



# Te rārangi utu hou

## New fee list

Hei te **1 o Hūrae 2025**, ka **piki ake ngā utu** a Te Kooti Whenua Māori ki te **3.65%**. Tirohia ngā taipitipito kei raro iho nei.

From **1 July 2025**, the Māori Land Court **fees will increase** by **3.65%**. The details are set out below.

### Fee increase summary

Current rate	New rate
\$22	\$23
\$66	\$68
\$220	\$228
\$385	\$399

### Detailed fee list

Māori Land Court	Current rate (inc GST)	New rate (inc GST)
Filing an application in respect of the following:		
(a) hearing and determining any claim to recover damages from trespass or any other injury to Māori freehold land		
(b) hearing and determining any proceeding founded on contract or tort where debt, demand, or damage relates to Māori freehold land	(a) \$220 (b) \$228	(a) \$228 (b) \$228
(c) any other determination under section 18 of Te Ture Whenua Māori Act 1993	(c) \$66	(c) \$68
(d) hearing and determining any proceeding for recovery of Māori freehold land	(d) \$220	(d) \$228
(e) exercise of powers under the Property Law Act 2007 in relation to Māori freehold land	(e) \$220	(e) \$228
(f) exercise of powers under the Fencing Act 1978 in relation to Māori freehold land	(f) \$220	(f) \$228
(g) directing the holding of a conference	(g) \$66	(g) \$68

<p>Filing an application in respect of the following:</p> <p>(a) advice on disputes referred under the Māori Fisheries Act 2004</p> <p>(b) hearing and determining disputes referred under the Māori Fisheries Act 2004</p> <p>(c) advice on disputes referred under the Māori Commercial Aquaculture Claims Settlement Act 2004</p>	\$220	\$228
<p>Lodging an objection to proposed taiapure-local fishery under section 180(1) of the Fisheries Act 1996</p>	\$220	\$228
<p>Filing an application for referral of dispute under section 54 of the Māori Commercial Aquaculture Claims Settlement Act 2004</p>	\$220	\$228
<p>Filing an application in respect of the following:</p> <p>(a) succession to an occupation order</p> <p>(b) interests in General land of deceased Māori</p> <p>(c) transmission of Māori land to administrator</p> <p>(d) determination of beneficial entitlements to Māori land</p> <p>(e) succession to Māori land on intestacy where no person primarily entitled</p> <p>(f) determination in relation to recognition or entitlements of whāngai</p> <p>(g) conferral of right to income from beneficial interest in Māori freehold land</p> <p>(h) vesting in beneficiaries following grant of administration</p> <p>(i) vesting in beneficiaries where no grant of administration</p> <p>(j) vesting of occupation order</p> <p>(k) determination of legal entitlement to shares in Māori incorporation</p>	\$66	\$68
<p>Filing an application in respect of the following:</p> <p>(a) succession to Titi Islands interests under the Māori Purposes Act 1983</p> <p>(b) any application brought under the Māori Affairs Amendment Act 1967 or the Māori Affairs Act 1953</p> <p>(c) vesting of Māori freehold land if Part 4 of Te Ture Whenua Māori Act 1993 does not apply</p> <p>(d) vesting of additional interests in Māori freehold land</p> <p>(e) Registrar noting extinguishment or surrender of interest for life or until remarriage</p> <p>(f) vesting interests held in representative capacity</p>	\$22	\$23
<p>Filing an application in respect of the following:</p> <p>(a) alienation by trustees</p> <p>(b) alienation by Māori incorporation</p> <p>(c) alienation by other owners</p> <p>(d) certificate of confirmation of alienation issued by Registrar</p> <p>(e) confirmation of alienation by court</p> <p>(f) restoration of effect of lost instrument of alienation</p>	<p>(a) \$22</p> <p>(b) \$22</p> <p>(c) \$22</p> <p>(d) \$22</p> <p>(e) \$220</p> <p>(f) \$220</p>	<p>(a) \$23</p> <p>(b) \$23</p> <p>(c) \$23</p> <p>(d) \$23</p> <p>(e) \$228</p> <p>(f) \$228</p>

