

and MAILED to the Oklahoma Tax Commission, 2501 N. Lincoln Blvd., Oklahoma City, Ok 73194 (18 O.S., Section 1142).

3. Limited Liability Companies (LLCs)

(18 O.S. §§ 2000 et seq.)

A limited liability company may be formed under this act for the purpose of carrying on any lawful business, purpose of activity, whether or not for profit, except that a limited liability company may not conduct business as a domestic insurer. One or more persons may form an LLC by filing Articles of Organization with the Secretary of State. A filing fee of \$100 is required. LLCs must maintain a principal office wherever located, and a registered agent with a registered office with an Oklahoma address.

4. Foreign Limited Liability Companies

(18 O.S. 2043, 2045, 2048)

Foreign LLCs may register with the Secretary of State by filing an application for registration and paying a filing fee of \$300. The application for registration must be accompanied by a certificate from the certifying officer of the jurisdiction of the foreign limited liability company's organization attesting to the foreign limited liability company's organization under the laws of such jurisdiction.

For a domestic or foreign limited liability company for which the Secretary of State acts as the registered agent, a \$40 fee shall be paid on the first day of July each year.

5. Limited Liability Partnerships (LLPs)

(54 O.S. §§ 1-1001 et seq.)

Oklahoma has provisions for Partnerships and for Limited Liability Partnerships by filing a Statement of Qualification with the Secretary of State. Filing fees vary but do not exceed \$100.

6. Business Licenses

(74 O.S. § 5058.4)

The Oklahoma Department of Commerce assists businesses in identifying state licenses, permits, and registrations needed for establishing or engaging in business in Oklahoma. Where feasible, staff will respond to questions about local and federal requirements. Information and assistance can be found at <http://www.okcommerce.gov/licensing>. The services are optional as any person may deal directly with the issuing agency.