

Commercial Recordings Filing Statistics
Fiscal Year-to-Date Through December 2017

New Entity Formations				
	YTD 12/31/16	YTD 12/31/17	Difference	% Change
Limited Liability Companies	19,276	20,343	1,067	5.5%
Corporations	4,511	4,399	-112	-2.5%
Other Entities	1,290	913	-377	-29.2%
Total	25,077	25,655	578	2.3%

Initial/Annual List of Officers				
	YTD 12/31/16	YTD 12/31/17	Difference	% Change
Initial Lists	24,460	26,789	2,329	9.5%
Annual Lists	139,567	142,719	3,152	2.3%
Total	164,027	169,508	5,481	3.3%

State Business Licenses				
Title 7				
	YTD 12/31/16	YTD 12/31/17	Difference	% Change
LLCs and Other Entities*	98,502	105,218	6,716	6.8%
Corporations*	47,411	47,191	-220	-0.5%
Total	145,913	152,409	6,496	4.5%

Non-title 7 (Sole Proprietors and Partnerships)				
	YTD 12/31/16	YTD 12/31/17	Difference	% Change
New	9,925	12,238	2,313	23.3%
Renew	11,895	14,475	2,580	21.7%
Total	21,820	26,713	4,893	22.4%

Active Entities				
Active Title 7 Entities				
	YTD 12/31/16	YTD 12/31/17	Difference	% Change
Limited Liability Companies	181,776	191,440	9,664	5.3%
Corporations	99,219	94,973	-4,246	-4.3%
Other Entities	11,585	10,993	-592	-5.1%
Total	292,580	297,406	4,826	1.6%

Active Non-Title 7				
	YTD 12/31/16	YTD 12/31/17	Difference	% Change
Sole Proprietors	47,852	56,397	8,545	17.9%
General Partnerships	2,159	2,333	174	8.1%
Other	288	301	13	4.5%
Total	50,299	59,031	8,732	17.4%

Active Title 7 & Non-Title 7				
Total Active Entities	342,879	356,437	13,558	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.