District Court Civil Cases and Actions

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I.A.1. Civil Case (General)

Fee Type	Amount
I. Statewide Required Filing Fees	
(Set Amounts)	
(1) Local Consolidated Civil Fee	\$213.00
(2) State Consolidated Civil Fee	\$137.00
Total Filing Fees	\$350.00

Fee Type	Amount
I. Statewide Required Filing Fees	
(Set Amounts)	
(1) Local Consolidated Civil Fee	\$213.00
(2) State Consolidated Civil Fee	\$137.00
Total Filing Fees	\$350.00

I.A.2. Condemnation Proceeding (Eminent Domain Case)

Fee Type	Amount
I. Statewide Required Filing Fees	
(Set Amounts)	
(1) Local Consolidated Civil Fee	\$213.00
(2) State Consolidated Civil Fee	\$137.00
Total Filing Fees	\$350.00

I.A.3. Delinquent Tax Case

NOTE: If the plaintiff in a delinquent tax case is "a taxing unit," the plaintiff does not have to pay court costs, including any fees for service of process or electronic filing, an attorney ad litem, arbitration, or mediation, and may not be required to post security for costs. See Tax Code §33.49. "Taxing unit" means a county, an incorporated city or town (including a home-rule city), a school district, a special district or authority (including a junior college district, a hospital district, a district created by or pursuant to the Water Code, a mosquito control district, a fire prevention district, or a noxious weed control district), or any other political unit of this state, whether created by or pursuant to the constitution or a local, special, or general law, that is authorized to impose and is imposing ad valorem taxes on property even if the governing body of another political unit determines the tax rate for the unit or otherwise governs its affairs. (NOTE: The calculation of filing fees in delinquent tax cases is not an empty exercise because often the filing fees are assessed as a court cost against an unsuccessful defendant.)

I.A.4. Foreign Judgment

A person filing a foreign judgment shall pay to the clerk the amount provided by law for filing the case in the courts of this state. *See* Civil Practice & Remedies Code, Section 35.007.

I.A.5. Fraudulent Lien Case

Fee Type	Amount
I. Statewide Required Filing Fees	
(Set Amount)	
(5) Fraudulent Judgment Lien/Fraudulent Lien or Claim Fee	\$350.00
Total Filing Fees	\$350.00

NOTE: Fraudulent lien cases include all cases for which a cause of action is created in Chapter 12 of the Civil Practice & Remedies Code. These cases may seek the recovery of damages. They differ from "motions for judicial review of lien/claim documentation," which are independent civil cases that do not seek damages and are filed under Chapter 51, Government Code (See III.A.1.).

<u>I.A.6. Petition for Nondisclosure</u> (Other Than Under §411.072, Gov't Code)

Fee Type	Amount
I. Statewide Required Filing Fees	
(Set Amounts)	
(1) Local Consolidated Civil Fee	\$213.00
(2) State Consolidated Civil Fee	\$137.00
Total Filing Fees	\$350.00

NOTE: Do not assess this fee on orders issued under §411.072, Gov't Code (Automatic Orders of Nondisclosure). Defendants do not have to file a petition for an order under §411.072, as courts are required by law to issue the order if a defendant meets the requirements of the section. **OCA's Model Letter Requesting an Order of Nondisclosure Under §411.072** is <u>not</u> a petition, and clerks should not treat it as such.

I.A.6. Order of Nondisclosure (Automatic) (Issued Under §411.072, Gov't Code)

Fee Type	Amount
I. Statewide Required Filing Fees	
(Set Amounts)	
(4) Fee for Order of Nondisclosure Under §411.072, Gov't Code	\$28.00
Total Filing Fee	\$28.00

NOTES:	(a)	Senate Bill 41, 87 th Legislature Session, did not repeal the \$28.00 fee required
		before the court issues an order of nondisclosure under §411.072, Gov't Code.

(b) Do not assess filing fees on this type of order, as defendants are not required to file a petition for an order under §411.072, Gov't Code. ¹ OCA's Model Letter Requesting an Order of Nondisclosure Under §411.072 is <u>not</u> a petition, and clerks should not treat it as such.

