

**PROTHONOTARY OF CHESTER COUNTY**  
**201 WEST MARKET STREET SUITE 1425, WEST CHESTER PA 19380**  
**610-344-6301 CHESCO.ORG**  
**FEE SCHEDULE**  
**EFFECTIVE DECEMBER 8, 2009**

**Appeals**

From License or registration suspension **153.80**  
From arbitration award\* 236.75  
From district justice judgment **154.05**  
To supreme, superior or commonwealth courts  
60.00  
Plus prothonotary fee 64.65  
Statement of objection **154.05**  
From zoning hearing board **153.80**  
Arbitrators, petition to appoint **153.80**

**Certification**

Of notary public 4.00  
Of motor vehicle judgment 6.35

**Commencement of action/complaint 154.30**

**Copies**

1 page 1.30  
Each additional page .60  
Certified copies 6.35  
(includes first four pages) Amt per page after  
4<sup>th</sup> .60

**Custody and divorce**

See reverse

**Discontinuance** 10.10

**Eminent domain/jury of view**

Board of view, petition for 32.30

Board of view, report of 12.70  
Declaration of taking **154.30**  
Eminent domain **154.30**  
Jury of view **154.30**

**Exemplification of judgment/order/decre**

Within Pennsylvania 8.35  
Out of state 21.05

**Foreign fees – transfer or register  
from another court**

Complaint **154.30**  
Decree/Order 37.00  
Execution 48.00  
Judgment 35.80  
Petition for issuance of foreign subpoena  
41.65

**Judgments/Liens**

Arrearages 35.80  
Assignment 10.10  
Bail bond 35.80  
Cert from US district court 35.80  
Confession 35.80  
Default 19.30  
District Justice 35.25  
Liens – municipal and C'wealth 35.00  
Lis pendens 4.00  
Mark to the use of 10.10  
Mechanics lien 35.00  
Non pros 19.30

Open/strike judgment on civil action 113.25  
Open/strike MDJ etc 136.75  
Praecipe to dissolve 10.10  
Reduce orders/awards/verdicts 19.30  
Reimbursement agreement 19.30  
Release 10.10  
Subordination 10.10  
Suggestion of non-payment 26.25  
Waiver of liens 37.00  
Vacate 10.10

\*fee may vary according to amount  
of award

\*\*for actions initiated before 1997

**Name change**

Petition for **163.90**  
Retake maiden name no fee  
Foreign decree 37.00

**Notary public**

Registration of signature 4.00  
Certification of signature 4.00

**Petitions** (unless otherwise noted) **153.80**

**Poundage** 3% of 1<sup>st</sup> 1,000, 1% of balance

**Revivals**

Adverse, by writ 32.30  
Amicable, by agreement 19.30

**Satisfaction\*\*** 10.10

**Settle, discontinue and end\*\*** 10.10

**Sheriff's deed** 10.10

**Subpoena** 4.00

**Venue changes/removes/transfers**

Cost of copying, certifying and postage

**Writs**

Of Summons **154.30**

Of Certiorari **154.05**

Of Execution/attachment/  
possession 32.30

**Family Court**

**Appointment of a master**

Regular 140.35

APL 110.35  
Counsel fees 110.35  
Special 510.35

**Custody**

Complaint **181.30**  
Petition to modify 115.20

**Divorce, NO Custody**

0 count/1JCP (no fault) **184.30**

0 count/2JCP **207.80**

0 count/3JCP **231.30**

0 count/4JCP **254.80**

1 count/2 JCP **243.00**

1 count/3 JCP **266.50**

1 count/4 JCP **290.00**

1 count/5 JCP **313.50**

2 counts/3 JCP **301.70**

2 counts/4 JCP **325.20**

2 counts/5 JCP **348.70**

2 counts/6 JCP **372.20**

2 counts/7 JCP **395.70**

2 counts/8 JCP **419.20**

**Divorce WITH Custody**

1 count/2 JCP **285.10**

1 count/3 JCP **308.60**

1 count/4 JCP **332.10**

1 count/5 JCP **355.60**

2 counts/3 JCP **343.80**

2 counts/4 JCP **367.30**

2 counts/5 JCP **390.80**

2 counts/6 JCP **414.30**

2 counts/7 JCP **437.80**

2 counts/8 JCP **461.30**

2 counts/9 JCP **484.80**

2 counts/10 JCP **508.30**

**Protection from abuse** 153.80