ESTIMATED START-UP COSTS OF PROPOSED NATIONAL LEGAL SERVICES BOARD (NLSB) AND NATIONAL LEGAL SERVICES COMMISSIONER (NLSC)

	Sub-total (\$)	Total (\$)	Comments
Salary and other payroll costs			Based on 2010-11 costs; VPS career structure and salary scale; indexation required for future FYs
			IGA will provide for lead time before commencement of operations (6 months has been assumed); tasks will include office fit-out, recruitment of staff and preparation of any additional National Rules and guidelines
Board remuneration	125,000		Remuneration of Board for 6 months; draft IGA provides for appointment of Board 6 months before commencement of operations
CEO/Commissioner	137,500		Salary of CEO/Commissioner for 6 months
Consultants	150,000		2 consultants to assist with setting up the organisation
Policy/regulatory manager	61,828		VPS 6 salary for 6 months – manager of policy unit to provide support to the Board and work on National Rules and guidelines
Policy/regulatory officer	47,641		VPS 5 salary for 6 months
Personal assistant/project officer	33,417		VPS 3 salary for 6 months
Employee administrative costs	20,000		Approximately \$5,000 per employee during start-up period (4 employees)
Employee establishments costs	110,000	685,386	Approximately \$5,000 per employee for basic start-up costs including computer, chair and OH&S assessment (22 employees)
Travel and personal expenses		15,000	Includes airfares, accommodation, meal allowance, car parking, taxis and public transport during start-up period
Printing, stationery and other office expenses		N/A	Host jurisdiction may assist with any initial requirements
Postage and communication expenses		104,000	Includes telephone system, cabling, internet, 1800 telephone number, call diversion to local representative, desk and mobile phones, wireless cards and video conferencing equipment
Legal and finance expenses		N/A	
Training and development costs		N/A	
Motor vehicle and other operating expenses		N/A	
Technology services costs		439,000	Includes IT hardware and set-up, separate NLSB and NLSC websites, and low-cost National Register option using existing jurisdictional software and IT infrastructure
Rent and property services		335,732	Includes office fit-out, project management of office fit-out, rent during office fit-out, and cost of setting up electronic and physical document management systems
Property utilities		32,650	Includes electricity, insurance, municipal rates, water and sewerage during the start-up period
Sub-total		1,611,768	
Contingency		80,588	5% of sub-total
TOTAL		1,692,356	