

Proposed changes to the members policy

Current policy

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8.1.1 Pay half a day fee for events that are cancelled within five calendar days of the scheduled hearing commencement date [capped at 7 calendar days]

8.1.2 Pay a full fee for events that conclude earlier than anticipated [capped at day 1-2; half a fee for days 3-5; no fee thereafter]

8.1.3 Pay half a day fee for split event days that are within 28 calendar days of an early finish. [no fee thereafter]. Split events are defined as events scheduled over non-consecutive days.