¹ Section 411.072, Gov't Code, does not require a defendant to file a petition for an order of nondisclosure, so a clerk must not assess general filing fees when a defendant requests an order under §411.072. Compare the language of §411.072(b) with the language of §§411.0725(b), 411.0727(b), 411.0728(b), 411.073(b), 411.0731(b), 411.0735(b), and 411.0736(b), Government Code. Unlike the aforementioned sections, §411.072(b) does not contain language requiring a defendant, "to petition the court" or "to file with the court …. a petition."

I.A.7(1). Transfer of Case From Another County

The fee for filing a non-family-law case transferred from another county is the same fee that would have been assessed had the case been filed in the receiving court. (*See Texas Rules of Civil Procedure, Rule 89*)

NOTES:

- (a) The fee for filing a case transferred from **another** county follows the case.
- (b) This category includes cases transferred or received from another county, not from another court in the same county.
- (c) This page does <u>not</u> apply to cases transferred pursuant to an appeal.
- (d) Unpaid costs incurred prior to the filing of the case are taxed against the plaintiff. The clerk shall notify the plaintiff or his attorney that the transfer has been completed, that the filing fee in the proper court is due and payable within thirty days of the mailing of notice, and that the case may be dismissed if the filing fee is not timely paid.

I.B.1. Adoption of Adult

Fee Type	Amount
I. Statewide Required Filing Fees	
(Set Amounts)	
(1) Local Consolidated Civil Fee	\$213.00
(2) State Consolidated Civil Fee	\$137.00
Total Filing Fees	\$350.00

NOTE: This is <u>not</u> a suit affecting the parent-child relationship (SAPCR). See Family Code, Section 101.032.

Fee Type	Fee Range	Amount
I. Statewide Required Filing Fees		
(Set Amounts)		
(1) Local Consolidated Civil Fee	-	\$213.00
(2) State Consolidated Civil Fee	-	\$137.00
III. Statewide Required Filing Fees		
(Varying Amounts)		
(8) DRO Initial Child Support Service Fee	\$0.01 to \$36.00	\$
(10) DRO Initial Operations Fee	\$0.01 to \$15.00	\$
Total Filing Fees		x ≥ \$350.00*

I.B.2. Adoption of Child

*\$350.00 is the fee if your county does not have a domestic relations office.

NOTE: This is a suit affecting the parent-child relationship (SAPCR), so filing fees Nos. (8) and (10) apply only <u>if</u> the county has a domestic relations office.

Fee Type	Fee Range	Amount
I. Statewide Required Filing Fees	-	
(Set Amounts)		
(1) Local Consolidated Civil Fee	-	\$213.00
(2) State Consolidated Civil Fee	-	\$137.00
III. Statewide Required Filing Fees		
(Varying Amounts)		
(8) DRO Initial Child Support Service Fee	\$0.01 to \$36.00	\$
(10) DRO Initial Operations Fee	\$0.01 to \$15.00	\$
Total Filing Fees		x ≥ \$350.00 ³

I.B.3. Annulment or Case to Declare Marriage Void (Involving Children)

*\$350.00 is the fee if your county does not have a domestic relations office.

NOTE: This is a suit affecting the parent-child relationship (SAPCR), so filing fees Nos. (8) and (10) apply, but only <u>if</u> the county has a domestic relations office.

Amount
\$213.00
\$137.00
\$350.00

NOTE: Clerks file a report with the Vital Statistics Unit (VSU) for each annulment granted.

Fee Type	Fee Range	Amount
I. Statewide Required Filing Fees	-	
(Set Amounts)		
(1) Local Consolidated Civil Fee		\$213.00
(2) State Consolidated Civil Fee		\$137.00
III. Statewide Optional Filing Fees		
(Varying Amts)		
(8) DRO Initial Child Support Service Fee	\$0.01 to \$36.00	\$
(10) DRO Initial Operations Fee	\$0.01 to \$15.00	\$
Total Filing Fees		x ≥ \$350.00*

I.B.5 Divorce (Involving Children)

\$350.00 is the fee if your county does not have a Domestic Relations Office.

