Adjustments to the 1988-1989 Laffey Matrix Rates Using the Legal Services Index¹

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20th+	\$265	\$284	\$306	\$320	\$336	\$355	\$363	\$375	\$389	\$406	
11th - 19th	\$220	\$235	\$254	\$265	\$279	\$294	\$301	\$311	\$323	\$337	
8th - 10th	\$195	\$209	\$225	\$235	\$247	\$261	\$267	\$276	\$287	\$299	
4th - 7th	\$135	\$144	\$156	\$163	\$171	\$181	\$185	\$191	\$198	\$207	
1st - 3rd	\$110	\$118	\$127	\$133	\$139	\$147	\$151	\$155	\$162	\$168	
Paralegal/Law Clerk	\$60	\$64	\$69	\$72	\$76	\$80	\$82	\$85	\$88	\$92	
Adjustment Factor ³		1.070028	1.079406	1.044462	1.051083	1.055228	1.023726	1.032038	1.039630	1.041931	

¹ Laffey refers to Laffey v. Northwest Airlines, 572 F. Supp. 354 (D.D.C. 1983), affirmed in part and reversed in part on other grounds, 746 F.2d 4 (D.C. Cir. 1984), overruled in part on other grounds, Save Our Cumberland Mountains v. Hodel, 857 F.2d 1516, 1525 (D.C. Cir. 1988)(en banc).

² The rates in this column represent the 1989 update to the *Laffey* matrix rates for Washington, D.C. *See Covington v. District of Columbia*, 839 F. Supp. 894, 904 (D.D.C. 1993).

³ The Adjustment Factor refers to the legal services component of the Consumer Price Index produced by the Bureau of Labor Statistics of the United States Department of Labor. Each Adjustment Factor is calculated by dividing the legal services component for June of the current year by the component for June of the previous year.

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20th+	\$406		\$445	\$468	\$487	\$523	\$549	\$574	\$599	\$614	
11th - 19th	\$337	\$352	\$369	\$389	\$404	\$434	\$456	\$477	\$497	\$510	
8th - 10th	\$299	\$312	\$327	\$345	\$359	\$385	\$404	\$423	\$441	\$452	
4th - 7th	\$207	\$216	\$227	\$239	\$248	\$266	\$280	\$293	\$305	\$313	
1st - 3rd	\$168	\$175	\$184	\$194	\$202	\$216	\$227	\$238	\$248	\$254	
Paralegal/Law Clerk	\$92	\$96	\$101	\$106	\$110	\$118	\$124	\$130	\$136	\$139	
Adjustment Factor ³		1.043902	1.049065	1.052895	1.040719	1.072663	1.050687	1.045537	1.042691	1.025641	

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20th+	\$614	\$646	\$672	\$686	\$709	\$734	\$753	\$772	\$790	\$797	
11th - 19th	\$510	\$536	\$558	\$570	\$589	\$610	\$626	\$641	\$656	\$662	
8th - 10th	\$452	\$475	\$494	\$505	\$522	\$541	\$554	\$568	\$581	\$586	
4th - 7th	\$313	\$329	\$342	\$350	\$362	\$374	\$384	\$393	\$403	\$406	
1st - 3rd	\$254	\$267	\$278	\$284	\$293	\$304	\$312	\$319	\$327	\$330	
Paralegal/Law Clerk	\$139	\$146	\$152	\$155	\$161	\$166	\$171	\$175	\$179	\$180	
Adjustment Factor ³		1.051500	1.040127	1.021848	1.033724	1.035168	1.025790	1.024383	1.023459	1.008873	

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20th+	\$797	\$826	\$865	\$895	\$899	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	
11th - 19th	\$662	\$686	\$718	\$743	\$747	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	
8th - 10th	\$586	\$608	\$636	\$658	\$661	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	
4th - 7th	\$406	\$421	\$440	\$456	\$458	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	
1st - 3rd	\$330	\$342	\$358	\$371	\$372	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	
Paralegal/Law Clerk	\$180	\$187	\$195	\$202	\$203	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	
Adjustment Factor ³		1.036943	1.046290	1.035079	1.004920	0.000000	0.000000	0.000000	0.000000	0.000000	

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