## **COST ESTIMATE**

QUESTIONNAIRE		
1.	What is the approximate value of the claim?	\$[amount]
2.	Is the party represented by counsel?	[Yes/No]
3.	How many witnesses of fact are likely to be called?	
	3.1 in respect of breach and causation?  Specify number of witnesses	
	3.2 in respect of quantum?  Specify number of witnesses	
4.	What are the disciplines of the experts you propose to rely upon?	
	4.1 Joint experts:	
	4.2 Experts in respect of breach and causation:	
	4.3 Experts in respect of quantum:	
5.	What is your time estimate for the length of trial?	[time]
6.	What is your estimate of future costs up to ar including trial?	nd \$[amount]

## Notes

- 1. To be provided by each party with the pre-action claim and the pre-action response.
- 2. The purpose of preparing and providing the cost estimate includes directing attention to costs and proportionality by setting the estimated costs out.
- 3. The proportionality for the future can be gauged by dividing the answer to Question 1 by the answer to Question 6.
- 4. The estimate of future costs in Question 6 flows from the 3 preceding questions.
- 5. The information is provided in a format so that it may be collected and analysed.