NOTES:

(a)

This is a suit affecting the parent-child relationship (SAPCR), so filing fees Nos. (8) and (10) apply only <u>if</u> your county has a domestic relations office.

(b) Clerks file a report with the Vital Statistics Unit (VSU) for each divorce granted.

I.B.6. Divorce (Not Involving Children)

Fee Type	Amount
I. Statewide Required Filing Fees	
(Set Amounts)	
(1) Local Consolidated Civil Fee	\$213.00
(2) State Consolidated Civil Fee	\$137.00
Total Filing Fees	\$350.00

NOTE: Clerks file a report with the Vital Statistics Unit (VSU) for each divorce granted.

Fee Type	Amount
I. Statewide Required Filing Fees	
(Set Amounts)	
(1) Local Consolidated Civil Fee	\$213.00
(2) State Consolidated Civil Fee	\$137.00
Total Filing Fees	\$350.00

I.B.7. Emancipation of Minor / Name Change / Other Family Code Title 2 Cases

NOTES:	(a)	Cases for the emancipation of a minor or a name change are authorized by Title 2, Family Code. A suit for emancipation is a new case that should be filed in the county where the petitioner resides. This category of cases also includes two other suits authorized by Title 2 suits to hold parents liable for the conduct of a child and suits for damages for interference with one's possessory interest in a child.
	(b)	These are not suits affecting the parent-child relationship (SAPCR). See Texas Family Code §101.032(b).

(c) A name change for a child is a new case that should be filed in the county where the child resides and does not have to be filed in a court with continuing exclusive jurisdiction (CEJ). If the child is subject to the CEJ of a court, the clerk must send a copy of the name change order to the Vital Statistics Unit (VSU).

I.B.8. Foreign Judgment

Texas has adopted the Uniform Enforcement of Judgments Act (UEFJA) which provides for the enforcement of a judgment of another state (known as a foreign judgment) simply by filing the foreign judgment with the clerk. See Civil Practice & Remedies Code Sections 35.002 and 35.003. Once filed, a foreign judgment has the same effect as a judgment of a Texas court. See Civil Practice & Remedies Code Section 35.003. <u>A person filing a foreign judgment must pay the amount provided by law for filing the same or similar case in the courts of this state</u>. See Civil Practice & Remedies Code Section 35.007.

Fee Type	Amount
I. Statewide Required Filing Fees	
(Set Amounts)	
(1) Local Consolidated Civil Fee	\$213.00
(2) State Consolidated Civil Fee	\$137.00
Total Filing Fees	\$350.00

I.B.9. Petition for Qualified Domestic Relations Order

NOTE: The petition is filed in the court that rendered the original divorce decree, but it is treated as an original filing. See §§9.101 and 9.102, Family Code.

I.B.10.	Protective	Order	Application

Fee Type	Amount
I. Statewide Required Filing Fees	
(Set Amounts)	
(1) Local Consolidated Civil Fee	\$213.00
(2) State Consolidated Civil Fee	\$137.00
Total Filing Fees	\$350.00

NOTES: (a) Do <u>not</u> assess against the applicant a fee, cost, charge, or expense in connection with the filing, serving, or entering of the order. See Family Code Section 81.002. Absent a showing of good cause or indigency, costs, including the \$16 issuance fee for the order, may be assessed against the subject of the order if the order is granted. See Family Code Section 81.003.

(b) If a divorce case is pending, the application is filed in the county where the case is pending or where the applicant resides.

(c) If the divorce case has been finalized, the application is filed in the county where the divorce was granted or in any county having jurisdiction of the matter. If filed in the county of the divorce, the application is filed in the court that handled the divorce case.

