

BLACKPOOL COUNCIL

DEMOCRATIC SERVICES

REGISTRARS

REVIEW OF FEES AND CHARGES 2014/15

CLASSIFICATION	DESCRIPTION OF CHARGE	DATE OF LAST REVISION	2013/2014	2014/2015	INCREASE	
			EXISTING CHARGE	RECOMMENDED CHARGE		
			£	£	%	
Registrars Service - Approved Premises	Approval of Premises:					
	Application Fee:					
	- Up to 2 rooms	1.4.13	£1,200.00	£1,200.00	0.00	
	- Each additional room	1.4.13	£310.00	£310.00	0.00	
	- After an initial approval, for extra rooms or changed configuration	1.4.13	£700.00	£700.00	0.00	
	Review of Proper Officer's decision to refuse an application	1.4.13	£700.00	£700.00	0.00	
	Renewal Certificate:					
	- Existing Rooms	1.4.13	£700.00	£700.00	0.00	
	- If renewal involves an additional room to those on existing certificate	1.4.13	£310.00	£310.00	0.00	
	Hire of Council Chamber:					
	- Monday to Thursday (Hire of Room + Registrars Fee)	1.4.13	£380.00	£285.00	-25.00	
	- Friday	1.4.13	£490.00	£350.00	-28.57	
	- Saturday	1.4.13	£550.00	£400.00	-27.27	
	One-off approval of a venue for non statutory ceremony	1.4.13	£275.00	£275.00	0.00	
	Tower Festival Headland - Ceremony Fees					
	Tower View Room:					
	- Monday to Thursday	1.4.13	£190.00	£200.00	5.26	
	- Friday	1.4.13	£245.00	£250.00	2.04	
	- Saturday	1.4.13	£275.00	£285.00	3.64	
	- Sunday / Bank Holiday	1.4.13	£325.00	£300.00	-7.69	
	- Naming Days - Sundays Only (incl commemorative certificate)	1.10.13	£199.00	£199.00	0.00	
	Sea View Room:					
	- Monday to Thursday	1.4.13	£100.00	£110.00	10.00	
	- Friday	1.4.13	£185.00	£195.00	5.41	
	- Saturday	1.4.13	£225.00	£235.00	4.44	
	- Sunday / Bank Holiday	1.4.13	£275.00	£250.00	-9.09	
	Evening Ceremonies - Tower View Only					
	- Thursday	1.4.13	£245.00	£225.00	-8.16	
	- Friday	1.4.13	£275.00	£275.00	0.00	
	- Saturday	1.4.13	£305.00	£300.00	-1.64	
	Marriages/Civil Partnerships in Approved Premises					
	- Monday to Thursday	1.4.13	£285.00	£300.00	5.26	
	- Friday	1.4.13	£305.00	£320.00	4.92	
- Saturday	1.4.13	£340.00	£360.00	5.88		
- Sunday / Bank Holiday	1.4.13	£375.00	£380.00	1.33		
Evening Ceremonies						
- Thursday	1.4.13	£305.00	£310.00	1.64		
- Friday	1.4.13	£340.00	£330.00	-2.94		
- Saturday	1.4.13	£375.00	£375.00	0.00		
Double Wedding/Civil Partnership						
- Monday to Thursday	1.4.13	£345.00	£345.00	0.00		
- Friday	1.4.13	£365.00	£365.00	0.00		
- Saturday	1.4.13	£430.00	£430.00	0.00		
- Sunday / Bank Holiday	1.4.13	£460.00	£460.00	0.00		
- Commemorative Certificates	1.4.13	£8.00	£8.00	0.00		
Civil Partnerships in Religious Buildings						
- Application for approval of premises	1.4.13	£120.00	£120.00	0.00		
- Fee for attendance to register any ceremonies after approval	1.4.13	£84.00	£84.00	0.00		
Citizenship Ceremonies						
Individual Ceremonies:						
- Register Office	1.4.13	£130.00	£140.00	7.69		
- Approved Premises	1.4.13	£260.00	£275.00	5.77		
Non Statutory Ceremonies						
At Other Venues:						
- Monday to Thursday	1.4.13	£285.00	£300.00	5.26		
- Friday	1.4.13	£305.00	£320.00	4.92		
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	Provisional Booking Fee	1.4.13	£30.00	£35.00	16.67
	Admin Charge (Postal and online credit/debit card payments)	1.4.13	£2.00	£2.00	0.00
	<u>NCS Checking Service:</u>				
