

SPECIAL BULLETIN



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No Corporate Minutes Required to be filed with the Florida Department of State

Apparently, some corporations are receiving a notice requesting minutes and a fee of \$125 to file with the Department of State. According to the Florida Department of State, there is no such requirement.

Here's the Department's consumer alert "Please be aware that Compliance Services (not to be confused with the Florida corporation, Compliance Services, Inc.) is mailing notices to new business entities requesting 'Annual Minutes' and a fee of \$125 be sent to them for filing. These notices are *not* from the Department of State, Division of Corporations. 'Annual Minutes' are not required to be filed with any agency. They are to be kept by the business entity itself. Do not confuse these notices with the messages sent by the Division of Corporations reminding each business entity to file its 2009 Annual Report."