

DIRECTORS UK – RECOMMENDED MINIMUM DAILY RATE FOR ENTERTAINMENT AND MULTI-CAMERA DIRECTORS

EFFECTIVE FROM 1ST OCTOBER 2014

1. The recommended minimum daily rate for entertainment and multi-camera directors shall be £600 per day with effect from 1st October 2014.
2. This rate is exclusive of holiday, which must be added to this rate if a director is unable to take any leave.
3. The minimum rate for directors operating via a loan-out company is £665 per day, to compensate for the lack of holiday pay.
4. A booking may be made for less than one full day e.g. half a day, but the minimum rate is still £600.
5. This rate applies to productions in the following genres:
 - Awards
 - Broken comedy and sketch shows
 - Celebrity panel and quiz shows
 - Chat shows
 - Comedy stand up performances
 - Music performances
 - Game shows
 - Major “shiny floor” entertainment
 - Multi-camera studio factual programmes e.g. cookery shows
6. On productions where the current director’s rate is significantly below the new minimum rate and where the transition to the new daily rate may be difficult to achieve immediately, the production companies and directors concerned are advised to contact Directors UK for further advice and assistance.