	- Single Adult	1.10.13	£80.00	£65.00	8.33
	- Husband & Wife	1.10.13	£100.00	£110.00	10.00
	- Children (Under 18)	1.10.13	£30.00	£35.00	16.67
	- Family (Husband, Wife & Up to 2 Children)	1.10.13	£140.00	£150.00	7.14
	- Additional Children	1.10.13	£25.00	£30.00	20.00
<u>Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages (Note 1)</u>	<u>Fees Payable to Registration Officer</u>				
	For general search in indexes in his office not exceeding six successive hours	1.4.13	£18.00	£18.00	0.00
	For each verification exceeding the six covered by the general search fee	1.4.13	£0.00	£0.00	
	<u>Certificates - Superintendent Registrar:</u>				
	Standard certificate of birth, death or marriage	1.4.13	£10.00	£10.00	0.00
	Photographic copy of an entry of birth, death or marriage	1.4.13	£10.00	£10.00	0.00
	Certificate of birth, death or marriage for certain statutory purposes - 3 Day Service	1.4.13	£10.00	£10.00	0.00
	Same Day Service (incl of VAT)	1.4.13	£22.00	£28.00	27.27
	Short certificate of birth	1.4.13	£10.00	£10.00	0.00
	<u>Certificates - Registrar:</u>				
	Standard certificate of birth, death or marriage (at time of registration)	1.4.13	£4.00	£4.00	0.00
	Standard certificate of birth, death or marriage (after time of registration)	1.4.13	£10.00	£10.00	0.00
	Short certificate of birth (other than the first issued at the time of registration at birth)	1.4.13	£10.00	£10.00	0.00
	Short certificate of birth (after time of registration)	1.4.13	£10.00	£10.00	0.00
	<u>Marriages - Superintendent Registrar:</u>				
	For attending at the residence of a housebound or detained person to attest notice of marriage/partnership	1.4.13	£35.00	£35.00	0.00
	For entering notice of marriage in a marriage book/partnership	1.4.13	£35.00	£35.00	0.00
	<u>Marriages - Registrar:</u>				
	For attending a marriage solemnised in a Register Office	1.4.13	£45.00	£45.00	0.00
	For registering a civil partnership	1.4.13	£45.00	£45.00	0.00
	For a attending a marriage solemnised in a registered building	1.4.13	£84.00	£84.00	0.00
	For attending a marriage at the residence of a household or detained person	1.4.13	£161.00	£161.00	0.00
	<u>Certification for Worship and Registration for Marriage Superintendent Registrar</u>				
	Certification of a place or meeting for religious worship	1.4.13	£24.00	£24.00	0.00
	Registration of a building for the solemnisation or marriages	1.4.13	£82.00	£82.00	0.00
	<u>Civil Partnerships</u>				
	Certified copy at time of registration	1.4.13	£4.00	£4.00	0.00
	Certified copy after time of registration	1.4.13	£10.00	£10.00	0.00
	Notice of Partnership	1.4.13	£35.00	£35.00	0.00
	Attendance elsewhere for housebound or detained person notice	1.4.13	£79.00	£79.00	0.00
	<u>Registration</u>				
	Signing of civil partnership register	1.4.13	£45.00	£45.00	0.00
	Attendance elsewhere for housebound or detained person signing the civil partnership register.	1.4.13	£79.00	£79.00	0.00

Note 1: All fees are set by the Registrar General on a national basis, and have not yet been received.

Note 2: Non Statutory Ceremony fees include VAT, all other fees are non-vatable

Note 3: Same Sex Marriage Ceremonies will be as subject to the same fee's and charges as all ceremony bookings