

Petty Debts Fees and Payments

Important changes to the

[Stamp Duties and Fees \(Jersey\) Law 1998](#)

From Monday 28 April 2025:

* **Court fees are increasing**

| <u>Claim amount</u> | <u>Current Fee</u> | <u>New Fee</u> |
|-----------------------|--------------------|----------------|
| Up to £100 | £7 | £7 |
| £100.01 to £500 | £16 | £18 |
| £500.01 to £1,000 | £35 | £43 |
| £1,000.01 to £5,000 | £90 | £104 |
| £5,000.01 to £10,000 | £130 | £151 |
| £10,000.01 to £15,000 | £165 | £191 |
| £15,000.01 to £25,000 | £220 | £255 |
| £25,000.01 to £30,000 | £330 | £383 |

- * **Court fees will be payable upfront and will no longer be refunded** if you withdraw your claim because the debt has been paid. Refunds will only be granted in exceptional circumstances (*See Article 9 of the Law*).

- * **Treasury receipts will disappear.** The Court will accept these up to 3 months after the changes to the law come into effect. Unused receipts may be returned to the Treasurer for a refund during these 3 months only.

* **Court fees will be payable either:**

- **online, at Gov.je.**

Make sure you pay the correct fee (see above) and keep the receipt for the Greffier.

- **or by debit/credit card** at the Magistrate's Court Greffe.