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**To: All NSI Guarding Gold, Guarding Silver, Cash Services Gold, Cash Services Silver, Specialist Services Gold and Specialist Services Silver approved companies**

Dear Colleague,

**NSI PRICING FOR 2019/20**

NSI's client fee rates and other charges are reviewed annually and increases applied from 1st April each year.

This year the average increase being applied is 2.5% again in line with our policy of managing increases in line with projected annual CPI rate.

Increases applied vary around the average due to rounding and (in a small minority of cases) continuing steps toward consistency in pricing. In addition, we continue to hold true to absorption of recent significant cost increases from BSI for 'Standards on Subscription' and remain committed to controlling costs whilst delivering improvements in core service delivery.

In addition, those companies holding Approval, including NSI ACS Passport, will be aware that the SIA are launching a new Self Assessment Workbook (SAW) effective 1st April 2019. As part of this revision to ACS, all ACS companies are required by the SIA, this year only, to have their assessor complete a full report rather than the usual summary report. 1 day is required to complete this report. A fee of 75% of the standard Guarding Audit day will be applied for this work to be billed within NSI's annual billing cycle. Any query about this billing arrangement should be referred to Kevin McEvoy at [kevin.mcevoy@nsi.org.uk](mailto:kevin.mcevoy@nsi.org.uk).

This year a special note of appreciation goes to everyone who completed the transition to ISO 9001:2015 which overall has gone very smoothly and with almost unanimous take up. This ensured NSI Gold approval will rightly continue to be held in high regard in the industry.

Thank you for maintaining your approval with NSI.

Yours sincerely,



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