

205.505 – COURT ALLOWANCE - RESERVE FORCE LEGAL OFFICERS

(1) **(Application)** This instruction applies to a legal officer of the Reserve Force who

(a) occupies a position designated by the Minister for the purpose of this instruction; and

(b) is on service for the sole purpose of participating in a court proceeding at the request of the Director of Military Prosecutions or the Director of Defence Counsel Services under section 165.15 or subsection 249.21(1) of the National Defence Act.

(2) **(Entitlement)** A legal officer is entitled to be paid a court allowance calculated as follows:

(a) \$550 for each day that the legal officer participates in a court proceeding; and

(b) \$550 for each day of preparation as follows:

(i) if the court proceeding is before a court of first instance, the number of days of preparation equals the number of court days under subparagraph (a) divided by three and then rounded up to the nearest full day, or

(ii) if the court proceeding is before an appellate court, the number of days of preparation equals the number of court days under subparagraph (a) multiplied by three.