<p>Filing an application in respect of the following:</p> <p>(a) vesting land on change of ownership and declaring that land as Māori freehold land</p> <p>(b) exemption from providing special valuation of Māori freehold land</p> <p>(c) vesting order for transfer of Māori freehold land or any interest in Māori freehold land</p> <p>(d) re-vesting of land vested in Māori Trustee under section 70(1) of the Māori Vested Lands Administration Act 1954</p> <p>(e) vesting of township land in owners under section 87(1) of the Māori Reserved Land Act 1955</p>	<p>(a) \$220</p> <p>(b) \$22</p> <p>(c) \$66</p> <p>(d) \$66</p> <p>(e) \$66</p>	<p>(a) \$228</p> <p>(b) (b) \$23</p> <p>(c) \$68</p> <p>(d) \$68</p> <p>(e) \$68</p>
<p>Filing an application in respect of the following:</p> <p>(a) calling a meeting of owners</p> <p>(b) confirmation of resolution passed at informal family gathering</p> <p>(c) review of meeting of assembled owners</p> <p>(d) notice to owners of Māori land served on Registrar</p> <p>(e) appointment of agent</p> <p>(f) call for account from agent</p> <p>(g) calling for meeting of assembled owners to consider execution of renewal of lease</p> <p>(h) termination of appointment of agent</p>	<p>(a) \$220</p> <p>(b) \$220</p> <p>(c) \$220</p> <p>(d) \$220</p> <p>(e) \$66</p> <p>(f) \$66</p> <p>(g) \$220</p> <p>(h) \$66</p>	<p>(a) \$228</p> <p>(b) \$228</p> <p>(c) \$228</p> <p>(d) \$228</p> <p>(e) \$68</p> <p>(f) \$68</p> <p>(g) \$228</p> <p>(h) \$68</p>
<p>Filing an application in respect of the following:</p> <p>(a) constituting a trust (putea, whānau, ahu whenua, or whenua topu)</p> <p>(b) constituting a kai tiaki trust</p> <p>(c) empowering whānau or ahu whenua trust to apply trust income for Māori community purposes</p> <p>(d) specifying the Māori community purposes for which land, money, and other assets of whenua topu trusts are to be held</p> <p>(e) order deeming specified interests vested in whenua topu trustees to be held for persons named in order</p> <p>(f) vesting of land and assets in trustees</p> <p>(g) amalgamation of trusts</p>	<p>(a) \$66</p> <p>(b) \$22</p> <p>(c) \$22</p> <p>(d) \$22</p> <p>(e) \$68</p> <p>(f) \$68</p> <p>(g) \$68</p>	<p>(a) \$68</p> <p>(b) \$23</p> <p>(c) \$23</p> <p>(d) \$23</p> <p>(e) \$68</p> <p>(f) \$68</p> <p>(g) \$68</p>
<p>Registration of land in the name of a trust or tipuna</p>	<p>\$22</p>	<p>\$23</p>

<p>Filing an application in respect of the following:</p> <p>(a) directions on appointment of advisory trustees</p> <p>(b) directions on jurisdiction in respect of custodian trusteeship</p> <p>(c) authorisation of new ventures of trust</p> <p>(d) review of trust</p> <p>(e) review of kai tiaki trust</p> <p>(f) enforcement of obligations of trust</p> <p>(g) addition, reduction, or replacement of trustees</p> <p>(h) removal of trustee</p> <p>(i) termination of trust</p> <p>(j) order for payment of money held in trust</p> <p>(k) order declaring land acquired by trustees to form corpus of trust</p> <p>(l) variation of trust</p> <p>(m) approval to apply trust income for charitable purposes</p> <p>(n) review of trust constituted under section 438 of the Māori Affairs Act 1953</p> <p>(o) any application under the Trusts Act 2019</p>	<p>(a) \$66</p> <p>(b) \$66</p> <p>(c) \$66</p> <p>(d) \$66</p> <p>(e) \$22</p> <p>(f) \$66</p> <p>(g) \$66</p> <p>(h) \$66</p> <p>(i) \$66</p> <p>(j) \$22</p> <p>(k) \$66</p> <p>(l) \$66</p> <p>(m) \$22</p> <p>(n) \$22</p> <p>(o) \$66</p>	<p>(a) \$68</p> <p>(b) \$68</p> <p>(c) \$68</p> <p>(d) \$68</p> <p>(e) \$23</p> <p>(f) \$68</p> <p>(g) \$68</p> <p>(h) \$68</p> <p>(i) \$68</p> <p>(j) \$23</p> <p>(k) \$68</p> <p>(l) \$68</p> <p>(m) \$23</p> <p>(n) \$23</p> <p>(o) \$68</p>
<p>Filing an application in respect of the following:</p> <p>(a) order incorporating owners of Māori freehold land as Māori incorporation</p> <p>(b) inclusion of owners of additional Māori land in incorporation</p> <p>(c) amalgamation of incorporations</p> <p>(d) acquisition of land by incorporation</p> <p>(e) determination relating to land held as an investment</p> <p>(f) removal of member of committee of management</p> <p>(g) investigation of conduct of election of member of committee of management</p> <p>(h) order directing special general meeting of shareholders</p> <p>(i) appointment of persons to investigate incorporation's affairs</p> <p>(j) requiring officers to explain non-compliance with statutory requirements</p> <p>(k) winding up of incorporation</p> <p>(l) directions for liquidator in relation to winding up</p> <p>(m) leave to grant lease of land vested in incorporation</p>	<p>(a) \$220</p> <p>(b) \$220</p> <p>(c) \$220</p> <p>(d) \$66</p> <p>(e) \$66</p> <p>(f) \$220</p> <p>(g) \$220</p> <p>(h) \$220</p> <p>(i) \$220</p> <p>(j) \$220</p> <p>(k) \$220</p> <p>(l) \$66</p> <p>(m) \$66</p>	<p>(a) \$228</p> <p>(b) \$228</p> <p>(c) \$228</p> <p>(d) \$68</p> <p>(e) \$68</p> <p>(f) \$228</p> <p>(g) \$228</p> <p>(h) \$228</p> <p>(i) \$228</p> <p>(j) \$228</p> <p>(k) \$228</p> <p>(l) \$68</p> <p>(m) \$68</p>
<p>Filing an application in respect of the following:</p> <p>(a) partition order</p> <p>(b) apportionment of rights and obligations upon partition</p> <p>(c) dwelling site on Māori freehold land</p> <p>(d) partition of combined areas of land</p> <p>(e) cancellation of partition order</p>	<p>(a) \$220</p> <p>(b) \$66</p> <p>(c) \$66</p> <p>(d) \$220</p> <p>(e) \$220</p>	<p>(a) \$228</p> <p>(b) \$68</p> <p>(c) \$68</p> <p>(d) \$228</p> <p>(e) \$228</p>
<p>Filing an application in respect of the following:</p> <p>(a) amalgamation order</p> <p>(b) aggregation order</p> <p>(c) exchange order</p>	<p>\$220</p>	<p>\$228</p>

