

THE LAW SOCIETY OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

In the matter of the *Legal Profession Act*, SBC 1998, c. 9

and a hearing concerning

DANIEL CLAYTON GALLANT

APPLICANT

**DECISION OF THE HEARING PANEL
ON COSTS**

Panel: Nancy G. Merrill, Chair
Lance J. Ollenberger, Public representative
Peter D. Warner, QC, Lawyer

Discipline Counsel: Henry C. Wood, QC
Counsel for the Applicant: Sarah J. Rauch

DECISION ON COSTS

- [1] The Panel found that the Applicant is of good character and repute and fit to become a barrister and a solicitor. At the conclusion of our reasons we invited written submissions on the issue of costs within 30 days of the delivery of the decision to counsel.
- [2] No submissions as to costs were received from the parties.
- [3] The Law Society has provided a Bill of Costs. The disbursements claimed by the Law Society, being the attendance of the Court Reporter and copying, are reasonable and were necessary. They amount to \$630.47 plus applicable taxes of \$63.80.

[4] The Law Society has claimed \$2,000, which is the tariff amount for a one day attendance. This amount is also reasonable.

COSTS

[5] We order that the Applicant pay to the Law Society of British Columbia \$2,694.27 in costs and disbursements by December 31, 2017, on the following basis:

- (a) \$2,000 in costs, and
- (b) disbursements and taxes of \$694.27.