

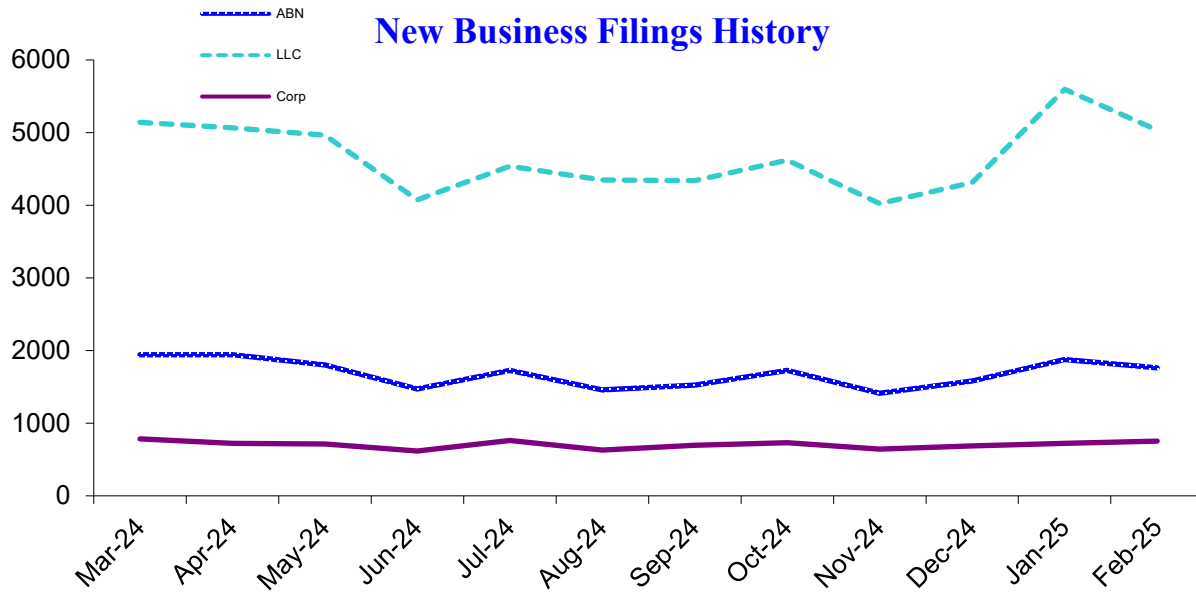


Business Report

Monthly update from Oregon's Secretary of State Tobia Read

New Business Applications

Business Type	Latest Month	Previous Month	12 Months Ago	Change Year Ago
Assumed Business Names	1,763	1,878	1,919	-8.1%
Limited Liability Companies	5,034	5,596	4,892	2.9%
Corporations (Domestic & Foreign: Business, Nonprofit, Professional)	754	721	738	2.2%
Business Registry Total	7,551	8,195	7,549	0.0%



Active Business Filings

Business Type	Latest Month	Previous Month	12 Months Ago	Change Year Ago
Assumed Business Names	116,623	116,046	118,890	-1.9%
Limited Liability Companies	301,427	298,838	287,861	4.7%
Corporations	114,972	114,842	115,955	-0.8%
Other	2,730	2,733	2,776	-1.7%
Business Registry Total	535,752	532,459	525,482	2.0%



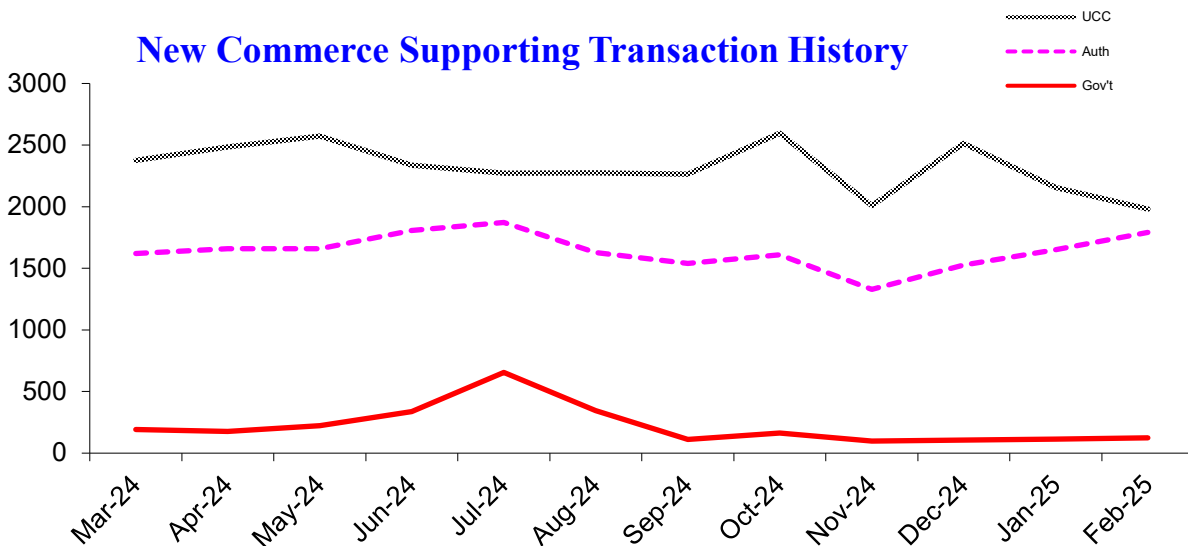
UCC & Notary Report

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New Commerce Supporting Transactions

Filing Transaction Type	Latest Month	Previous Month	12 Months Ago	Change Year Ago
Uniform Commercial Code	1,981	2,156	2,073	-4.4%
Agricultural Liens (EFS, ASL, Grain, Ag produce)	43	42	30	43.3%
Government Liens (IRS, Revenue, Employment)	123	114	183	-32.8%
Secured Transactions	2,147	2,312	2,286	-6.1%
Notary Authentications for International Use	1,791	1,650	1,670	7.2%

New Commerce Supporting Transaction History



Active Filings

Filing Transaction Type	Latest Month	Previous Month	12 Months Ago	Change Year Ago
Uniform Commercial Code	183,931	138,938	183,932	0.0%
Agricultural Liens (EFS, ASL, Grain, Ag produce)	3,223	3,234	3,290	-2.0%
Government Liens (IRS, Revenue, Employment)	11,338	11,305	11,977	-5.3%
Secured Transactions	198,492	153,477	199,199	-0.4%
Commissioned Notaries Public	38,481	38,445	39,269	-2.0%
Active RON Notaries	802	797	719	10.8%
Active IPEN Notaries	111	110	96	14.6%