



ARIZONA CORPORATION COMMISSION

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Corporation Commission Warns Business Owners of Dubious Solicitation

*“Arizona Corporate Headquarters” and “Board of Business Compliance” Not
Affiliated with Arizona Corporation Commission*

PHOENIX—The Arizona Corporation Commission is warning Arizona business owners that organizations with names such as “Arizona Corporate Headquarters” and “Board of Business Compliance” are sending out official-looking documents advertising a service of preparing filings for corporations. These solicitations, requesting payment of a \$197 fee, are not Corporation Commission documents and these organizations are not in any way affiliated with the Arizona Corporation Commission. The Corporation Commission does not require business owners and their representatives to file with Arizona Corporate Headquarters or the Board of Business Compliance, nor does it require the \$197 fee referred to in the document.

The documents look very similar to Corporation Commission filing documents and the private firms making the solicitation intentionally create confusion by using language in the solicitation that is similar to that in Corporation Commission documents. The forms carry an official-looking time deadline for filing and include the Arizona Corporation Commission file number assigned to the business. Further, a search of both Arizona Corporate Headquarters and the Board of Business Compliance return address, places each as a mailbox at a UPS Store in Phoenix.

If you have received this document, please contact the Arizona Attorney General’s Office in Phoenix at (602) 542-5763, in Tucson at (520) 628-6504, or outside the Phoenix and Tucson metro areas at 1-(800)-352-8431. To file a complaint online, please visit the Attorney General’s web site at www.azag.gov. To file a complaint in person, the Attorney General’s Office has 37 satellite offices throughout Arizona with volunteers available to help. Locations and hours are posted on the Attorney General’s web site.

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