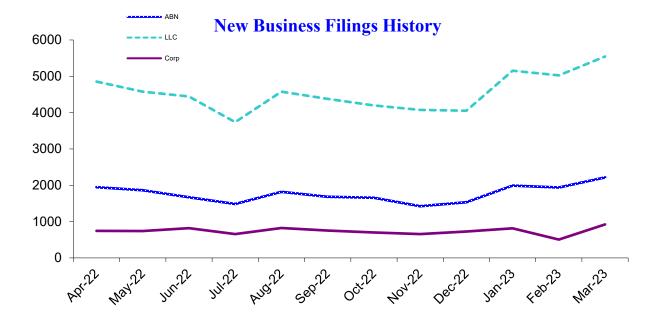


Business Report

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New Business Applications

Business Type	Latest Month	Previous Month	12 Months Ago	Change Year Ago
Assumed Business Names	2,216	1,936	2,043	8.5%
Limited Liability Companies	5,545	5,026	5,204	6.6%
Corporations				
(Domestic & Foreign: Business, Nonprofit, Professional)	922	505	907	1.7%
Business Registry Total	8,683	7,467	8,154	6.5%



Active Business Filings

Business Type	Latest Month	Previous Month	12 Months Ago	Change Year Ago
Assumed Business Names	123,435	121,816	122,966	0.4%
Limited Liability Companies	271,424	269,408	260,156	4.3%
Corporations	115,847	115,334	116,961	-1.0%
Other	2,784	2,774	2,821	-1.3%
Business Registry Total	513,490	509,332	502,904	2.1%

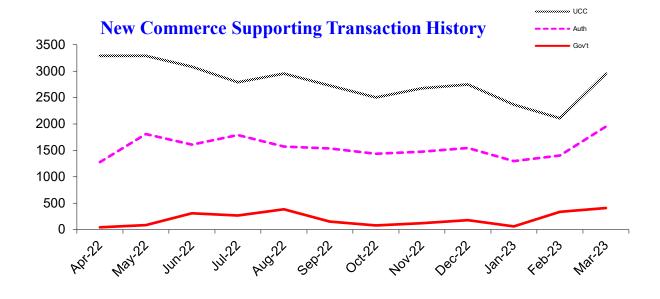


UCC & Notary Report

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New Commerce Supporting Transactions

Filing Transaction Type	Latest Month	Previous Month	12 Months Ago	Change Year Ago
Uniform Commercial Code	2,952	2,107	3,229	-8.6%
Agricultural Liens (EFS, ASL, Grain, Ag produce)	50	34	43	16.3%
Government Liens (IRS, Revenue, Employment)	408	336	74	451.4%
Secured Transactions	3,410	2,477	3,346	1.9%
Notary Authentications for International Use	1,951	1,403	1,302	49.8%



Active Filings

Filing Transaction Type	Latest Month	Previous Month	12 Months Ago	Change Year Ago
Uniform Commercial Code	182,370	180,255	177,317	2.8%
Agricultural Liens (EFS, ASL, Grain, Ag produce)	3,407	3,374	3,555	-4.2%
Government Liens (IRS, Revenue, Employment)	12,921	12,776	14,440	-10.5%
Secured Transactions	198,698	196,405	195,312	1.7%
Commissioned Notaries Public	39,654	39,768	39,505	0.4%
Active RON Notaries	500	474	324	46.3%
Active IPEN Notaries	61	56	36	55.6%