



## IAN REES PHILLIPS

### Six Pump Court Chambers

#### ***Public Access – Personal Injury Claims***

I can advise or represent you if you are making a claim for compensation for personal injury arising from an accident or defending the same.

#### ***Timescales***

Timescales may vary depending on factors such as my availability, the need for additional documents and court waiting times. However, as a guide cases that are suitable for settlement should settle within six months, and if not, the courts tend to have a trial within 2 years of a claim is issued.

#### ***Fees***

If you are the claimant, I may charge on a conditional fee agreement ('no win no fee' which means that you will only pay my fees if your claim is successful and you receive compensation). Below I have provided fee estimates based on how much your claim is for (up to £25,000), and the ranges of my current fees. All fees also are liable for VAT as well (where applicable). If we use a conditional fee agreement, your fees may be towards the higher end of the range if you need more detailed work and/or you have a more complex claim. If your claim is successful the other side will also normally reimburse your additional costs (such as court fees and expert witness fees) and I will charge a success fee which is payable as a percentage of the compensation you receive.

If your claim is unsuccessful, you will not normally pay my fees, or the other side's legal fees or costs. However, you will still need to pay your other costs. If you do not already have legal expenses insurance, you may therefore wish to take out an after the event insurance policy to cover these costs.

If you are charged fixed fees, these may vary depending on your needs – for example, your fees may be towards the higher end of the range if you need more detailed advice and/or you have a more complex case. If you have a particularly complex case, your fees may also be higher than the estimates below. My fees are also determined by other factors, such as the time needed to travel to hearings and how organised the documents might be.

Your case may require charging on an hourly basis, in which case my fees of £150 plus VAT per hour will apply.

#### ***Claim value < £3,000***

Meeting with you  
Written advice on your claim  
Drafting a statement of case  
Trial (if required)  
Success fee (if payable)

#### ***Estimates of fixed fees***

£300 – £750  
£450 – £1,250  
£750 – £2,500  
£3,000 – £6,000  
25% of compensation received

**Claim value £3,000 - £9,999**

Meeting with you	£300 – £750
Written advice on your claim	£450 – £1,250
Drafting a statement of case	£750 – £2,500
Trial (if required)	£3,000 – £6,000
Success fee (if payable)	25% of compensation received

**Claim value £10,000 - £14,999**

Meeting with you	£300 – £750
Written advice on your claim	£450 – £1,250
Drafting a statement of case	£750 – £2,500
Trial (if required)	£3,000 – £6,000
Success fee (if payable)	25% of compensation received

**Claim value £15,000 - £25,000**

Meeting with you	£300 – £750
Written advice on your claim	£450 – £1,250
Drafting a statement of case	£750 – £2,500
Trial (if required)	£3,000 – £6,000
Success fee (if payable)	25% of compensation received