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This book consists mainly of West Virginia Code (chapter, article and sections) relating to business. It contains all legislation passed since the last published version of the West Virginia Laws for Business and Licensing which was in 2010, relating to the West Virginia Business Corporation Act, Uniform Limited Liability Company Act, and the West Virginia NonProfit Corporation Act.

In addition to Corporations, Limited Liability Company, Service of Process, and Uniform Commercial Code Acts, the book also contains the following chapters relating to other business entities, as well as licensing requirements for filings that are processed in the Office of Secretary of State:

- Chapter 11-12C** Corporation License Tax
- Chapter 29-19** Solicitation of Charitable Funds Act
- Chapter 29C** Uniform Notary Act
- Chapter 30** Professions and Occupations
  - Art. 18 Private Investigative and Security Services
  - Art. 39 Uniform Athlete Agents Act
- Chapter 47** Regulation of Trade
  - Art. 2 Trademarks in General
  - Art. 2A Copyright Protection
  - Art. 8 Trade Names
  - Art. 9 Uniform Limited Partnership Act
  - Art. 9A Voluntary Associations and Business Trusts
- Chapter 47B** Uniform Partnership Act
- Chapter 48** Domestic Relations
  - Art. 2 Sec. 402. Marriages Section - Qualifications of religious representative for celebrating marriages; registry of persons authorized to perform marriage ceremonies; special revenue fund.