
In the Matter of the Amendment
of the
RULES OF THE DISTRICT COURTS OF THE
STATE OF HAWAII I

ORDER AMENDING RULE 2.2 OF THE RULES OF THE
DISTRICT COURTS OF THE STATE OF HAWAII I
(By: Moon, C.J., Levinson, Nakayama, Acoba, and Duffy, JJ.)

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Rule 2.2 of the Rules of the District Courts of the State of Hawaii i is amended, effective January 1, 2006, as follows (deleted material is bracketed and stricken; new material is double underscored):

Rule 2.2. COSTS AND FEES TO BE COLLECTED BY THE CLERK.

The clerk shall collect costs and fees provided by Chapter 607 of the Hawaii i Revised Statutes except that the clerk shall collect the amounts specified herein as follows:

~~[(+)]~~ 1. For copies of any document in any public record maintained by the clerk:

~~[(i)]~~ a. ~~[maintained by the clerk and stored]~~ in the clerk's office:

i. \$1.00 for the first page

ii. \$.50 for each additional page

~~[(ii)]~~ b. in an off-site storage location: [_____]

~~Usual copying charge plus] \$5.00 plus usual copying charge~~

~~[(iii)]~~ c. on microfilm:

~~[(A) by clerk:~~

~~_____ \$1.00 per page plus \$5.00]~~

i. \$5.00 when provided by the clerk plus \$1.00 per page

~~[(B) self-service:~~

~~_____ \$1.00 per page]~~

ii. \$1.00 per page when obtained via self-service

~~[(iv) to be telefaxed:~~

~~_____ Usual copying charge plus:]~~

2. For telefaxing of any document in any public record, the applicable charges plus:

~~[(A)]~~ i. within Hawaii i:

\$2.00 first page

\$1.00 each additional page

~~[(B)]~~ ii. outside Hawai i, within the United States:

\$5.00 first page

\$2.00 each additional page

~~[(C)]~~ iii. outside ~~[of]~~ the United States:

\$10.00 first page

\$5.00 each additional page

3. For copies of audio tapes, electronic copy of any document:

\$10.00

4. For copies of video tapes: cost of production

~~[(D)]~~ 5. For any expedited or rush requests (copy(ies) provided
[made] within 4 hours if request received before noon): [—————

—————] \$10.00 plus all other applicable charges

~~[(v) audio tapes, electronic copy of any document: \$10.00]~~

~~[(vi) video tape: cost of production]~~

~~[(2) Parties to a pending case shall not be charged for the first
copy of the court order, opinion, judgment or any other item entered in the
case by the court, whether provided on paper or electronically.]~~

~~[(3) The clerk shall charge the actual cost of mailing paper copies
of any document, provided that the parties to a pending case shall not be
charged for the mailing of the first paper copy of a court order, opinion, or
other item entered in the case by the court.]~~

~~[(4)]~~ 6. Ex officio filing (in addition to the usual filing fee):

\$10.00

~~[(5)]~~ 7. Certification under seal of a copy of a pleading or other
paper subsequent to the initial filing of the pleading or paper, except the
record on appeal: \$2.00

8. Parties to a pending case shall not be charged for the first copy
of the court order, opinion, judgment or any other item entered in the case
by the court, whether provided on paper or electronically.

9. The clerk shall charge the actual cost of mailing paper copies of
any item, provided that the parties to a pending case shall not be charged
for the mailing of the first paper copy of a court order, opinion, or other
item entered in the case by the court.

~~[(6)]~~ 10. The court may waive costs and fees for good cause
shown. In lieu of copying and mailing fees, the administrative judge may
authorize the clerk to provide copies of orders, opinions, or other items to
publishing companies in exchange for published materials for the benefit
of the court or the judiciary.

DATED: Honolulu, Hawai i, November 23, 2005.