Fee Type	Fee Range	Amount
I. Statewide Required Filing Fees		
(Set Amounts)		
(1) Local Consolidated Civil Fee	-	\$213.00
(2) State Consolidated Civil Fee	-	\$137.00
III. Statewide Optional Filing Fees		
(Varying Amts)		
(8) DRO Initial Child Support Service Fee	\$0.01 to \$36.00	\$
(10) DRO Initial Operations Fee	\$0.01 to \$15.00	\$
Total Filing Foos		x > \$350.00

I.B.11. Suit Affecting Parent-Child Relationship (SAPCR)

Total Filing Fees

(a)

x ≥ \$350.00

NOTES:

This category of cases includes all new SAPCR cases that are not adoptions or joined with cases for the dissolution of marriage (i.e., divorces, annulments, and cases to declare a marriage void). Examples of such cases are suits for the termination of parental rights and suits to establish paternity.

(b) Do <u>not</u> assess fee No. (8) or (10) if the county does not have a domestic relations office.

I.B.12 Case to Enforce Divorce Decree

Fee Type	Amount
I. Statewide Required Filing Fees	
(Set Amounts)	
(1) Local Consolidated Civil Fee	\$213.00
(2) State Consolidated Civil Fee	\$137.00
Total Filing Fees	\$350.00

NOTE: The case is filed in the court that rendered the divorce decree, but it is treated as an original case. This is not a suit affecting the parent-child relationship (SAPCR).

I.B.13 Transfer of Case from Another County - Not a SAPCR

The fee for filing a non-SAPCR family-law case transferred from another county is the same fee that would have been assessed had the case been filed in the receiving court.

- NOTES:
- (a) The fee for filing a case transferred from **another** county follows the case.
- (b) This category includes cases transferred or received from another county, not from another court in the same county.
- (c) This page does <u>not</u> apply to cases transferred pursuant to an appeal.
- (d) Unpaid costs incurred prior to the filing of the case are taxed against the plaintiff. The clerk shall notify the plaintiff or his attorney that the transfer has been completed, that the filing fee in the proper court is due and payable within thirty days of the mailing of notice, and that the case may be dismissed if the filing fee is not timely paid.

I.B.14 Transfer of Case from Another County - SAPCR

Fee Type	Amount
I. Statewide Required Filing Fees	
(Set Amounts)	
(3) Transfer Fee	\$80.00
Total Filing Fees	\$80.00

NOTES: (a) (NEW) Effective January 1, 2024, SB 1612 (88R) increases the fee for filing a transferred SAPCR from \$45 to \$80.
(b) This is the only filing fee collected or required when the transferred case is filed. See Family Code Sec. 110.005(b).
(c) (NEW) The fee is remitted and allocated as provided by Chapters 133 and 135, Local Government Code, namely \$45 to the state and \$35 stays local. A portion of this fee is sent to the state effective January 1, 2024. See Family Code Sec. 110.005(a).

Fee Type	Amount
I. Statewide Required Filing Fees	
(Set Amounts)	
(1) Local Consolidated Civil Fee	\$213.00
(2) State Consolidated Civil Fee	\$137.00
Total Filing Fees	\$350.00

I.B.15. UIFSA Case (Uniform Interstate Family Support Act)

NOTES:	

(a)

- The petitioner does <u>not</u> have to pay a filing fee. See Family Code § 159.313(a). However, the tribunal may assess filing fees against the obligor (respondent) if the obligee (petitioner) prevails. Family Code, Section 159.313(b).
- (b) Proceedings filed under Texas Family Code Chapter 159 (UIFSA) are not suits affecting the parent-child relationship (SAPCR). See Texas Family Code § 101.032(b). Accordingly, SAPCR filing fees, i.e., (8) DRO Initial Child Support Service Fee and (10) DRO Initial Operations Fee, do <u>not</u> apply.

II.A.1. Contempt Action (Motion for Contempt)

Fee Type	Amount
I. Statewide Required Filing Fees	
(Set Amounts)	
(1) Local Consolidated Civil Fee	\$35.00
(2) State Consolidated Civil Fee	\$45.00
Total Filing Fees	\$80.00

NOTE: This fee schedule does not apply to contempt actions filed in SAPCR cases.

II.A.2. Counterclaim

Fee Type	Amount
I. Statewide Required Filing Fees	
(Set Amounts)	
(1) Local Consolidated Civil Fee	\$35.00
(2) State Consolidated Civil Fee	\$45.00
Total Filing Fees	\$80.00

NOTE: This fee schedule does not apply to counterclaims filed in SAPCR cases.

