

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

New Entity Formations				
	YTD 11/30/16	YTD 11/30/17	Difference	% Change
Limited Liability Companies	16,085	17,067	982	6.1%
Corporations	3,741	3,656	-85	-2.3%
Other Entities	1,069	759	-310	-29.0%
Total	20,895	21,482	587	2.7%

Initial/Annual List of Officers				
	YTD 11/30/16	YTD 11/30/17	Difference	% Change
Initial Lists	20,736	22,329	1,593	7.7%
Annual Lists	114,762	117,446	2,684	2.3%
Total	135,498	139,775	4,277	3.2%

State Business Licenses				
Title 7				
	YTD 11/30/16	YTD 11/30/17	Difference	% Change
LLCs and Other Entities*	79,748	87,467	7,719	9.7%
Corporations*	38,689	38,523	-166	-0.4%
Total	118,437	125,990	7,553	6.4%
Non-title 7 (Sole Proprietors and Partnerships)				
	YTD 11/30/16	YTD 11/30/17	Difference	% Change
New	8,574	10,466	1,892	22.1%
Renew	9,626	11,938	2,312	24.0%
Total	18,200	22,404	4,204	23.1%

Active Entities				
Active Title 7 Entities				
	YTD 11/30/16	YTD 11/30/17	Difference	% Change
Limited Liability Companies	180,498	190,441	9,943	5.5%
Corporations	99,598	95,201	-4,397	-4.4%
Other Entities	11,708	11,063	-645	-5.5%
Total	291,804	296,705	4,901	1.7%
Active Non-Title 7				
	YTD 11/30/16	YTD 11/30/17	Difference	% Change
Sole Proprietors	46,888	55,526	8,638	18.4%
General Partnerships	2,152	2,329	177	8.2%
Other	290	319	29	10.0%
Total	49,330	58,174	8,844	17.9%
Total Active Entities	341,134	354,879	13,745	4.0%

* 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.