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Doing business in BC



Starting, Expanding, or Moving a Business?

Welcome to the OneStop Business Registry where you can do the most commonly required business registrations and transactions.

New! Renew or View Your Liquor Licence

- [Renew your liquor licence quickly and easily, or](#)
- [View the status of any changes you've requested to your liquor licence.](#)

1 Find Information on Starting Your Business

[Information on starting a new business.](#)

2 Choose Your Business Name and Get It Approved

[This is the first step in registering your business.](#)

3 Choose a Domain Name (optional)

[To register your business web address](#) (e.g. - [www.bcbusinessregistry.ca](#))

4 Register a Proprietorship or Partnership OR

Incorporate Your Company

Register a [Proprietorship or Partnership](#) (also known as "doing business as", or DBA) Or [Incorporate Your Company](#) and file other Business Corporations Act forms over the Internet.

5 Register with other Public Agencies

[Go here for GST, Payroll Deductions, WorkSafeBC - the Workers' Compensation Board of B.C., PST, Hotel Room Tax and Municipal Business Licences \(plus more\).](#)

6 Change Your Business Address

[Automatically notify many participating public agencies \(a BCeID is required\).](#)

7 Find More Business Information

[Go here for specialized advice on growing your business.](#)

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