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General Information

Typewritten is preferred. If handwritten, the form must be legible and completed in black or blue-black ink in order to permit reproduction.

The nonrefundable filing fee for this form is \$70. Checks should be made payable to the Department of State. Checks must contain a commercially pre-printed name and address.

This form and all accompanying documents shall be mailed to the address stated above.

Applicable Law

See 15 Pa.C.S. § 141 for general information on Statement of Abandonment. See 15 Pa.C.S. §§ 334, 344, 354, 365, 374 for abandonment of entity transactions. Statutes are available on the Pennsylvania General Assembly website, www.legis.state.pa.us, by following the link for Statutes.

Who should file this form?

A document previously delivered to the Department of State for filing but which has not yet taken effect may be abandoned before it takes effect by filing a Statement of Abandonment.

Only documents that have not yet taken effect may be abandoned under this section. If a document has taken effect, it may be corrected under 15 Pa.C.S. § 138 if the requirements of that section are satisfied. Otherwise, the document must be amended in accordance with the applicable provisions of this title or, if the document relates to the formation of an entity, the existence of the entity may be terminated in accordance with the applicable provisions of this title.

Attachments

The following, in addition to the filing fee, shall accompany this form:

- (1) One copy of a completed form DSCB:15-134B (Docketing Statement - Changes) with respect to each association affected by the filing.

Form Instructions

Enter the name and mailing address to which any correspondence regarding this filing should be sent. This field must be completed for the Bureau to return the filing. If the filing is to be returned by email, an email address must be provided. An email will be sent to address provided, containing a link and instructions on how a copy of the filed document or correspondence may be downloaded. Any email or mailing addresses provided on this form will become part of the filed document and therefore public record.

1. Give the exact name of the association. The name on this line must match exactly the association name as provided in the document sought to be abandoned and in the Department's records at the time the Statement is submitted for filing. **This field is required.**
2. The type of document to be abandoned is the name of the form or document previously submitted, which has not yet become effective: Statement of Merger, Articles of Incorporation, etc. **This field is required.**
3. The date is the date the document sought to be abandoned was delivered to the Department for filing. **This field is required.**
4. Approval. See 15 Pa.C.S. §§ 334, 344, 354, 365, 374 for requirements for approval of abandonment of entity transactions. Statutes are available on the Pennsylvania General Assembly website, www.legis.state.pa.us, by following the link for Statutes. **This field is required.**

Signature and Verification

The Statement of Abandonment must be signed by a person with the authority to sign the statement. For abandonment of entity transactions (merger, interest exchange, conversion, division and domestication), the Statement of Abandonment must be signed by a party to the plan. Where a document being abandoned has been signed by an association, an individual who is different from the individual who signed the original document on behalf of the association may sign the statement of abandonment on behalf of the association. Signing a document delivered to the Department for filing is an affirmation under the penalties provided in 18 Pa.C.S. § 4904 (relating to unsworn falsification to authorities) that the facts stated in the document are true in all material respects. **This field is required.**