**§1502-C. Discretionary costs**

In addition to other costs allowed to the prevailing party, the court may include as costs, in such amounts as it considers just and reasonable, any of the following items: [PL 1985, c. 384, §4 (NEW).]

**1. Reasonable expert witness fees and expenses.**  Expert witness fees and expenses, as allowed by Title 16, section 251;

[PL 1985, c. 384, §4 (NEW).]

**2. Cost of medical reports.**  The cost of reasonable medical reports, not including costs of the examination or treatment of a patient, which are prepared for the purpose of litigation and which are exchanged by the parties;

[PL 1985, c. 384, §4 (NEW).]

**3. Visual aids.**  The reasonable costs of charts, diagrams, photographs and other visual aids necessary for clear understanding of the case by the court or jury not to exceed $500;

[PL 1985, c. 384, §4 (NEW).]

**4. Costs of depositions.**  Costs in the taking of depositions as allowed by rule of the Supreme Judicial Court or by other law; and

[PL 1985, c. 384, §4 (NEW).]

**5. Other costs.**  Such other costs as the Supreme Judicial Court may allow by rule.

[PL 1985, c. 384, §4 (NEW).]

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