<p>Filing an application in respect of the following:</p> <p>(a) creation, cancellation, or variation of easement</p> <p>(b) order laying out a roadway</p> <p>(c) compensation in respect of roadway</p> <p>(d) recommendation that roadway be declared road or street</p> <p>(e) variation or cancellation of roadway order</p> <p>(f) powers of court on cancellation of roadway</p> <p>(g) order closing road</p> <p>(h) vesting order for lands comprised in roads or streets</p> <p>(i) granting reasonable access to landlocked Māori land</p>	\$220	\$228
<p>Filing an application in respect of the following:</p> <p>(a) order amending name given to land</p> <p>(b) amendment of existing title to include additional land</p> <p>(c) occupation order</p> <p>(d) amendment or cancellation of occupation order</p> <p>(e) review of occupation order</p> <p>(f) order requiring a survey</p> <p>(g) charging order for costs of survey</p>	<p>(a) \$66</p> <p>(b) \$66</p> <p>(c) \$66</p> <p>(d) \$66</p> <p>(e) \$66</p> <p>(f) \$22</p> <p>(g) \$66</p>	<p>(a) \$68</p> <p>(b) \$68</p> <p>(c) \$68</p> <p>(d) \$68</p> <p>(e) \$68</p> <p>(f) \$23</p> <p>(g) \$68</p>
<p>Filing an application in respect of the following:</p> <p>(a) recommendation that land be set aside as Māori reservation</p> <p>(b) power of trustees to make application to the court for directions under regulation 8(c) of the Māori Reservations Regulations 1994</p> <p>(c) inquiry into the administration of a reservation under regulation 21 of the Māori Reservations Regulations 1994</p>	\$66	\$68
<p>Filing an application in respect of the following:</p> <p>(a) directions in case of doubt</p> <p>(b) review of Registrar's decision to refuse to accept an application for filing</p> <p>(c) directions from the court as to any aspect of notice or service</p> <p>(d) discovery of documents</p> <p>(e) summons to witness</p> <p>(f) taking evidence in another district</p> <p>(g) review of taxation of costs</p> <p>(h) review of Registrar's decision in respect of access to the permanent record</p> <p>(i) leave to adduce further evidence</p> <p>(j) search by Registrar of beneficial interests of a deceased person in Māori freehold land</p>	\$22	\$23
<p>Filing an application in respect of the following:</p> <p>(a) cancelling an injunction</p> <p>(b) leave to appeal out of time</p>	\$66	\$68