II.A.3. Cross-Action (Cross-Claim)

Fee Type	Amount
I. Statewide Required Filing Fees	
(Set Amounts)	
(1) Local Consolidated Civil Fee	\$35.00
(2) State Consolidated Civil Fee	\$45.00
Total Filing Fees	\$80.00

NOTE: This fee schedule does not apply to cross-actions filed in SAPCR cases.

II.A.4. Intervention

Fee Type	Amount
I. Statewide Required Filing Fees	
(Set Amounts)	
(1) Local Consolidated Civil Fee	\$35.00
(2) State Consolidated Civil Fee	\$45.00
Total Filing Fees	\$80.00

NOTE: This fee schedule does not apply to interventions filed in SAPCR cases.

II.A.5. Motion for New Trial

Fee Type	Amount
I. Statewide Required Filing Fees	
(Set Amounts)	
(1) Local Consolidated Civil Fee	\$35.00
(2) State Consolidated Civil Fee	\$45.00
Total Filing Fees	\$80.00

NOTE: This fee schedule does not apply to motions for new trial filed in SAPCR cases.

II.A.6. Third-Party Petition

Fee Type	Amount
I. Statewide Required Filing Fees	
(Set Amounts)	
(1) Local Consolidated Civil Fee	\$35.00
(2) State Consolidated Civil Fee	\$45.00
Total Filing Fees	\$80.00

NOTE: This fee schedule does not apply to third-party petitions filed in SAPCR cases.

II.A.7. Interpleader

Fee Type	Amount
I. Statewide Required Filing Fees	
(Set Amounts)	
(1) Local Consolidated Civil Fee	\$35.00
(2) State Consolidated Civil Fee	\$45.00
Total Filing Fees	\$80.00

NOTE: This fee schedule does not apply to interpleaders filed in SAPCR cases.

II.A.8. Motion To Reinstate (NEW)

Fee Type	Amount
I. Statewide Required Filing Fees	
(Set Amounts)	
(1) Local Consolidated Civil Fee	\$35.00
(2) State Consolidated Civil Fee	\$45.00
Total Filing Fees	\$80.00

NOTE: (NEW) Effective January 1, 2024, SB 1612 (88R) creates a filing fee for filing a motion to reinstate in a district court.

Fee Type	Fee Range	Amount
III. Statewide Optional Filing Fees		
<i>(Varying Amounts)</i> (9) Administrative Writ of Income Withholding	\$0.01 to \$15.00	\$
Total Filing Fees		\$

II.B.1. Administrative Writ of Income Withholding

NOTES:	

(a) These writs are issued by a Title IV-D agency or a Domestic Relations Office enforcing a child support obligation. Family Code, Section 158.501.

(b) Section 231.204 of the Family Code prohibits a clerk from charging a Title IV-D agency or Domestic Relations Office a filing fee other than one authorized by Section 231.202 of the Family Code, which authorizes this fee against such agency or DRO for filing an administrative writ of withholding under Section 158.503(d), Family Code. The fee must be a reasonable fee and cannot to exceed \$15.00. See Section 158.503(d).

II.B.2. Contempt Action (Motion for Contempt) – SAPCR

Fee Type	Amount
II. Statewide Optional Filing Fee	
(Set Amounts)	
(7) Clerk's Basic Filing Fee (Actions within SAPCR's)	\$80.00
Total Filing Fees	\$80.00

NOTES: (a) (NEW) Effective January 1, 2024, SB 1612 (88R) increases the fee from \$15 to \$80.
(b) If the action is filed in a suit affecting the parent-child relationship (SAPCR), this is the only filing fee collected or required. See \$110.002(b), Family Code.
(c) (NEW) Fees collected are remitted and allocated as provided by Chapters 133 and 135, Local Government Code, namely \$45 state and \$35 local. See \$110.002(d), Family Code.

