

**The Fire Services (Fees and Charges) (Guernsey)  
Regulations, 2015**

<i>Made</i>	2015
<i>Laid before the States</i>	2015
<i>Coming into operation</i>	2015

**THE HOME DEPARTMENT**, in exercise of the powers conferred on it by sections 1A(1), 12(4AB), 24(2A) and 26A of the Fire Services (Guernsey) Law, 1989<sup>a</sup> and section 17 of the Fire Services (Guernsey) (Amendment) Law, 2014<sup>b</sup> hereby makes the following regulations:-

**Fees and charges for equipment and services.**

1. Schedule 1 prescribes the rate at which, and manner in which, the fee or charge for the provision of equipment and services by agreement between the Committee and another person under section 1A(1) of the Law is to be calculated.

<sup>a</sup> Ordres en Conseil Vol. XXXI, p. 432; as amended by Ordres en Conseil Vol. XXXVII, p. 454; Order in Council No. V of 2015; Recueil d'Ordonnances Tome XXVI, p. 57; Tome XXIX, p. 406. See also Ordres en Conseil Vol. XXVI, p. 264; Vol. XXIX, p. 207; Ordinance No. VII of 2010; the Resolution of the States of Guernsey of 24th April, 1991 (Billet XI, proposition 1(4)).

<sup>b</sup> Order in Council No. V of 2015.

**Fees for notifications relating to controlled premises.**

2. For the purposes of section 12(4AB) of the Law, Schedule 2 prescribes the fee which must accompany written notice of each event specified in section 12(4AA) of the Law, other than an event specified in section 12(4AA)(d) (premises ceasing to become controlled premises).

**Charges for provision of Committee's views.**

3. For the purposes of section 24(2A) of the Law, Schedule 3 prescribes the rate at which, and manner in which, the fee or charge payable to the Committee for providing its views upon being consulted by an Authority on an application of the kind specified in section 24(2) of the Law is to be calculated.

**Interpretation.**

4. (1) In these regulations, unless the context requires otherwise -

"**Authority**" has the meaning given by section 24(4) of the Law,

"**enactment**" means any Law, Ordinance or subordinate legislation,

"**the Law**" means the Fire Services (Guernsey) Law, 1989, and

"**subordinate legislation**" means any regulation, rule, order, rule of court, resolution, scheme, byelaw or other instrument made under any enactment and having legislative effect.

(2) Any reference in these regulations to an enactment is a reference thereto as from time to time amended, re-enacted (with or without modification), extended and applied.

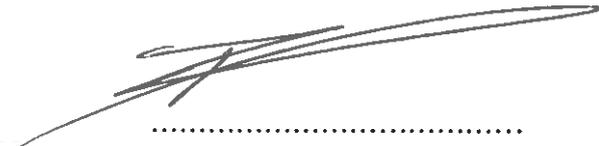
**Citation.**

5. These Regulations may be cited as the Fire Services (Fees and Charges) (Guernsey) Regulations, 2015.

**Commencement of Amendment Law of 2014 and these Regulations.**

6. The Fire Services (Guernsey) (Amendment) Law, 2014 and these Regulations come into force on the 1<sup>st</sup> March, 2015.

Dated this 2 of MARCH 2015.

  
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DEPUTY PETER GILLSON  
Minister of the Home Department  
For and on behalf of the Department

**SCHEDULE 1**  
**FEEES AND CHARGES FOR EQUIPMENT AND SERVICES**  
**PROVIDED BY AGREEMENT**

Regulation 1

**Part I**

*Rates and abbreviations*

Rates

- Band A = £45.51 per hour, for the services of CFO, DCFO, DO, FSM, HFS or HOO.
- Band B = £33.31 per hour, for the services of CC, FSS, Instructor or WC.
- Band C = £26.88 per hour, for the services of FF.
- Band D = £19.48 per hour, for administration services.

Abbreviations

CC	Crew Commander
CFO	Chief Fire Officer
DCFO	Deputy Chief Fire Officer
DO	Duty Officer (manager in charge of fire station at the time)
FF	Firefighter
FSM	Fire Safety Manager
FSS	Fire Safety Staff
HFS	Head of Fire Safety
HOO	Head of Operations
WC	Watch Commander

Part II  
*Fees and Charges for Services*

Service	Rate and manner of calculation
Testing of fire safety facilities – dry risers	Bands B, C and D as applicable, together with the applicable fee or charge for a Special Appliance.
Fire marshal training – standard course	£30 per person, minimum of 10 attendees
Fire marshal training – bespoke	Bands B and D as applicable.
Fire extinguisher training – standard water, CO2 and dry powder extinguishers	£30 per person, minimum of 10 attendees
Fire extinguisher training – other extinguishers	Bands B and D as applicable plus cost of consumable materials.
Preliminary assessments and consultation on drafts of plans of premises proposed to be put to a designated use deposited with the Environment Department (as mentioned in section 24(1) of the Law), or on applications proposed to be made to an Authority (as mentioned in section 24(2) of the Law).	Bands A, B and D as applicable.
<p>Inspection, testing or maintenance of, and consultation in relation to, fire alarm systems (including alarm receiving centres) or emergency lighting systems.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• inspection and sign off of fire alarm systems and emergency lighting systems;</li> <li>• inspection of fire alarm systems (prior to accepting a link from an alarm receiving centre).</li> </ul>	Bands A, B and D as applicable.
Any use of the services of staff of the Guernsey Fire & Rescue Service falling within section 1A(1)(b) or (c) of the Law, but not covered by any of the descriptions above.	Bands A, B, C and D as applicable.

Part III

*Fees and Charges for Equipment and Crew*

<b>Equipment</b>	<b>Rate and manner of calculation</b>
Turntable ladder and crew	£323.00 per hour, or part thereof (inclusive of crew)
Water tender and crew	£310.00 per hour, or part thereof (inclusive of crew)
Tanker (or Emergency tender) and crew	£275.00 per hour, or part thereof (inclusive of crew)

**SCHEDULE 2**  
**FEE TO ACCOMPANY NOTICE OF CONTROLLED PREMISES**

**Regulation 2**

Fee for notice of each event	£69.87
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### SCHEDULE 3

#### CHARGES PAYABLE IN RESPECT OF MANDATORY CONSULTATION

Regulation 3

The rates and abbreviations specified in Part I of Schedule 1 have effect as if they were rates and abbreviations specified in this Schedule.

<b>Application</b>	<b>Authority</b>	<b>Services required for Committee to form its views on the application</b>	<b>Calculation of charge (in £)</b>
Any application	Any Authority	Inspection of premises when an application is made, and reporting.	Bands A, B and D as applicable.

**EXPLANATORY NOTE**  
*(This Note is not part of the Regulations.)*

These Regulations prescribe fees and charges for equipment and services provided by agreement with the Home Department (acting through the Guernsey Fire & Rescue Service) ("**the Department**"), fees for notification of controlled premises, and charges in respect of mandatory consultation with the Department.

These Regulations will come into force on the 1<sup>st</sup> March, 2015, and will bring into force the Fire Services (Guernsey) (Amendment) Law, 2014 on the same date.

