

Social Workers Registration Board (Fees and Disciplinary Levy) Notice May 2024

Pursuant to sections 108 and 109 of the Social Workers Registration Act 2003, the Social Workers Registration Board sets out the Fees and the Disciplinary Levy prescribed by the Social Workers Registration Board.

Notice**1. Title**

This notice may be cited as the Social Workers Registration Board (Fees and Disciplinary Levy) Notice May 2024.

2. Commencement

The fees and levy payable under this notice revoke and replace the specified fees and levy payable under:

- the Social Workers Registration Board (Fees and Disciplinary Levy) Notice May 2022 ([New Zealand Gazette, 1 April 2022, Notice No. 2022-gs1233](#)) for Practising Certificate Fee (12 months) and Disciplinary Levy
- the Social Workers Registration Board (Fees) Notice July 2022 ([New Zealand Gazette, 2 June 2022, Notice No. 2022-gs2159](#)) for the Registration application fee under section 6 and 7, Overseas Qualification Equivalence assessment fee, Competence assessment for applicants with overseas qualifications, Provisional to Full Registration fee, Practising Certificate fees for part of year (pro rata), Certificate of Good Standing, and Return to practice application fee.

All other fees remain the same.

The new Fees and Disciplinary Levy apply to the practising year beginning **1 July 2024**. The Practising Certificate fee and Disciplinary Levy for the 2024–25 practising year will be charged at the new rate upon renewal.

3. Fees

The Social Workers Registration Board prescribes the fees payable to the Board specified in the Schedule to this notice.

4. Tax

The fees are in New Zealand dollars and are inclusive of goods and services tax (GST).

Schedule

Fees Payable	(\$)
From 1 July 2024:	
Practising certificate fee (annual)	540.00
Disciplinary levy	219.00
Registration application fee	423.00
Overseas applicant: qualification assessment fee	635.00
Overseas applicant: provisional registration competence assessment application fee	1,012.00
Overseas applicant: full registration competence assessment application fee	1,012.00
Provisional to full registration fee	70.00
Practising certificate fees for part of year (pro rata) e.g. for renewing practising certificate between	
1 October – 31 December	405.00
1 January – 31 March	270.00
1 April – 30 June	135.00
Certificate of Good Standing	63.00
Return to practice application fee (applies if the application is received by SWRB more than three years after the applicant's practising certificate expiry date)	224.00

Further Enquiries: by email to office@swrb.govt.nz.

Dated at Wellington this 3rd day of April 2024.

HAMISH McDOUALL, Registrar, Social Workers Registration Board.

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