II.B.3. Contempt Action (Motion for Contempt) – Not a SAPCR

Fee Type	Amount
I. Statewide Required Filing Fees	
(Set Amounts)	
(1) Local Consolidated Civil Fee	\$35.00
(2) State Consolidated Civil Fee	\$45.00
Total Filing Fees	\$ 80.00

II.B.4 Counterclaim

Fee Type	Amount
I. Statewide Required Filing Fees	
(Set Amounts)	
(1) Local Consolidated Civil Fee	\$35.00
(2) State Consolidated Civil Fee	\$45.00
Total Filing Fees	\$ 80.00

II.B.5. Cross-Action (Cross-Claim)

Fee Type	Amount
I. Statewide Required Filing Fees	
(Set Amounts)	
(1) Local Consolidated Civil Fee	\$35.00
(2) State Consolidated Civil Fee	\$45.00
Total Filing Fees	\$ 80.00

II.B.6. Intervention

Fee Type	
I. Statewide Required Filing Fees	
(Set Amounts)	
(1) Local Consolidated Civil Fee	\$35.00
(2) State Consolidated Civil Fee	\$45.00
Total Filing Fees	\$ 80.00

II.B.7. Motion for Enforcement

Fee Type	Fee Range	Amount
II. Statewide Optional Filing Fee	-	
(Set Amount)		
(7) Clerk's Basic Filing Fee (Actions within SAPCR)		\$80.00
III. Statewide Optional Filing Fee		
(Varying Amount)		
(10) DRO Initial Operations Fee	\$0.01 to \$15.00	\$
Total Filing Fees		x ≥ \$80.00*

* \$80.00 is the fee if your county does not have a domestic relations office.

NOTES:	(a)	If this motion is filed in a suit affecting the parent-child relationship (SAPCR),
		these are the only fees that may be collected or required. See §110.002(b), Family
		Code.

(b) The DRO Initial Operations Fee is <u>not</u> considered a filing fee for purposes of Sections 110.002 and 110.003, Family Code (See §110.006(c)). Assess this fee <u>only</u> <u>if</u> the county has a domestic relations office.

- (c) (NEW) Effective January 1, 2024, SB 1612 (88R) increases the fee from \$15 to \$80.
- (d) (NEW) Fees collected are remitted and allocated as provided by Chapters 133 and 135, Local Government Code, namely \$45 state and \$35 local. See \$110.002(d), Family Code.

II.B.8. Motion for Modification (Motion to Modify) (Suit for Modification)

Fee Type	Fee Range	Amount
II. Statewide Optional Filing Fee	-	
(Set Amounts)		
(7) Clerk's Basic Filing Fee (Actions within SAF	PCR's)	\$80.00
III. Statewide Optional Filing Fee		
(Varying Amount)		
(10) DRO Initial Operations Fee	\$0.01 to \$15.00	\$
Total Filing Fees		$x \ge \$80.00*$

*\$80.00 is the filing fee if your county does not have a domestic relations office.

NOTES:	(a)	If this motion is filed in a suit affecting the parent-child relationship (SAPCR), these are the only fees that may be collected or required. See §110.002(b), Family Code.
	(b)	The DRO Initial Operations Fee is <u>not</u> considered a filing fee for purposes of Sections 110.002 and 110.003, Family Code (See §110.006(c), Family Code).
	(c)	Assess this fee <u>only if</u> the county has a domestic relations office. (NEW) Effective January 1, 2024, SB 1612 (88R) increases the basic filing fee for this motion from \$15 to \$20
	(d)	this motion from \$15 to \$80. (NEW) Fees collected are remitted and allocated as provided by Chapters 133 and 135, Local Government Code, namely \$45 state and \$35 local. See \$110.002(d), Family Code.

II.B.9. Motion for New Trial

Fee Type	Amount
I. Statewide Required Filing Fees	
(Set Amounts)	
(1) Local Consolidated Civil Fee	\$35.00
(2) State Consolidated Civil Fee	\$45.00
Total Filing Fees	\$80.00

II.B.10. Motion to Revoke a Stay of License Suspension

Fee Type	Amount
II. Statewide Optional Filing Fee	
(Set Amount)	
(7) Clerk's Basic Filing Fee (Actions within SAPCR cases)	\$80.00
Total Filing Fees	\$80.00

NOTES:	<i>(a)</i>	If this motion is filed in a suit affecting the parent-child relationship (SAPCR), this is the only fee that may be collected or required. See §110.002(b), Family Code.
	<i>(b)</i>	(NEW) Effective January 1, 2024, SB 1612 (88R) increases the basic filing fee for this motion from \$15 to \$80.
	(c)	(NEW) Fees collected are remitted and allocated as provided by Chapters 133 and 135, Local Government Code, namely \$45 state and \$35 local. See \$110.002(d), Family Code.

