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Filing Fees for Madison County Chancery Court
Revised Effective January 1, 2009

CASE DESCRIPTION	BASE FEE	COUNTY/STATE ADD ON	TOTAL
ADOPTION-UNCONTESTED	\$75.00	\$23.00	\$ 98.00
ADOPTION-CONTESTED	75.00	33.00	108.00
A & D COMMITMENT-INVOLUNTARY	75.00	33.00	108.00
A & D COMMITMENT-VOLUNTARY	30.00	23.00	53.00
BIRTH CERTIFICATE CORRECTION	25.00	23.00	48.00
BOND VALIDATION	75.00	33.00	108.00
CASE TRANSFER	As applicable	As applicable	As applicable
COMPLAINTS	75.00	33.00	108.00
CONSERVATORSHIP	75.00	33.00	108.00
CONTEMPT OR MODIFICATION (REOPENING)	75.00	26.00	101.00
COUNTER CLAIM or CROSS CLAIM ¹	25.00	N/A	26.00
DIVORCE-CONTESTED	75.00	33.00	108.00
DIVORCE-UNCONTESTED (JOINT)	30.00	23.00	53.00
DOMESTIC	75.00	33.00	108.00
ESTATE-MUNIMENT OF TITLE ONLY	30.00	23.00	53.00
ESTATE-TESTATE OR INTESTATE	75.00	33.00	108.00
FOREIGN JUDGMENT	75.00	33.00	108.00
GUARDIANSHIP	75.00	33.00	108.00
INJUNCTION	75.00	33.00	108.00
JOINT MODIFICATION (OPEN/CLOSE)	25.00	N/A	26.00
LAND DISPUTE	75.00	33.00	108.00
MENTAL COMMITMENT	75.00	33.00	108.00
MINORITY REMOVAL	25.00	23.00	48.00
MUNIMENT OF TITLE	30.00	23.00	53.00
MINOR'S SETTLEMENT (UNDER \$10,000)	30.00	23.00	53.00
MINOR'S SETTLEMENT (OVER \$10,000)	75.00	33.00	108.00
NAME CHANGE	30.00	23.00	53.00
PARTITION SUIT (LAND)	75.00	33.00	108.00
PATERNITY	75.00	33.00	108.00
SEPARATE MAINTENANCE	75.00	33.00	108.00
STIPULATED AGREEMENT (DHS)	30.00	23.00	53.00
TEMPORARY RESTRAINING ORDER	75.00	33.00	108.00
WRIT OF GARNISHMENT	30.00	23.00	53.00

¹When made between plaintiffs or between defendants.

Explanation of County/State Add-on

In addition to the standard filing fees for the various types of complaints set forth in Miss. Code Ann. § 25-7-9(2) and Uniform Chancery Court Rule 9.01 which are set forth in the “Base Fee” column above, the following fees are also applicable in certain cases and certain situations. We have included them in the “County/State Add-on Column” in the above list to arrive at a total filing fee:

(1) The following fees are applicable to all court filings and represent fees to be paid over to the **State Treasury**:

Court Education and Training Fee (Miss. Code Ann. § 37-26-3)	\$2.00
Court Constituents’ Fee (Miss. Code Ann. § 37-26-9(4))	\$.50
Civil Legal Assistance Fund Fee (Miss. Code Ann. § 25-7-9(1)(k))	\$5.00
Comprehensive Electronic Court Systems Fund Fee (Miss. Code Ann. § 25-7-13 (1)(c))	\$10.00

(2) The following fees are also applicable to all court filings and represent fees to be paid over to the **County Treasury** by prior Order of the Madison County Board of Supervisors:

Court Administrator’s Fee (Miss. Code Ann. § 9-17-5)	\$2.00
Law Library Fee (Miss. Code Ann. § 19-7-31)	\$2.50

(3) The following fee is applicable to all court filings where a plea or answer is to be filed or where the services of a court reporter are required and is paid over to the **County Treasury**:

Court Reporter’s Tax Fee (Miss. Code Ann. § 9-13-21)	\$10.00
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(4) Finally, the following fee is applicable to all court filings and represents the Archive Fee as deemed applicable to court filings by the Mississippi Attorney General and by Order of the Madison County Board of Supervisors. One half is paid to the **County Treasury** and one half to the **State Treasury**:

Archive Fee (Miss. Code Ann. § 25-60-5)	\$1.00
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