

Motoring Offences (Summary only)

If you are charged with a 'summary only' motoring offence, our barristers can advise, and represent you in court. Summary only motoring offences, are for example offences such as driving while disqualified, driving without insurance, careless driving, failing to stop or report, and speeding. These Summary only offences, can only be heard in the Magistrates' Court.

Timescales

Timescales for our services may vary depending on factors such as our barristers' availability, the complexity of your case and the need for additional documents.

As a guide, written advice on your case will be available within two to four weeks, where possible.

You may also need representation at short notice. If so, please contact the clerks and our barristers will aim to represent you at the hearing, where possible.

Fees

We may charge fixed fees, which means that we will charge you a set amount of money for the written advice. Below are estimates based on the ranges of fixed fees for barristers in LSLC.

If we charge fixed fees, these may be towards the higher end of the range if you need a more experienced barrister your fees may also be higher than the estimate below. There are also likely to be additional costs for time spent in travel and photocopying.

Additional Costs

There are also likely to be additional costs for time spent in correspondence via telephone/video conferences or drafting documents, travel expenses. Photocopying is charged at £1 per page. The cost will be fixed and agreed in advance based upon the barrister's hourly rate. Click here to see other likely additional costs (<https://www.lslawchambers.co.uk/additional-costs>)

Stage of case	Ranges of hourly rates (estimates)
Written advice on defending a claim.	£750 – £1500
Preparation of case, including meetings with you.	£350 - £750
Hearing - Guilty Pleas	£350 - £750
Trial	£750 - £1500
Court appearance per day, after the first day of trial	£500 - £750
<p>Contact Us All information is correct as of 01/05/2022, but fees are estimates only. For a quotation, please contact the clerks on: 0207 732 9973, or e-mail: londonsouth.chambers@yahoo.co.uk</p>	