Directions given under the Human Tissue Act 2004, the Human Tissue (Quality and Safety for Human Application) Regulations 2007 (As amended) (SI 2007 No.1523) and the Quality and Safety of Organs Intended for Transplantation Regulations 2012 (SI 2012 No.1501)

Directions on licence fee structure for the financial year 2026/27	Ref 001/2026
These Directions are	Statutory Directions

Section of the Human Tissue Act 2004, the Human Tissue (Quality and Safety for Human Application) Regulations 2007 (SI 2007 No.1523) and the Quality and Safety of Organs Intended for Transplantation Regulations 2012 (SI 2012 No.1501) providing for these Directions	Schedule 3, paragraph 2(4)(f) of the Human Tissue Act 2004, Regulation 8 of the Human Tissue (Quality and Safety for Human Application) Regulations 2007 and Regulation 6 of the Quality and Safety of Organs Intended for Transplantation Regulations 2012
These Directions come into force on	2 April 2026
These Directions remain in force	Until revoked

1. These Directions revoke Directions 001/2025.

2. These Directions are made by the Human Tissue Authority under Schedule 3, paragraph 2(4)(f) of the Human Tissue Act 2004 and as applied by Regulation 8 of the Human Tissue (Quality and Safety for Human Application) Regulations 2007 (as amended) and Regulation 6 of the Quality and Safety of Organs Intended for Transplantation Regulations 2012.

3. These Directions set out the licence fee structure of the Human Tissue Authority for the financial year commencing 1 April 2026.

4. Schedule 3, paragraph 2(4)(f) of the Human Tissue Act 2004, and as applied by Regulation 8 of the Human Tissue (Quality and Safety for Human Application) Regulations 2007 (as amended) (SI 2007 No. 1523) and Regulation 6 of the Quality and Safety of Organs Intended for Transplantation Regulations 2012 (SI 2012 No.1501), provides that “it shall be a condition of a licence...that there shall be paid to the Authority at such times as may be specified in directions sums of such amount as may be so specified in respect of its costs in connection with superintending compliance with the terms of licences.”

5. The Human Tissue Authority licence fee structure:

Date 1 April 2026

Signed... .....

Dr Colin Sullivan
Chief Executive
Human Tissue Authority

Fee Item	Human Application Sector	Post mortem sector (PM)	Research sector	Anatomy Sector	Public display sector	Organ donation and transplant
Main sites fee	9075	5575	4425	3250	1800	6275
Sats 1-4	5475	1950	1100	825	450	
Sats 5+	2725		550			
Main (Eu Import only)	3175					
Sat 1-4 (EU Only	1925					
Sats 5+ (EU Only)						
Main (NI Import only)	900					
Sat 1-4 (NI Only	550					
Sats 5+ (NI Only)						
Processing	4525					
Procurement	1600					
Testing	1600					
Storage	1600					
5+ Tissues	1600					
Distribution	800					
Import	1600					
Export	800					
Making a PM Sat		3900				
PM Removal		550				
PM Storage		550				
ODT 1-2						4100
ODT 3						8225
ODT 4						10950
ODT 5						13700
NHSBT						47500
Application fee						
Main	5225	4050	4050	4050	4050	4050
Satellite	1025	950	950	950	950	