

BENEFIT REVIEW/APPROVAL OF ATTORNEY FEES			
Fiscal Year	State Average Wkly Wage	Percentage Change	Adjusted Threshold
7/1/96 - 6/30/97	\$474	NA	\$10,000.00
7/1/97 - 6/30/98	\$492	3.79746	\$10,379.75
7/1/98 - 6/30/99	\$515	4.67479	\$10,864.98
7/1/99 - 6/30/00	\$541	5.04854	\$11,413.50
7/1/00 - 6/30/01	\$562	3.8817	\$11,856.54
7/1/01 - 6/30/02	\$581	3.38078	\$12,257.38
7/1/02 - 6/30/03	\$599	3.09811	\$12,637.13
7/1/03 - 6/30/04	\$618	3.17195	\$13,037.96
7/1/04 - 6/30/05	\$638	3.23625	\$13,459.90
7/1/05 - 6/30/06	\$663	3.9185	\$13,987.33
7/1/06 - 6/30/07	\$682	2.86576	\$14,388.17
7/1/07 - 06/30/08	\$713	N/A*	N/A*
7/1/08 - 06/30/09	\$752	N/A*	N/A*
*TCA 50-6-226 allows the Department to approve any attorney's fee if the fee does not exceed 20 percent of the award to the injured worker, or 20 percent of the first 400 weeks of benefits in cases of permanent and total disability.			