Fees and levies in the new financial advice regime

Cabinet has agreed on the licensing fees and FMA levies that will apply in the new financial advice regime. You can view the fees and levies in the below tables.

Transitional licensing fees

| Application fees | Fee (ex GST) |
|--|--------------|
| Financial advice provider application fee | \$405.00 |
| Additional fee for any authorised body named in an application | \$38.75 |

Full licensing fees

| Application fees | Fee (ex GST) | Threshold for charging the hourly rate |
|--|-----------------|--|
| Tier 1 – sole adviser businesses or financial advice providers that only give advice on their own account | \$612.00 | 2 hours |
| Tier 2 – financial advice providers that engage multiple financial advisers but no nominated representatives | \$767.00 | 3 hours |
| Tier 3 – financial advice providers that engage one or more nominated representatives | \$922.00 | 4 hours |
| Additional fee for any authorised body named in an application | \$155.00 | N/A |

Changes to the FMA Levy

| Levy class | Levy (ex GST) |
|--|---------------|
| Financial adviser | \$265.00 |
| Financial advice provider* | \$225.00 |
| + Amount per nominated representative engaged by the financial advice provider | \$179.00 |
| + Amount if the financial advice provider gives advice on its own account | \$737.00 |
| Authorised body | \$460.00 |

^{*}Up to a maximum total levy of \$80,000 per annum