

Certification Page Regular and Emergency Rules

1. General Information							
a. Agency/Board Name See attached list for referen	nces						
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Article 9, Secured Transactions							
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Chapter Number: 4	Short Title: Search Requests and Reports						
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Attorney General

- 1. Statement of Reasons;
- 2. Original Certification Page;
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STATEMENT OF REASONS

The Secretary of State is promulgating these rules to amend its Article 9, Secured Transactions Rules Chapters 1-4, to reflect changes in the recently adopted legislation, to remove outdated processes, and to update web service addresses.

Specifically, Chapter 1 amendments repeal definitions that are no longer needed, amend definitions to meet the new law, amend the fee schedule, and change web addresses for accessing forms.

Chapter 2 amends Sec. 1(e) to update how collateral descriptions are to be written and filed with the Secretary of State.

Chapter 3 amends Sec. 2(a) to reflect new language from the new law.

Chapter 4 amends Sec. 2(a)(iv) to include a web site address.

General Provisions

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Section 3. **Definitions**.

- (a) "Amendment" means a UCC record that amends the information contained in a financing statement. Amendments include assignments, continuations and terminations.
- (b) "Assignment" is an amendment that assigns all or a part of a secured party's power to authorize an amendment to a financing statement.
 - (c) "Collateral" shall have the meaning prescribed by W.S. 34.1-9-1029(a)(xii).
- (d) "Continuation statement" shall have the meaning prescribed by W. S. 34.1-9-102(a)(xxvii).
- (e) "Correction statement" means a UCC record, filed before July 1, 2013, that indicates that a financing statement is inaccurate or wrongfully filed.
 - (f) "Debtor" shall have the meaning prescribed by W.S. 34.1-9-102(a)(xxviii).
 - (g) "File Number" shall have the meaning prescribed by W.S. 34.1-9-519.
- (h) "Filing office" means an office designated in section 34.1-9-501 as the place to file a financing statement.
- (i) "Financing statement" shall have the meaning prescribed by W.S. 34.1-9-102(a)(xxxix).
- (j) "Individual" means a human being, or a decedent in the case of a debtor that is a decedent's estate.
- (k) "Information statement" means a UCC record, filed on or after July 1, 2013, that indicates that a financing statement is inaccurate or wrongfully filed.
- (l) "Initial financing statement" means a UCC record containing the information required to be in an initial financing statement and that causes the filing office to establish the initial record of existence of a financing statement.

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 - (n) "Organization" means a legal business entity who is not an individual.
- (o) "Registered organization" shall have the meaning prescribed by W.S. 34.1-9-102(a)(lxxiii).
- (p) "Remitter" means an individual or registered organization that tenders a UCC record to the filing officer for filing, whether the remitter is a filer or an agent of a filer responsible for tendering the record for filing. "Remitter" does not include an individual or registered organization responsible merely for the delivery of the record to the filing office, such as the postal service or a courier service, but does include a service provider who acts as a filer's representative in the filing process.
 - (q) "Secured party" shall have the meaning prescribed by W.S. 34.1-9-102(a)(lxxv).
- (r) "Termination statement" shall have the meaning prescribed by W.S. 34.1-9-102(a) (lxxxii).
- (s) "UCC" means the Uniform Commercial Code as established by Title 34.1, Wyoming Statutes.
 - (t) "UCC1" means the form used for a new UCC filing.
- (u) "UCC3" means the form used for a UCC amendment filing, which includes the following forms:
 - (i) Assignment;
 - (ii) Collateral Change;
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 - (vii) Termination Statement.
 - (v) "UCC5" means the form used for a UCC information statement filing.
- (w) "UCC record" means an initial financing statement, an amendment, an assignment, a continuation, a termination or a correction statement.

Section 4. Paper Filing Fees.