II.B.11. Notice of Application for Judicial Writ of Withholding

Fee Type	Amount
II. Statewide Optional Filing Fee	
(Set Amount)	
(7) Clerk's Basic Filing Fee (Actions within SAPCR's)	\$80.00
Total Filing Fees	\$80.00

NOTES:	(a)	If this notice is filed in a suit affecting the parent-child relationship (SAPCR), this is the only fee that may be collected or required. See §110.002(b), Family Code.
	(b)	(NEW) Effective January 1, 2024, SB 1612 (88R) increases the basic filing fee for this notice from \$15 to \$80.
	(c)	(NEW) Fees collected are remitted and allocated as provided by Chapters 133 and 135, Local Government Code, namely \$45 state and \$35 local. See \$110.002(d), Family Code.

II.B.12. Petition for License Suspension

Fee Type	Amount					
II. Statewide Optional Filing Fee (Set Amount)						
(7)) Clerk's l	Basic Filing Fee (Actions within SAPCR's)	\$80.00			
Total Filing Fees		\$80.00				
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II.B.13. Request to Modify or Terminate Writ of Withholding

Fee Type	Fee Range	Amount
III. Statewide Optional Filing Fees		
(Varying Amounts)		
(11) Modifications/Terminations of Withholding Fee	\$0.01 to \$15.00	\$

Total Filing Fee

x ≤ \$15.00

NOTE: See §158.403, Family Code.

II.B.14 Third-Party Petition

Fee Type	Amount
I. Statewide Required Filing Fees	
(Set Amounts)	
(1) Local Consolidated Civil Fee	\$35.00
(2) State Consolidated Civil Fee	\$45.00
Total Filing Fees	\$ 80.00

II.B.15 Interpleader

Fee Type	Amount
I. Statewide Required Filing Fees	
(Set Amounts)	
(1) Local Consolidated Civil Fee	\$35.00
(2) State Consolidated Civil Fee	\$45.00
Total Filing Fees	\$ 80.00

II.B.16. Motion To Reinstate (NEW)

Fee Type	Amount
I. Statewide Required Filing Fees	
(Set Amounts)	
(1) Local Consolidated Civil Fee	\$35.00
(2) State Consolidated Civil Fee	\$45.00
Total Filing Fees	\$80.00

NOTE: (NEW) Effective January 1, 2024, SB 1612 (88R) creates a filing fee for filing a motion to reinstate in a district court.

III.A.1. Motion for Judicial Review of Lien/Claim Documentation (Gov. Code Ch. 51)

There is no fee for filing this type of motion. Government Code §§51.902(d), 51.903(f).

III.A.2. Expunction Cases Filed Within 30 Days Of Acquittal

If the defendant files a petition for expunction no later than 30 days after acquittal, all fees and postage are waived. *See* Article 102.006(b), Code of Criminal Procedure.

III.A.3. Expunction After Successful Completion of a Veterans Treatment or Mental Health Court Program

If the defendant is entitled to an expunction following successful completion of a veterans treatment court program or a mental health court program, all fees and postage are waived. *See* Article 102.006(b-1), Code of Criminal Procedure.

III.B.1. Minor's Application for Order Authorizing Abortion Without Parental Notice

A filing fee is not required and court costs may not be assessed against a minor filing an application for a court order authorizing the minor to consent to an abortion. See §33.003(n), Family Code.

IV. Probate, Guardianship, and Mental Health Cases

A district court handling probate, guardianship, or mental health cases that have been filed in or transferred to the court under a provision of the Estates or Health & Safety Code should refer to the civil court costs charts for county-level courts.