

Appendix BC-7
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Applicable to Retail Banks From 01/May/2018

Credit Facilities		
Item	Service Provided	Maximum Permissible Fee
General Fees	Liability, credit facility outstanding balance/balance certificates	Once a year-Free More than once a year-BD10 Liability letter addressed to Supreme Council for Women or Ministries or for social housing purpose-Free
	Release letter	Within 6 months of the loan/credit facility closure-Free After 6 months of the loan/credit facility closure-BD5
	Valuations, insurance costs, and government fees, including registration, notarization, release of title deed, etc.	Third party services - As billed by the relevant third party In-House Valuations – CBB’s prior written approval must be obtained for the fees
	Early settlement fees and/or partial settlement of a credit facility	For consumer loans 1% of the outstanding credit facility amount or BD100 whichever is lower; For residential mortgage credit facilities, 0.75% of the outstanding loan amount or BD200 whichever is lower; and The ceilings on the fees have a retroactive effect i.e. covering existing and new credit facilities
	Postponement of Installment	If offered by the licensee – No fee is permitted If requested by the customer, BD10 per postponement

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Debit/Credit Cards		
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Debit and Credit Cards	Insurance charges	The equivalent of the amount charged to the licensee by the insurance provider
	Card replacement in case of loss-based on customer request	BD5
	PIN replacement in case forgotten-based on customer request	BD2
	Card and/or PIN replacement decided by the licensee (i.e. to enhance security measures)	No fee is permitted
	International usage charges	3%, all inclusive
	Printing of debit/credit card Statement	More than 2 times per year - 300 Fils per page, subject to a cap of BD5

Bank Account and Related Fees		
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Current Accounts	Account balance below stipulated minimum	BD5 per month The balance must be calculated based on the weighted average in the specific month Orphans, widows, disabled customers, pensioners, individuals receiving social subsidies from the Ministry of Labour and Social Affairs, students and Bahraini nationals with a monthly salary below BD250 are exempted from such fee
	Account held in foreign currency (Depositing and Withdrawal)	No fee is permitted
	Account closure	No fee is permitted
Saving Accounts	Account balance below stipulated minimum	A fee of BD1 per month, if weighted average of balance in the specific month falls below BD20 (or equivalent in other currencies) Orphans, widows, disabled customers, pensioners, individuals receiving social subsidies from the Ministry of Labour and Social Affairs, students and Bahraini nationals with a monthly salary below BD250 are exempted from such fee
Account Statement	Printing of Account Statement	Up to 2 times per year -Free More than 2 times per year - 300 Fils per page, subject to a cap of BD5

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Cheques	Manager's Cheque Issuance	BD3 per cheque
	Certified Cheque Issuance	BD3 per cheque
	Cancellation of Manager's Cheque or Certified Cheque	No fee is permitted
	Cheque book issuance	BD5 for 50 leaf cheque book (Proportionate to this amount for different number of leaf per cheque book)
	Stop payment on a cheque	BD5 per cheque
	Dishonoured Cheque	BD14 per cheque
Funds transfer	Outside Bahrain – Within GCC and International	BD5, plus correspondent bank charges, if any
	Inside Bahrain – Within the bank or to other banks through EFTS	100 Fils
ATM Withdrawals	GCC Network	Not exceeding BD1
	Local Network	No fee is permitted

*Please refer to the following Paragraphs in the Business Conduct Module (Module BC) of the CBB Rulebook Volumes 1 and 2 on other services provided to individuals:

- BC-4.10.1 (Volume 1) and BC-4.9.1 (Volume 2) - (Transaction Advice)
- BC-4.12.1 (Volumes 1 and 2) - (Credit Check Reports)
- BC-10.1.7 and BC-10.1.8 (Volume 1) and BC-11.1.7 and BC-11.1.8 (Volume 2) - (Fees and Charges waiver for disabled customers)