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COST RECOVERY FEE

Effective January 1, 2018 the cost of e-filing will increase from \$3.50 to \$5.00 per envelope

Government Code §68150(l) and California Rule of Court 2.506 permit the court to impose a cost recovery fee to offset the expense of providing electronic filing. The Court has undertaken substantial investments in technological equipment and infrastructure to provide e-filing, implement the Odyssey Case Management System and expand memory capabilities as the database of case records continues to grow. In order to offset a small amount of those expenses the court is increasing the electronic filing fee.