



# Is Your Business Still Exposed?

We can form a new Corporation or LLC in as little as 24 hours

If you operate your business either as a sole-proprietorship or general partnership, your personal assets are fully exposed to all business liabilities.



A **sole proprietorship** is not a separate legal entity from the owner. Even if you file a fictitious business name with your county recorder's office, you personally are liable for all claims against your business...frivolous or not. Many claims against small businesses can exceed the limits of your CGL insurance, and many others are specifically excluded from coverage.

Worse, if two or more people (other than husband-wife) are in business together, they are considered by default to be in a **general partnership**. This means you have all the liability of a sole proprietorship, plus the liability for all actions of your partner(s).

## OK, I need this, but which entity is best? "C" Corp? "S" Corp? LLC?

The answer to any legal question is: it depends. During a free consultation with our experienced small business attorneys, we will ask you the right questions about your business structure, tax situation, etc., and recommend the best entity for you. Online services just fill out and file forms...only an attorney is permitted to offer legal advice.

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# When The Small Business Law Firm forms my Corporation or LLC, what do I get?

- A **full-service law firm** with experienced business attorneys who answer your phone calls and provide solid legal advice every step of the way.
- **Articles of Incorporation (or Organization)**, filed with the California Secretary of State *(or equivalent agency if formed outside California)*;
- **Stock (or Member) Certificates**;
- **Bylaws (or Operating Agreement)**;
- **Detailed letter of instruction** (to assist with asset transfers, liability protection, bank accounts, entity maintenance etc.);
- **Initial Meeting Minutes**
- **Tax forms** likely to be required by corporation (or LLC);
- **Free, ongoing consultation(s) with an attorney** which directly relate to the entity formation for 30 days after we deliver the Corporate (or LLC) binder.



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## Bottom line... What does it cost?

We are one of the few law firms in the country that will publicize our legal fees...because we simply know they are less than nearly all others. They are:

**"Gold" Entity Package**                      **\$950** all inclusive flat fee, plus costs\*  
All services listed above

**"Platinum" Entity Package**              **\$1,125** all inclusive flat fee, plus costs\*  
Everything in "Gold" Package, plus we will: 1) Obtain your EIN from IRS; 2) File your initial Statement of Information; 3) File LOEN with Dept. Business Oversight.

*\*Typical costs: filing fee with Secretary of State: \$115 corporation / \$85 LLC, \$75 courier charge (avoids extended delays). Add expedite cost of \$350 if 24 hour turnaround is required.*

**Please call for a free, no-obligation consultation on any business legal matter.**

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