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**DRAFT RESOLUTIONS OF A
SPECIAL GENERAL MEETING OF
THE BARBADOS BAR ASSOCIATION
HELD ON FRIDAY 1st JULY 2022**

Resolution for action to be taken with respect to the Report of the Costs Fees Committee for the amendment of the Legal Profession (Attorneys-at-Law) (Remuneration for Non-Contentious Business) Rules

WHEREAS at a Special General Meeting of the Barbados Bar Association convened on the 4th day of June 2021, the membership resolved inter alia:

1. That the Costs Fees Committee is directed to consider and make proposals for:
 - (i) The amendment of the Legal Profession (Attorneys-at-Law) (Remuneration for Non-Contentious Business) Rules with a view to updating and augmenting the provisions therein to meet the circumstances of modern practice; and
 - (ii) The inclusion of proposed hourly rates for Attorneys-at-Law according to several bands of seniority;
2. That the proposal or proposals of the Costs Fees Committee be presented to a further Special General Meeting of members to be called for the purpose.

AND WHEREAS the Costs Fees Committee has considered and made proposals for the amendment of the said Rules:

AND WHEREAS the Costs Fees Committee has conducted a survey of the members of the Barbados Bar Association to solicit members' views of the said proposals and collated the survey results into a report which has been circulated to the members:

BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

1. The Report of the Costs Fees Committee for the amendment of the Legal Profession (Attorneys-at-Law) Contentious Business Rules is approved by the members and adopted.

2. The Costs Fees Committee do prepare new draft Rules and, pursuant to Section 35 of the Legal Profession Act, Cap. 370A of the Laws of Barbados, the said Report and new draft Rules be submitted to the Rules Committee of the Supreme Court for consideration and approval.

The above resolutions were passed at a Special Meeting of the Barbados Bar Association held on the day of 2022

President