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## Appendix IV

### UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT DISTRICT OF RHODE ISLAND

#### DISTRICT OF RHODE ISLAND MAXIMUM ATTORNEY FEE WITHOUT WRITTEN FEE APPLICATION

- (a) Pursuant to [R.I. LBR 2017-1](#), a detailed application for compensation is required within sixty (60) days after the section 341 meeting is held whenever the fee for services provided by an attorney for a Chapter 13 debtor exceeds: \$3,500, plus \$500 for post confirmation work.
- (b) A detailed application for compensation is required within twenty (20) days of the bankruptcy filing whenever the fee for services provided by a document preparer exceeds: \$150.
- (c) The amounts set forth herein are for the sole purpose of establishing when an applicant is required to file a fee application with the Court. These amounts should not be construed as minimum fees for specific services. The Court may require applicants to file fee applications even when the fee charged is below or equal to the minimum amounts set forth herein, and all fees whether above or below the amounts set forth herein are subject to Court approval.
- (d) Pursuant to [R.I. LBR 2016-1](#), counsel and document preparers are advised to keep contemporaneous time records to support all work performed on behalf of the debtor(s) and to file said fee applications within the time allowed above. Failure to comply with [R.I. LBR 2017-1](#) will result in the issuance of an Order to Show Cause why disgorgement of all fees should not be made, or other sanctions imposed.