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Annual Report Realignment Project

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Background

- Registered entities file Annual Reports at different times throughout the year.

Business Corporations	Jan. 1 – March 31
Non-Profit Corporations	June 1 – June 30
LLCs	Sept. 1 – Nov. 30

- Filing periods were developed to allow for expeditious processing of paper Annual Reports.
- With the increase in electronic filing, the need to allow for different filing periods is no longer relevant.

The Solution

Beginning in 2022, all registered entities file Annual Reports between February 1 and May 1 each year.

- All administrative filings are due at the same time each year.
- Professionals who manage the filings for multiple entities need only track one filing period.
- Filing period extended by 30 days for Business Corporations and LLCs; 60 days for Non-Profit Corporations.



BIG NEWS



Your Annual Report filing period is changing

Beginning January 1, 2022, all entities (LLCs, Business Corporations, and Non-Profits) will file their annual reports with the Business Services Division between February 1 – May 1 each year.



Questions?

Contact us at 401-222-3040 or corporations@sos.ri.gov

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