

Civil Litigation Filing Levy (ALIA) How-To Guide For Lawyers

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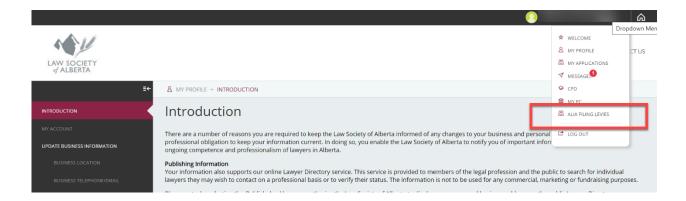
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Civil Litigation Filing – Lawyers

Once logged on to the Lawyer Portal, select the dropdown menu located at the top right-hand side of the page (to the right of your user name).

Select the ALIA FILING LEVIES option.

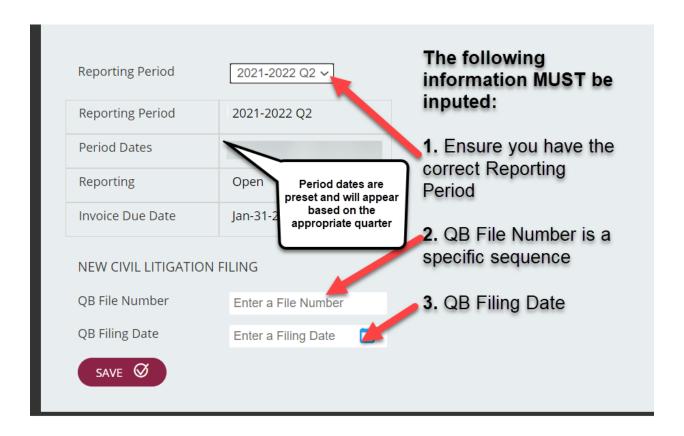


You will be taken to the Civil Litigation Levies **INTRODUCTION** page, where you will want to select the **CIVIL LITIGATION REPORTING** option.



PLEASE NOTE: Reporting & payment is currently set as a quarterly requirement, as follows:

- October 31 (for remittances covering the three-month period ending September 30);
- January 31 (for remittances covering the three-month period ending December 31);
- April 30 (for remittances covering the three-month period ending March 31); and
- July 31 (for remittances covering the three-month period ending June 30).



The current reporting period should automatically appear. You can change the reporting period that is shown, but edits cannot be made to a closed period.

Until the self-report for a quarter is completed and the invoice for it is paid, additional filings may be added to the self-report in the Law Society's Lawyer Portal. Once the invoice for a quarter is paid, further entries for that reporting period cannot be added.

For each filing report,

> enter the Court of Queen's Bench File Number

Example Format: 5555-5555

- > enter the date the filing was made with the Court
- > select "SAVE"

The report should now appear in the list of filings made during the reporting period.

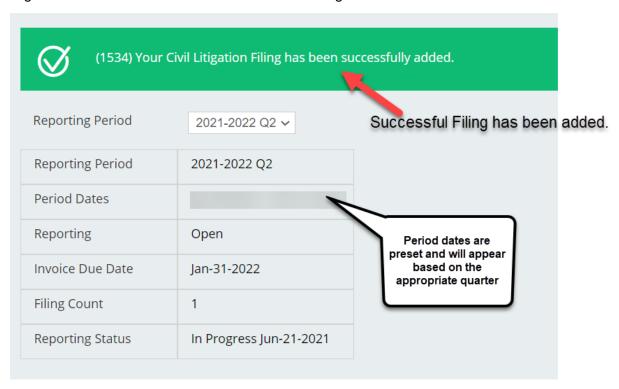
Should a reporting period remain open, a reported filing can be deleted using the trash can icon next to the report.

Should a reported filing require a change, it must be deleted and re-entered, or edits can be made if there is a typo.

Upon payment of the invoice for the reporting period, the reporting period will be closed, and you must contact the Law Society at 403-229-4700 or 1-800-661-9003 to make any changes to a filing.

Please Note: See the "Edit a Filing Submission" section below for instructions on how to edit filings, if needed.

