exceeding 1 litre but not exceeding 5 litres (if metric):	0.80
Imperial, exceeding 1 gal-	
For the first gallon of the capacity;	0.80
For each additional gallon thereof:	0.60
Metric, exceeding 5 litres-	
For the first 5 litres of the capacity:	0.80
For each additional 5 litres thereof.	0.60

(2) With divisions or sub-divisions, each measure—

(a) not exceeding 1 qt (if imperial) or 1 litre (if metric)—

With four graduations or less;	0.60
For each additional graduation;	0.30

(b) exceeding 1 qt but not exceeding 1 gal (if imperial) or exceeding 1 litre but not exceeding 5 litres—

(if metric) each graduation;	0.30
Exceeding 1 gal (if imperial) of 5 litres (if metric), each graduation	0.60
C. Cubic ballast measures, each brim measure-	12.60

D. Measuring instruments for measuring liquid fuel or lubricants, or mixtures thereof, each instrument—

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| (1) Container types, unsubdivided; | 14.00 |
| (2) Multi-grade types (with a price-computing device and displays common to all grade) - for retesting solely on the occasion of an adjustment in the price computing device; | 14.00 |
| otherwise; | 44.80 |
| (3) Other types (single)- | |
| (with price-computing device) for retesting solely on the occasion of an adjustment in the pricecomputing device; | 7.00 |
| otherwise. | 26.60 |

E. Measuring instruments for intoxicating liquor, each instrument-

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	£
Not exceeding 5 fl oz;	1.10
other	3.40

F. Weights—

- (1) Imperial weights exceeding 10 lb, troy weights exceeding 10 oz troy, metric weights exceeding 5 kg, each weight 0.80
- (2) Other weights, each 0.60

G. Weighing Instruments—

- (1) Instruments calibrated to weigh in both imperial and metric units—
150 per cent of the fee which would be payable if the instrument were calibrated to weigh only in the imperial system or only in the metric system or, where those fees differ, 150 per cent of the higher, rounded, where appropriate, to the nearest ten pence.

- (2) Instruments calibrated to weigh only in imperial or metric units—

- (a) automatic weighing machines, including machines for totalising a succession of predetermined loads, each machine or (where the machine has two or more weighing units in which each complete the weighing of the load independently) each weighing unit—

Capacity, as marked on the machine—

Not exceeding 34 lb (if imperial) or 15 kg (if metric)	15.40
Exceeding 34 lb but not exceeding 112 lbs (if imperial) or Exceeding 15 kg but not exceeding 50 kg (if metric)	21.00
Exceeding 112 lbs but not exceeding 1 ton (if imperial) or Exceeding 50 kg but not exceeding 1 tonne (if metric)	35.00
Exceeding 1 ton but not exceeding 10 tons (if imperial) or Exceeding 1 tonne but not exceeding 10 tonnes (if metric);	58.80
Exceeding 10 tons (if imperial) or 10 tonnes (if metric)	72.80

- (b) totalising machines (other than automatic machines described in (a) above), each machine 117.60
- (c) all other weighing instruments—

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Each instrument or (if fitted with two or more weigh tables or platforms connected to one or more indicating mechanisms), each weigh table or platform-capacity as marked on the machines-	
Not exceeding 34 lb (if imperial) or 15 kg (if metric);	2.80
Exceeding 34 lb but not exceeding 224 lbs (if imperial); or	
Exceeding 15 kg but not exceeding 100 kg (if metric);	4.50
Exceeding 224 lbs but not exceeding 560 lbs (if imperial);	
or	
Exceeding 100 kg but not exceeding 250 kg (if metric);	7.00
Exceeding 560 lbs but not exceeding 1 ton (if imperial); or	
Exceeding 250 kg but not exceeding 1 tonne (if metric);	11.20
Exceeding 1 ton but not exceeding 10 tons (if imperial); or	
Exceeding 1 tonne but not exceeding 10 tonnes (if metric);	26.60
Exceeding 10 tons but not exceeding 30 tons (if imperial);	
or	
Exceeding 10 tonnes but not exceeding 30 tonnes (if metric);	117.60
Exceeding 30 tons (if imperial) or 30 tonnes (if metric).	145.60