

**Commercial Recordings Filing Statistics
Fiscal Year-to-Date Through February 2017**

New Entity Formations				
	YTD 2/28/16	YTD 2/28/17	Difference	% Change
Limited Liability Companies	26,854	26,357	-497	-1.9%
Corporations	6,838	6,120	-718	-10.5%
Other Entities	1,890	1,688	-202	-10.7%
Total	35,582	34,165	-1,417	-4.1%
Initial/Annual List of Officers				
	YTD 2/28/16	YTD 2/28/17	Difference	% Change
Initial Lists	33,074	32,815	-259	-0.8%
Annual Lists	184,473	190,026	5,553	3.0%
Total	217,547	222,841	5,294	2.4%
State Business Licenses				
Title 7				
	YTD 2/28/16	YTD 2/28/17	Difference	% Change
LLCs and Other Entities*	132,303	132,920	617	0.5%
Corporations*	63,058	64,461	1,403	2.2%
Total	195,360	197,381	2,021	1.0%
Non-title 7 (Sole Proprietors and Partnerships)				
	YTD 2/28/16	YTD 2/28/17	Difference	% Change
New	10,775	13,218	2,443	22.7%
Renew	14,823	17,114	2,291	15.5%
Total	25,598	30,332	4,734	18.5%
Active Entities				
Active Title 7 Entities				
	YTD 2/28/16	YTD 2/28/17	Difference	% Change
Limited Liability Companies	172,973	182,490	9,517	5.5%
Corporations	104,552	97,817	-6,735	-6.4%
Other Entities	12,172	11,412	-760	-6.2%
Total	289,697	291,719	2,022	0.7%
Active Non-Title 7				
	YTD 2/28/16	YTD 2/28/17	Difference	% Change
Sole Proprietors	42,918	48,398	5,480	12.8%
General Partnerships	2,091	2,164	73	3.5%
Other	250	287	37	14.8%
Total	45,259	50,849	5,590	12.4%
Active Title 7 & Non-Title 7				
Total Active Entities	334,956	342,568	7,612	2.3%

* 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.