



# ASIAC

Australian Society of Intercountry Aid for Children (NSW) Inc.

## TAIWAN PROGRAM: SCHEDULE OF FEES & COSTS

These fees and costs (quoted in \$A dollars) are intended as a guide only and are current as at 1 March 2007.

Item	Cost	When Due
<b>INQUIRY</b> Initial inquiry – purchase of DoCS “ <i>Considering Adoption</i> ” info pack	\$40	On enquiry
<b>EXPRESSION OF INTEREST</b> Lodge EOI with DoCS	\$100	On lodgement
<b>JOIN ASIAC</b> 1yr /3 yr Membership	\$50 or \$140	Join online at <a href="http://www.asiac.org.au">www.asiac.org.au</a>
<b>SEMINAR</b> Attend 2 day Adoption Preparation Seminar	\$500	With DoCS invitation to attend Seminar
<b>TAIWAN ADMIN FEE</b> Taiwan Application Form & Admin Costs	\$120	
<b>APPLICATION</b> Application to adopt (DoCS)	\$4260	With application
Police check	\$187 (per person)	
Short report fee	\$122	Following Approval
Translation Fee	\$400	
Notarisation, legalisation and authentication of documents + courier fee to Taiwan	\$120	
<b>ALLOCATION</b> Fee to DoCS Legal Fees (Notary) Foreign Affairs TECO Courier Fee Fees to CSS Immigration Fee (DIMIA)	\$4800 \$100 \$200 \$150 \$75 <b>\$US10,000</b> \$1340	At allocation Following allocation      Following court hearing date

Item	Cost	When Due
<b>TRAVEL</b> Flights 2 adult fares & baby Accommodation – Feelings hotel	\$3000 US \$50/night	Min. stay of 1 week in Taiwan advisable
<b>GIFTS</b> Gift donation to CSS (this can either be money or gifts for nursery eg. Baby clothes etc.  Gifts to birth mother & family (optional)  CSS Staff gifts (optional)	\$US50  \$50 - \$100  \$50	
<b>ORDER OF ADOPTION</b> Finalising adoption – requires Order of Adoption through Supreme Court  - Preparation of Affidavits (ASIAC fee) - Lodgment of Affidavits at Supreme Court  - Australian Citizenship  - Australian Birth Certificate	\$290 (ASIAC)  \$700 approx  \$120  \$36.00 Standard (non-urgent) \$55.00 (non-urgent)	Order of Adoption (6 – 12 months after arriving home) Note : ASIAC offer this service  DoCS advise when affidavits to be lodged in person with Supreme Court Clerk  For more information & to apply online visit Dept. of Immigration – <a href="http://www.immi.gov.au">www.immi.gov.au</a>  For more information visit Births Deaths & Marriages - <a href="http://www.bdm.nsw.gov.au">www.bdm.nsw.gov.au</a>

#### Additional Costs

- Meals and sight seeing
- Accommodation cost may vary – The Feelings Hotel is close to CSS' Nursery, families may choose to stay elsewhere.

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