

**Commercial Recordings Filing Statistics
Fiscal Year-to-Date Through August 2016**

New Entity Formations				
	YTD 8/31/15	YTD 8/31/16	Difference	% Change
Limited Liability Companies	6,736	6,726	-10	-0.1%
Corporations	1,708	1,575	-133	-7.8%
Other Entities	512	464	-48	-9.4%
Total	8,956	8,765	-191	-2.2%

Initial/Annual List of Officers				
	YTD 8/31/15	YTD 8/31/16	Difference	% Change
Initial Lists	7,952	8,666	714	9.0%
Annual Lists	42,189	47,875	5,686	13.5%
Total	50,141	56,541	6,400	12.8%

State Business Licenses				
Title 7				
	YTD 8/31/15	YTD 8/31/16	Difference	% Change
LLCs and Other Entities*	31,132	33,288	2,156	6.9%
Corporations*	12,782	15,983	3,201	25.0%
Total	43,914	49,271	5,357	12.2%

Non-title 7 (Sole Proprietors and Partnerships)				
	YTD 8/31/15	YTD 8/31/16	Difference	% Change
New	1,991	3,816	1,825	91.7%
Renew	3,779	4,155	376	9.9%
Total	5,770	7,971	2,201	38.1%

Active Entities				
Active Title 7 Entities				
	YTD 8/31/15	YTD 8/31/16	Difference	% Change
Limited Liability Companies	171,097	179,213	8,116	4.7%
Corporations	112,302	101,238	-11,064	-9.9%
Other Entities	12,649	11,311	-1,338	-10.6%
Total	296,048	291,762	-4,286	-1.4%

Active Non-Title 7				
	YTD 8/31/15	YTD 8/31/16	Difference	% Change
Sole Proprietors	39,000	45,860	6,860	17.6%
General Partnerships	2,056	2,132	76	3.7%
Other	217	286	69	31.8%
Total	41,273	48,278	7,005	17.0%

Active Title 7 & Non-Title 7				
Total Active Entities	337,321	340,040	2,719	0.8%

* Notes: -State Business Licenses were not segregated by entity type until October, 2015. While the total number of Title 7 business licenses issued for each period is known, the number of corporation versus non-corporation business licenses issued was estimated using Annual and Initial list filing as a proxy.