<p>Filing an application in respect of the following:</p> <p>(a) charging order for unpaid rates</p> <p>(b) charging order in favour of owner paying rates</p> <p>(c) enforcement of charging order that remains unsatisfied for 6 months</p> <p>(d) order for payment of unpaid rates by Māori Trustee or other person entitled to money from land</p> <p>(e) recommendation that Māori freehold land be exempt from some or all liability for rates</p>	<p>(a) \$220</p> <p>(b) \$66</p> <p>(c) \$66</p> <p>(d) \$66</p> <p>(e) \$66</p>	<p>(a) \$228</p> <p>(b) \$68</p> <p>(c) \$68</p> <p>(d) \$68</p> <p>(e) \$68</p>
<p>Filing an application in respect of the following:</p> <p>(a) advice on or determination of appropriate representatives of Māori groups</p> <p>(b) correction by Chief Judge of mistake or omission</p> <p>(c) transmission of injunction to High Court</p>	<p>(a) \$220</p> <p>(b) \$220</p> <p>(c) \$66</p>	<p>(a) \$228</p> <p>(b) \$228</p> <p>(c) \$68</p>
<p>Filing an application in respect of the noting of any record, certificate, declaration, Order in Council, instrument, permit, consent, or notice under the</p> <p>(a) Forests Act 1949</p> <p>(b) Land Transfer Act 1952</p> <p>(c) Government Roding Powers Act 1989</p> <p>(d) Māori Affairs Restructuring Act 1989</p> <p>(e) Crown Minerals Act 1991</p> <p>(f) Resource Management Act 1991</p> <p>(g) Heritage New Zealand Pouhere Taonga Act 2014</p> <p>(h) Climate Change Response Act 2002</p> <p>(i) Building Act 2004</p>	<p>\$22</p>	<p>\$23</p>
<p>Filing an application in respect of the following:</p> <p>(a) transmission of order for payment of money to a District Court</p> <p>(b) charging order for enforcing court order for payment of money</p> <p>(c) appointment of receiver to enforce charges</p>	<p>\$66</p>	<p>\$68</p>

<p>Filing an application in respect of the following:</p> <p>(a) determination of status of land</p> <p>(b) order declaring General land to be Māori freehold land</p> <p>(c) amendment of order, warrant, record, or other document to give effect to true intention of court</p> <p>(d) amendment of names of land owners in court records and titles</p> <p>(e) investigation of title to Māori customary land</p> <p>(f) investigation of conduct and result of election under section 53A of the Māori Trust Boards Act 1955</p> <p>(g) injunction order</p> <p>(h) ordering a rehearing</p> <p>(i) establishing ownership of taonga tūturu under Part 2 of the Protected Objects Act 197</p> <p>(j) notice of appeal to Māori Appellate Court</p> <p>(k) appeal against provisional or preliminary determination of Māori Land Court</p> <p>(l) enforcement of obligations of trust under section 80(2) of the Maraeroa A and B Blocks Claims Settlement Act 2012</p> <p>(m) order for name to be included in roll of beneficiaries under section 13(4) of the Orakei Act 1991</p> <p>(n) order vesting land (or interest in land) acquired by Māori Trustee in persons or body corporate beneficially interested under section 39(5) of the Māori Trustee Act 1953</p> <p>(o) determination of use of audio-visual links in civil proceeding under section 7 of the Courts (Remote Participation) Act 2010</p> <p>(p) determination whether rating units were previously part of the same block of Māori freehold land</p>	<p>(a) \$22</p> <p>(b) \$22</p> <p>(c) \$22</p> <p>(d) \$22</p> <p>(e) \$220</p> <p>(f) \$220</p> <p>(g) \$220</p> <p>(h) \$66</p> <p>(i) \$220</p> <p>(j) \$385</p> <p>(k) \$385</p> <p>(l) \$66</p> <p>(m) \$66</p> <p>(n) \$66</p> <p>(o) \$22</p> <p>(p) \$66</p>	<p>(a) \$23</p> <p>(b) \$23</p> <p>(c) \$23</p> <p>(d) \$23</p> <p>(e) \$228</p> <p>(f) \$228</p> <p>(g) \$228</p> <p>(h) \$68</p> <p>(i) \$228</p> <p>(j) \$399</p> <p>(k) \$399</p> <p>(l) \$68</p> <p>(m) \$68</p> <p>(n) \$68</p> <p>(o) \$23</p> <p>(p) \$68</p>
Filing an application in relation to the Wi Pere Trust under the Māori Purposes (Wi Pere Trust) Act 1991	\$22	\$23
Filing an application under any section of Te Ture Whenua Māori Act 1993 not specifically mentioned in this Schedule	\$66	\$68
Filing an application under any legislative provision (not being Te Ture Whenua Māori Act 1993) not specifically mentioned in this Schedule	\$220	\$228
<p>Copying any document in the permanent record of the court</p> <p>(a) for each black and white page</p> <p>(b) for each colour page</p>	<p>(a) 0.20c</p> <p>(b) 0.40c</p>	No change