

Supreme Court of Florida

No. AOSC10-23

Corrected

IN RE: ADOPTION OF FEES FOR CERTIFICATION AND
 REGULATION OF COURT INTERPRETERS

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER

Section 25.386, Florida Statutes, places in the Supreme Court of Florida the responsibility for establishing minimum standards and procedures for qualifications, certification, professional conduct, discipline and training of foreign language court interpreters. Pursuant to this authority, the Court adopted the Florida Rules for Certification and Regulation of Court Interpreters.

Rule 14.110(g) grants the Court Interpreter Certification Board the responsibility to recommend to the Supreme Court “such fees as the board may deem necessary to permit it to carry out its duties, including, but not limited to, orientation fees, examination fees, and renewal fees.” Accordingly, the board has submitted two recommendations to the Court.

First, the board recommends that the Court give approval to the board to impose a late filing fee for certified court interpreters. The late filing fee is to be assessed if the biennial renewal fee or other forms are not received within the sixty day grace period following the date certification expires.

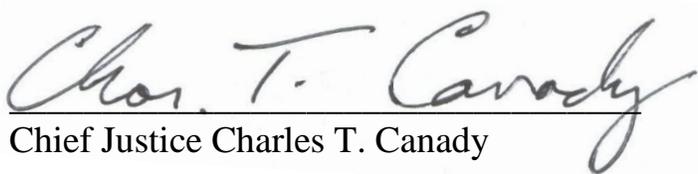
Second, the board recommends that at an application fee be assessed for prospective continuing interpreter education providers, equal to fifty dollars (\$50.00) per activity, but not to exceed three hundred dollars (\$300.00) per two-year period.

After consideration of the board's recommendations, the Court hereby adopts the following fee schedule, effective July 1, 2010.

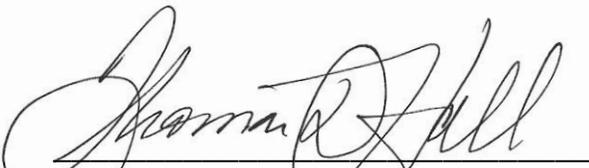
FEE TYPE

Late Renewal Fee	Ten percent (10%) of the biennial renewal fee, if the fee or other required reporting forms are not received within the 60 day grace period following the date certification expires.
Continuing Interpreter Education Provider Fee	Fifty dollars (\$50.00) per activity, but not to exceed three hundred dollars (\$300.00) per two-year period.

DONE AND ORDERED, nunc pro tunc, at Tallahassee, Florida on October 6, 2010.


Chief Justice Charles T. Canady

ATTEST:


Thomas D. Hall, Clerk of Court

