# OAKLAND COUNTY CIRCUIT AND PROBATE COURTS LANGUAGE INTERPRETER FEE SCHEDULE AND SERVICE POLICY

The court may set reasonable compensation for interpreters who are appointed by the court. *MCR* 1.111(*F*) (4)

### Payment Fee Schedule

Certified Interpreters \$70.00/hour Qualified Interpreters \$50.00/hour Firm (last resort) \$80.00/hour

### **Payment Policies**

Interpreting Services are paid by the hour with a two-hour guarantee. The Court does not pay for travel time, mileage, lunch hours, or emergency services.

When reasonable, one interpreter will handle multiple clients.

## **Cancellation Policy**

The Court is required to give notice 24 hours in advance for any cancellation. Anything less than 24 hours, the court will pay the two hour minimum

## **Extraordinary Fee Policy**

Extraordinary fees outside the standard Payment Fee Schedule will not be paid unless prior approval from the Chief Court Business Operations. All requests for extraordinary fees will be determined on a case-by-case basis.