IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE

ORDER AMENDING RULE 77(h) OF THE SUPERIOR COURT RULES OF CIVIL PROCEDURE

This 10th day of August, 2018, IT IS SO ORDERED that:

- (1) Superior Court Civil Rule 77(h)B is amended adding the underlined text and deleting the strikethrough text:
 - B. The filing fee shall cover the first (50) filings of an action. An additional fee of \$245.00 shall be paid after each increment of fifty (50) filings is recorded.
- (2) Superior Court Civil Rule 77(h)F is amended as follows:
 - (a) By deleting "190.00" as it appears throughout said rule and by inserting in lieu thereof "200.00";
 - (b) Under "COMPLAINTS" creating a new type designated as "Complex Commercial Litigation Division" with a corresponding filing fee of \$250.00;
 - (c) Under "JUDGMENTS" change fees as follows:
 - (i) Transfers from Other State & District Courts from "\$25.00" to "\$50.00";
 - (ii) Rule 58.3 Execution of Judgment from "\$30.00" to "\$50.00";

- (iii) Foreign Judgment (10 *Del. C.* §4781) from "\$55.00" to "\$65.00";
- (iv) City and County Monitions Tax Lien from "\$25.00" to "\$50.00";
- (v) Testatum (transfer to another county) from "\$10.00" to "\$15.00";
- (vi) Petition for Sheriff's Deed from "\$20.00" to "\$25.00";
- (vii) Judgment marked to the use of another party from "\$10.00" to "\$15.00";
- (viii) Power of Attorney for Prothonotary to satisfy judgment from "\$20.00" to "\$25.00";
- (ix) Abstract of Judgment from the Justice of the Peace Court from "\$5.00" to "\$10.00";
- (x) Demolition Lien from "\$10.00" to "\$20.00";
- (d) Under "JUDGMENTS" delete "Lien Extension by agreement of parties" in its entirety;
- (e) Under "EXECUTIONS" change the fee for all writs from "\$50.00" to "\$65.00";

- (f) Under "MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES" change fees as follows:
 - (i) Bad Check Processing Charge from "\$30.00" to "\$35.00";
 - (ii) Certificate of Abatement from "\$10.00" to "\$15.00";
 - (iii) Certified copy of any document (not to exceed 3 pages without additional copy charge) from "\$10.00" to "\$15.00";
 - (iv) Closed case retrieval fee from "\$10.00" to "\$25.00";
 - (v) Closed case retrieval fee (expedited) from "\$25.00" to "\$50.00";
 - (vi) Jury Panel Listing from "\$25.00" to "\$50.00";
 - (vii) Notary Fee from "\$5.00" to "\$7.50";
- (g) Under "NON-FEE CHARGES" change Copy Charge from "\$1.50" to "2.00".
- (3) Superior Court Civil Rule 77(h)G is amended by deleting "190.00" as it appears in said sentence and by substituting "200.00" in lieu thereof.

- (4) These amendments shall take effect August 15, 2018.
- (5) An original of this Order shall be filed with the Prothonotary for each county.

oc: Prothonotaries

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