

Penalties for Non-Compliance Under the Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications Act

There are two types of penalties: Summary Offense Tickets and Administrative Penalties.

Fees for Summary Offense Tickets

Schedule 33 Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications Act

	Offence	Section	Out of Court Settlement
1	Practising compulsory certified trade without satisfying prescribed conditions	22(2)	\$927.50
2	Employing prohibited person in compulsory certified trade	22(3)	\$927.50
3	Contravening order or directive of Director (specify)	27(1)(c)	\$927.50

Schedule 33–Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications Act
Out of court settlement amounts increased: N.S. Reg. 339/2013; N.S. Reg. 274/2015.

Schedule 33A Regulations made under the Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications Act

	Offence	Section	Out of Court Settlement		
	Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications Act General Regulations				
1	Failing to provide direct supervision for apprentice	14(b)	\$927.50		
2	Failing to maintain required ratio of journeyperson to apprentice	23(1)	\$927.50		
3	Failing to keep identity card in possession when practising designated trade	34(2)	\$467.50		
4	Failing to produce identity card upon request	34(3)	\$927.50		

Schedule 33A–Regulations made under the Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications Act Out of court settlement amounts increased: N.S. Reg. 339/2013; N.S. Reg. 274/2015.

Fees for Administrative Penalties

	Amount of administrative penalty			
Person issued notice	1st notice	2nd notice	3rd or subsequent notice	
Employee	\$500	\$1000	\$2000	
Employer or recognized association	\$1000	\$2000	\$5000	

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