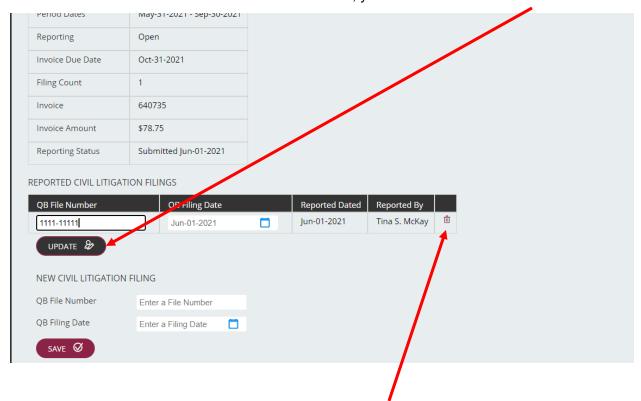
A green text box will indicate that a successful filing has been added.



Edit a Filing Submission

You can edit a QB file number and filing date in the **REPORTED CIVIL LITIGATION FILINGS** section.

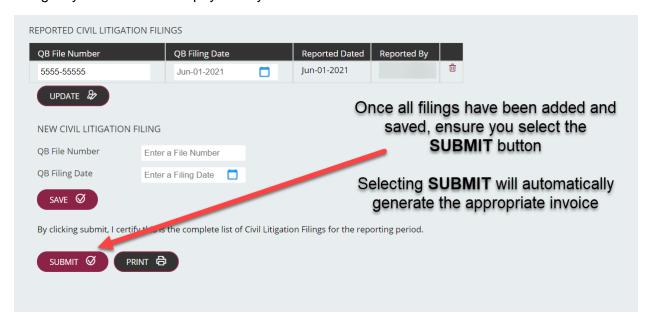
Once the information in the section has been revised, you MUST select the "UPDATE" button.



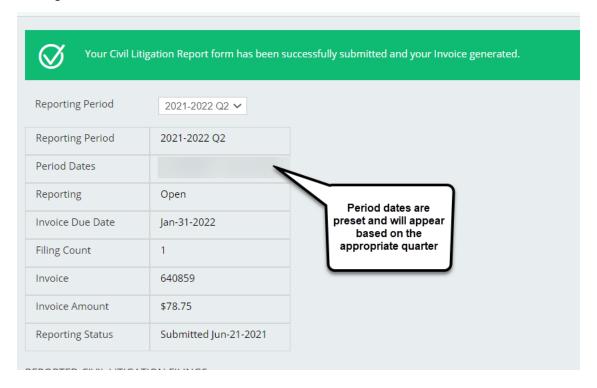
You can also delete a filing if incorrect by selecting the trash can icon.

Once you have completed your reporting for all filings within a reporting period, select "SUBMIT".

Once all required filings completed under **REPORTED CIVIL LITIGATION FILINGS** for a reporting period have been submitted, the system will generate an invoice for the Civil Litigation Filing levy amount due and payable by invoice due date.



A green text box will indicate that a successful filing has been submitted and an invoice has been generated.



Reviewing Invoices

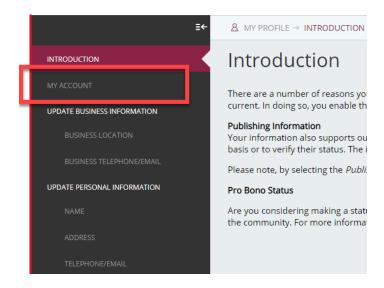
Invoices to be paid can be found under MY PROFILE > MY ACCOUNT within the Lawyer Portal.

To access invoices, select the dropdown menu located at the top right-hand side of the page (to the right of your user name).

Select the MY PROFILE option.



You will then be taken to the MY PROFILE Introduction page, where you will want to the select the MY ACCOUNT option to access the invoice(s) to be paid.



This will take you to the **Current Account** page, where the invoice(s) to be paid will be listed.



For information on how to make a payment, see <u>Making A Payment To ALIA – Law Society of Alberta.</u>