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Civil Court Fees on the Rise

Bad news for debtors, as of the 13th July there will be an increase in some civil court fees. This means that creditors will have to pay more to enforce judgements against debtors and this cost is automatically added to the debtor's fee. For example, the fee for a bailiff's warrant will now rise to £100.

There is some good news however; fees will still be waived automatically for those on means-tested benefits or on a low income.

More information on this and details of the court fee increases can be found on Her Majesty's Court Service website at www.hmcourts-service.gov.uk.