

THE LAW SOCIETY OF SINGAPORE

PRACTICE DIRECTION 5.2.3

[Formerly PDR 2013, para 87; PDR 1989, chap 7, para 12]

TWO-THIRDS RULE

The Law Society considered a letter enquiring whether in its opinion the English rule of practice and etiquette known as the 'two-thirds rule' whereby junior counsel is paid a fee equivalent to two-thirds of that paid to his leader is applicable in Singapore.

The Law Society was not aware of the existence of such a rule and had never enforced the same in Singapore.

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