- (a) The fee is \$5 for filing a termination statement which terminates an initial financing statement filed prior to July 1, 2001. If the initial financing statement is filed after July 1, 2011, there is no fee.
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- (c) The fee is \$15 for filing any amendment statement, except for a continuation statement, of one to four pages communicated on paper including faxes. If there are more than four pages, the fee is \$30. The remitter may file multiple UCC3 amendments to the same initial financing statement for one fee. For example, the following combinations of amendments, or portions thereof, may be made for one fee of \$15:
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 - (e) The fee is \$10 per debtor name for a UCC search.
 - (f) The fee is 50 cents per page for a copy of a UCC record.

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- (e) The fee is \$0.00 per name for a UCC search.
- (f) The fee is \$150.00 annually for the Internet Filing Service (up to 10 users).
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Acceptance and Refusal of Documents

Section 1. **Duty to File**.

- (a) The duties and responsibilities of the filing officer with respect to the administration of the UCC are ministerial and the filing office bears no responsibility for the legal effectiveness of a filing. In accepting for filing or refusing to file a UCC record pursuant to these rules, the filing officer does none of the following:
 - (i) Determine the legal sufficiency or insufficiency of a document.
 - (ii) Determine that a security interest in collateral exists or does not exist.
- (iii) Determine that information in the document is correct or incorrect, in whole or in part.
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- (b) Nothing in these rules prevents nor requires a filing officer from communicating to a remitter that the filing officer noticed apparent potential defects in a UCC record, whether or not it was filed or refused for filing.
- (c) If a remitter demonstrates to the satisfaction of the filing officer that a UCC record that was refused for filing should have been filed, the filing officer will file it and the effective date and time of filing which shall be the date and time the UCC record was originally tendered for filing.
- (d) If the filing officer finds grounds to refuse a UCC document, the filing officer shall return the document and communicate in writing the reasons for the rejection and the filing officer shall return or refund the filing fee.
- (e) The filing office shall require a remitter to provide the collateral description in a plain text file format if the collateral description exceeds 300 characters on a new UCC filing (UCC1) or an amendment to an existing UCC filing (UCC3). The collateral description may be provided via email, on a CD or USB flash drive or other media approved by the Secretary of State.
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- (ii) On a form that designates separate blocks (data fields) for first, middle and last names and any suffix, the filing officer enters the names into the first, middle, and last name and suffix fields in the UCC information management system exactly as set forth on the form.

Section. 2. UCC Records Tendered for Filing.

- (a) UCC records, excluding UCC5 information statements, may be transmitted electronically through on-line entry.
- (b) The time of filing for a UCC record filed electronically through on-line entry is the date and time the Wyoming UCC E-System accepts the filing.
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Search Requests and Reports

Section 1. General Requirements.

- (a) The filing officer maintains for public inspection a searchable index for all UCC records. The index shall provide for the retrieval of a record by the name of the debtor and by the file number of the initial financing statement and each filed UCC document relating to the initial financing statement.
- (b) Search requests presented to the Secretary of State's Office shall be in written form which includes letter, fax, or e-mail.
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Section 2. Rules applied to search requests.

- (a) Search results are produced by the application of standardized search logic to the name presented to the filing officer. Human judgment does not play a role in determining the results of the search. The following rules apply to searches:
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 - (v) The word "the" at the beginning of the search criteria is disregarded.
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- (vii) For first and middle names of individuals, initials are treated as the logical equivalent of all names that begin with such initials, and first name and no middle name or initial is equated with all middle names and initials. For example, a search request for John A. Smith would cause the search to retrieve all filings against all individual debtors with "John" or the initial "J" as the first name, "Smith" as the last name, and the initial "A" or any name beginning with "A" in the middle name field. If the search request were for "John Smith" (first and last names with no designation in the middle name field), the search would retrieve all filings against individual debtors with "John" or the initial "J" as the first name, "Smith" as the last name and with any name or initial or no name or initial in the middle name field.

Section 3. Certified search request responses.

- (a) Certified search requests shall include:
 - (i) Identification of the filing officer and the certificate of the filing officer.
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 - (iii) Identification of the name searched.
 - (iv) The certification date and time for which the search is effective.
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