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Law 6.015, of December 31th, 1973 – Public Records Law

TITLE III – Legal Entities Civil Registry

CHAPTER I – Legal Registration

Art. 114. In the Civil Registry of Legal Entities shall be registered: (Renumbered art. 115 of Law 6,216/75).
I - contracts, acts of incorporation, statute or commitments from civil, religious, pious, moral, scientific or literary societies as well as of the foundations and associations of public utility;
II - civil societies established under legal forms prescribed in commercial law, except for the limited companies.
III – the constitutive acts and statute of political parties. (Included by Law 9,096/95)
Sole Paragraph. In the same office will be registered the newspapers, journals, printing offices, radio broadcasting and news agencies referred to in art. 8 of Law 5,250/67.

Article 115. The constitutive acts of legal entities shall not be registered when its object or relevant circumstances indicate illegal destination or activities harmful or dangerous to the social good, to the State or collectivity safety, to the public or social order, to morals and morality. (Renumbered by art. 116 of Law 6,216/75).
Sole Paragraph. Occurring any of the reasons specified in this article, the registry officer, by his own or provoked by any authority, shall suspend the registration process and raise doubt before the judge, who shall decide it.

Art. 116. There will be, for the purposes envisaged in the previous articles, the following books: (Renumbered by art. 117 of Law 6,216/75).
I - Book A, for the purposes stated in paragraphs I and II, of art. 114, with 300 sheets;
II - Book B, for registration of printing offices, newspapers, magazines, radio broadcasting and news agencies, with 150 sheets.

Art. 117. All copies of contracts, acts, statutes and publications, recorded and filed will be filed with an index to facilitate its search and examination. (Renumbered by art. 118, of Law 6,216/75)

Art. 118. The registry officers will index by chronological and alphabetical order all records and fillings and may adopt a card system, being always responsible for any error or omission. (Renumbered by art. 118, of Law 6,216/75)

Art. 119. The existence of legal entities just begins with the registry of its constitutive acts. (Renumbered by art. 120 of Law 6,216/75)
Sole paragraph. When the functioning of a company depends on approval of authority, the register will not be performed without it.

CHAPTER II – Legal Entity
Art. 120. The registration of companies, foundations and political parties will consist on the declaration of the order number, date of presentation and type of constitutive act, made by the official in the book, with the following information: (Text by Law 9,096/95)

I - name, social patrimony, if any, purposes and the headquarters of the association or foundation, as well as the term of its duration;

II - the method by which the company is managed and represented actively and passively, and out of court;

III – if the statute, contract or commitment is reformable regarding administration and how;

IV – if members are subsidiarily liable or not for the social obligations;

V – the conditions for the legal entity extinction and destinations of its assets;

VI – name of founders or settlers and board members, provisional or definitive, indicating nationality, marital status and profession of each one, as well as the name and residency of the person presenting the copies;

Sole Paragraph. For the registration of political parties will be accomplished, in addition to the requirements of this article, those provided in specific law. (Included by Law 9,096/95)

Art. 121. For the registry it shall be submitted two copies of the statute, contract or commitment, through which the record will be made upon a petition from the legal representative of the company, launching the official, in the two copies, the competent certificate of registration, with the respective number of order, book and sheet. One copy will be handled to the representative and the other will be filed before the registry, signing the officer the sheets in which the contract, commitment or statue are printed. (Text by Law 9,042/95)