

AGREEMENT ON ATTORNEY'S FEES

between

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-Law office-

and

-Client-

in Re:

vs.

The client retains the law office to act on the client's behalf as the client's lawyers in relation to the client's family law matter, upon the terms and conditions set out below.

This agreement relates to work done on and after the date of this agreement.

The client agrees to pay to the law office professional fees calculated in accordance with the scale set out below and disbursements, in accordance with the terms and conditions set out below.

1. Hourly Rate

Time spent by the lawyer doing work requiring the skill of a lawyer (for example, but not limited to, time spent in conference, receiving instructions, advising, negotiating, appearing in court, telephone calls, drafting and settling documents and letters, reading documents and research) at the rate of US \$ / € per hour (US \$ / €). The minimum retainer and fee is US \$ / € including activities up to hours. VAT (actual:19%) has to be added.

2. Payment of Disbursements

Unless there are sufficient funds for that purpose already held in the firm's trust account, the client will pay to the firm upon request by the firm:

- (a) all out of pocket expenses ("disbursements") which the firm has incurred in properly advising and/or representing the client (for example, but not limited to, court fees, telephone charges, postage and other incidental expenses);(minimum: US \$ / €)
- (b) any disbursements which the firm reasonably anticipates that it will incur in properly advising and/or representing the client; and where the firm has made such a request it shall not be obliged to pay any such disbursement on behalf of the client unless and until the client has complied with that request.

The firm shall not engage outside experts (valuers, accountants, doctors, etc) without the client's prior approval.

3. Prepayment

The client shall pay into the firm's trust account upon signing this agreement the sum of US \$ / € ("the initial advance") on account of future costs and disbursements. The firm may, from time to time, request further advances on account of future costs and disbursements and the client shall, upon such request or requests, pay the amount so requested into the firm's trust account. The firm is authorized to transfer moneys held in its trust account on behalf of the client to pay disbursements incurred on the client's behalf, and to meet accounts

(including interim accounts) rendered to the client by the firm from time to time. Should the firm's costs not exceed the total amount advanced, the firm shall, upon completion of the matter, refund the balance of the advance to the client.

4. Lien

Without affecting any lien to which the firm is otherwise entitled at law over funds, papers and other property of the client in the firm's possession:

- (a) the firm shall be entitled to retain by way of lien any funds, property or paper of the client which are from time to time in its possession or under its control until all costs, disbursements and interest due to the firm have been paid;
- (b) the firm's lien shall continue notwithstanding that the firm ceases to act for the client.

5. Continuation of this Agreement

- (a) Even though interim accounts may be rendered from time to time, this agreement shall continue in force unless and until terminated in accordance with its provisions.
- (b) This agreement shall be binding upon the heirs, legal personal representatives and assigns of each party.

Date:, Place: Frankfurt am Main

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(Law Firm)

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(Signature client)