

Weighing up the costs



Indian lawyers

£20-40 per hour



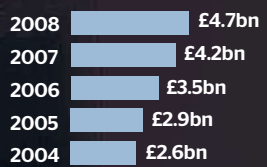
London lawyers

Partners	£600 per hour
Associates	£300-450 per hour
Paralegals	£100-140 per hour

Revenue over five years for top 100 UK law firms



Profits over five years for top 100 UK firms



In brief

\$1.2m

amount Rio Tinto saved in six weeks with new Indian lawyers

\$4bn

estimated size of legal outsourcing market by 2015

Sources: Legal Business; Times research