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MATRIMONIAL PROCEEDINGS ACT 1984

ENACTED BY THE PARLIAMENT OF TUVALU

Commencement [27th April 1982]

1 Citation

These Rules may be cited as the Magistrates' Courts (Matrimonial Fees) Rules.

2 Fees Schedule

The fees prescribed in the Schedule to these Rules shall be charged in respect of the matters to which they are respectively assigned.

3 Payment

These prescribed fees shall be paid to the Clerk to the Magistrate's Court in which the Petition is presented.

4 Magistrate's court may waive fees

A magistrate's court may, if it thinks fit dispense with the payment of fee on account of the poverty of any party or for other sufficient reason.

SCHEDULE*(Rule 2)***FEES IN MATRIMONIAL CAUSES**

1. Filing a petition	\$25.00
2. Filing an answer which contains no cross petition	Nil
3. Filing an answer containing a cross petition	\$12.00
4. Filing any application	\$5.00
5. Providing any sealed copy of duplicate certificate	Cost to court of preparing the same to be assessed by clerk.
6. Service or arranging for service of any document.	Cost to court of serving or arranging for service to service of the same to be assessed by the clerk

ENDNOTES**Table of Legislation History**

Legislation	Year and No	Commencement

Table of Renumbered Provisions

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