



Newsletter – December 2014

Issuance of Certificate of Good Standing in British Virgin Islands

The BVI Financial Services Commission issued the following announcement on 4 December 2014 regarding the launch of electronic Certificates of Good Standing:

Certificates of good Standing of both BVI Business Companies and BVI Limited Partnerships produced by the Registry of Corporate Affairs will be delivered electronically with effect from 8 December 2014.

Electronic delivery of Certificate of Good Standing, it takes advantages of:-

1. To improve service efficiency for persons doing business with the jurisdiction; and
2. Local and international customers can transact business in an even timelier manner by requesting their certificate is delivered directly to a third-party.

Transitional Period: From 8 December 2014 to 31 January 2015

- An electronic certificate AND a traditional hard copy of Certificate will be issued when a request is made.

Post-Transitional Period: Starting From 1 February 2015;

- Only an electronic certificate will be delivered;
- A traditional hard copy will be issued by paying an additional fee

Electronic certificate will bear the same security features as traditional hard copy and users may authenticate any Certificate of Good Standing that they are presented with by using the certificate authentication service on the Registry's website at www.bvifsc.vg.

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