



## Appendix B1

### Equality Impact/Fairer Scotland Duty Assessment Form

#### Step1

**Name of Proposal** Annual Percentage Increase to Environmental and Consumer Protection Service charges. Proposal is a 6% increase on 2022/23.

Charge Description	Additional info on individual charge	Method for Setting Charge (cost recovery/ % increase/ nationally set/ other) note 1	2022/23 Charge	6% Increase	2023/24 proposed charge
			£		£
Pest Control – Rats & Mice Treatment	Price is fixed until at least 30/04/24		60.00		60.00
Pest Control – Insect Treatment			30.00		30.00
Pest Control – Wasp Treatment			30.00		30.00
Administration charge for pest control (per treatment)			12.00	0.72	12.72
Special weighing and measuring equipment – hourly rate		LACORS benchmarked charge plus inflation	100.20	6.01	106.21
Weights exceeding 5kg or not exceeding 500mg, 2cm – each		LACORS benchmarked charge plus inflation	11.10	0.67	11.77
Other weights – each		LACORS benchmarked charge plus inflation	8.50	0.51	9.01
Linear measures, not exceeding 3m – each		LACORS benchmarked charge plus inflation	12.10	0.73	12.83
Capacity measures, without divisions, not exceeding 1 litre – each		LACORS benchmarked charge plus inflation	9.30	0.56	9.86
Cubic ballast measures (other than brim measures) – each		LACORS benchmarked charge plus inflation	209.90	12.59	222.49
Liquid capacity measure for making up and checking average quantity packages – each		LACORS benchmarked charge plus inflation	33.80	2.03	35.83
Per scale – first item		LACORS benchmarked charge plus inflation	57.90	3.47	61.37
Second & subsequent items		LACORS benchmarked charge plus inflation	22.50	1.35	23.85
Non NAW1 not exceeding 1 tonne		LACORS benchmarked charge plus inflation	75.40	4.52	79.92
Non NAW1 exceeding 1 tonne, up to 10 tonne		LACORS benchmarked charge plus inflation	122.20	7.33	129.53
Non NAW1 exceeding 10 tonne		LACORS benchmarked charge plus inflation	255.00	15.30	270.30
NAW1 not exceeding 1 tonne		LACORS benchmarked charge plus inflation	125.50	7.53	133.03
NAW1 exceeding 1 tonne, up to 10 tonne		LACORS benchmarked charge plus inflation	194.20	11.65	205.85
NAW1 exceeding 10 tonne		LACORS benchmarked charge plus inflation	424.40	25.46	449.86
Intoxicating liquor - not exceeding 150ml		LACORS benchmarked charge plus inflation	21.10	1.27	22.37
Intoxicating liquor - other		LACORS benchmarked charge plus inflation	24.20	1.45	25.65
Liquid fuel and lubricants - container type (not subdivided)		LACORS benchmarked charge plus inflation	87.00	5.22	92.22
Liquid fuel and lubricants - first nozzle tested, per site		LACORS benchmarked charge plus inflation	141.50	8.49	149.99
Liquid fuel and lubricants - each additional nozzle tested		LACORS benchmarked charge plus inflation	87.10	5.23	92.33
Liquid fuel and lubricants testing of peripheral electronic equipment on a separate visit (per site)		LACORS benchmarked charge plus inflation	95.60	5.74	101.34
Liquid fuel and lubricants testing of credit card accepted (per unit, regardless of no. of slots/ nozzles/pumps)		LACORS benchmarked charge plus inflation	95.70	5.74	101.44
Road tanker fuel measuring – wet hose with two testing liquids		LACORS benchmarked charge plus inflation	41.60	2.50	44.10
Road tanker fuel measuring – wet hose with three testing liquids		LACORS benchmarked charge plus inflation	353.80	21.23	375.03
Road tanker fuel measuring – dry hose with two testing liquids		LACORS benchmarked charge plus inflation	336.90	20.21	357.11
Road tanker fuel measuring – dry hose with three testing liquids		LACORS benchmarked charge plus inflation	387.50	23.25	410.75
Wet/dry hose with two testing liquids		LACORS benchmarked charge plus inflation	471.30	28.28	499.58
Wet/dry hose with three testing liquids		LACORS benchmarked charge plus inflation	504.90	30.29	535.19
Up to 7,600 litres (for calibration of each compartment) and production of chart		LACORS benchmarked charge plus inflation	206.70	12.40	219.10
Over 7,600 litres, basic fee, plus additional charge		LACORS benchmarked charge plus inflation	93.20	5.59	98.79
Initial dipstick		LACORS benchmarked charge plus inflation	24.30	1.46	25.76
Spare dipstick		LACORS benchmarked charge plus inflation	24.30	1.46	25.76
Replacement dipstick (including examination of compartment)			52.70	3.16	55.86
Hire of test weights (per tonne per day)			86.80	5.21	92.01
Hourly rate for Trading Standards Officer			100.20	6.01	106.21
Hourly rate for Authorised Officers			95.70	5.74	101.44
Certificate of Errors			53.90	3.23	57.13
Health Certificate (1st)	Hourly rate for EHO plus travel & admin cost		34.00	2.04	36.04
Health certificate (additional)			7.00	0.42	7.42
Food Safety Record Book	Postal charge £1.54 for one book or £2.09 for two	Cost Recovery	10.00	0.60	10.60

**Step 2**

Is this only a **screening** Equality Impact Assessment YES

**(A)** If Yes, please choose from the following options **all** reasons why a full EIA/FSD is not required:

(ii) It is a percentage increase in fees which has no differential impact on protected characteristics Yes

If you have answered yes to any of points above, please go to **Step 16**, and sign off the Assessment.

**Step 16: Sign off and Authorisation.** Please state name, post, and date for each:

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