

SUMMARY ONLY MOTORING OFFENCE

Price information for assistance in relation to summary only motoring offences under Part 1 of the Road Traffic Act 1988 and Section 89 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 (e.g. careless driving, drink/drug driving, speeding) –

Guilty plea - £240

The fee includes –

- 1 One hours attendance/preparation, considering evidence, taking your instructions, providing advice on the likely sentence
- 2 Attendance and representation at a single hearing at Doncaster Magistrates Court (fees negotiable for hearings at other Magistrates Courts)
- 3 Preliminary advice in relation to appeal against sentence

The fee does not include –

- 1 Instruction of any expert witness
- 2 Taking a statement from any witness
- 3 Advice and assistance in relation to a ‘special reasons’ hearing
- 4 Assistance in relation to lodging notice of appeal against sentence or conducting an appeal

The key stages of your matter (based on the assumptions that you have entered a guilty plea and that the matter is resolved at one hearing)

- 1 You will meet with your solicitor to provide instructions on what occurred
- 2 We will consider initial details of the prosecution case and any additional evidence, and provide advice
- 3 We will arrange to take any witness statements if necessary (at an additional cost of £188 plus VAT per hour)
- 4 We will explain the Court procedure to you so that you know what to expect on the day of your hearing and the sentencing guidelines/options available to the Court
- 5 We will conduct any necessary proprietary work, obtain further instructions from you if necessary and answer any reasonable queries you have
- 6 We cannot predict at what time your case will be reached on the hearing date as that depends on the Court work load for that particular day
- 7 We will attend Court on the hearing date and meet with you before going into Court. We anticipate being at Court for up to 3 hours
- 8 We will discuss the outcome with you and provide preliminary advice on appeal, this will carry an additional cost (fees negotiable).