## FORM 57B

## Courts of Justice Act

COSTS OUTLINE

## ONTARIO

## SUPERIOR COURT OF JUSTICE

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The (identify party) provides the following outline of the submissions to be made at the hearing in support of the costs the party will seek if successful:

Fees (as detailed below) \$
Estimated counsel fee for appearance

Disbursements (as detailed in the attached appendix)
\$ $\qquad$
Total \$

The following points are made in support of the costs sought with reference to the factors set out in subrule 57.01(1):

- the amount claimed and the amount recovered in the proceeding
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- the complexity of the proceeding
$\square$
- the importance of the issues
$\square$
- the conduct of any party that tended to shorten or lengthen unnecessarily the duration of the proceeding
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- whether any step in the proceeding was improper, vexatious or unnecessary or taken through negligence, mistake or excessive caution
- a party's denial of or refusal to admit anything that should have been admitted
- the experience of the party's lawyer
- the hours spent, the rates sought for costs and the rate actually charged by the party's lawyer

| FEE ITEMS | PERSONS | HOURS | PARTIAL INDEMNITY <br> RATE | ACTUAL RATE* |
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| (e.g. pleadings, affidavits, <br> cross-examinations, <br> preparation, hearing, etc.) | (identify the lawyers, <br> students, and law clerks <br> who provided services in <br> connection with each item <br> together with their year of <br> call, if applicable) | (specify the hours claimed <br> for each person identified <br> in column 2) | (specify the rate being <br> sought for each person <br> identified in column 2) |  |


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* Specify the rate being charged to the client for each person identified in column 2. If there is a contingency fee arrangement, state the rate that would have been charged absent such arrangement.
- any other matter relevant to the question of costs


## LAWYER'S CERTIFICATE

I CERTIFY that the hours claimed have been spent, that the rates shown are correct and that each disbursement has been incurred as claimed.

Date: $\qquad$
Signature of lawyer

RCP-E 57B (November 1, 2005)

