

Topic: Returned Mail Tracking
 Question by: Patrick Reed
 Jurisdiction: Washington
 Date: March 13, 2018

Jurisdiction	Question(s)
	I have two questions related to filing systems. 1. When you receive USPS returned mail from a business or registered agent, how do you identify it in your system? A simple check box marking invalid, remove the address, leave alone since it was attempted? 2. Once an address has been marked as invalid or undeliverable, do you take action regarding unavailability/failure to maintain agent?
Manitoba	
Corporations Canada	
Alabama	
Alaska	
Arizona	
Arkansas	
California	
Colorado	
Connecticut	
Delaware	
District of Columbia	1.) We will remove the invalid address for registered agent 2.) Since registered agent is removed due to invalid address failure to appoint valid agent is one of the grounds to revoke organization's registration.
Florida	
Georgia	
Hawaii	

Jurisdiction	Question(s)
	<p>I have two questions related to filing systems.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. When you receive USPS returned mail from a business or registered agent, how do you identify it in your system? A simple check box marking invalid, remove the address, leave alone since it was attempted? 2. Once an address has been marked as invalid or undeliverable, do you take action regarding unavailability/failure to maintain agent?
Idaho	
Illinois	
Indiana	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1.) We don't do anything – leave it alone 2.) No <p>I forgot to mention that although Indiana does not currently update its system based on return mail, we do plan on adding the functionality to do so.</p>
Iowa	
Kansas	
Kentucky	
Louisiana	<p>Louisiana response below:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1.) We have a place in our system to denote "bad address" for the business. We do not take any action regarding the registered agent. 2.) No we do not take further action. If the business does not file an annual report in the time allowed it will end up getting revoked (administratively terminated) by our office.
Maine	
Maryland	
Massachusetts	
Michigan	
Minnesota	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1.) The only filing that are recorded for returned mail are the Service of Process mailings. When we receive a Services of Process mailing as undeliverable mail, we will note it in the system as "Returned Undeliverable". The system will list the original date the service was mailed out and the date it was received back to our office as undeliverable mail. 2.) No further action taken

Jurisdiction	Question(s)
	<p>I have two questions related to filing systems.</p> <p>1. When you receive USPS returned mail from a business or registered agent, how do you identify it in your system? A simple check box marking invalid, remove the address, leave alone since it was attempted?</p> <p>2. Once an address has been marked as invalid or undeliverable, do you take action regarding unavailability/failure to maintain agent?</p>
Mississippi	
Missouri	
Montana	
Nebraska	
Nevada	
New Hampshire	
New Jersey	
New Mexico	
New York	
North Carolina	
North Dakota	
Ohio	
Oklahoma	
Oregon	
Pennsylvania	
Rhode Island	
South Carolina	
South Dakota	
Tennessee	

Jurisdiction	Question(s)
	<p>I have two questions related to filing systems.</p> <p>1. When you receive USPS returned mail from a business or registered agent, how do you identify it in your system? A simple check box marking invalid, remove the address, leave alone since it was attempted?</p> <p>2. Once an address has been marked as invalid or undeliverable, do you take action regarding unavailability/failure to maintain agent?</p>
Texas	
Utah	Utah is like Minnesota.
Vermont	
Virginia	
Washington	
West Virginia	
Wisconsin	
Wyoming	

Additional comments:

Full text of email:

Afternoon All,

I have two questions related to filing systems.

1. When you receive USPS returned mail from a business or registered agent, how do you identify it in your system? A simple check box marking invalid, remove the address, leave alone since it was attempted?

2. Once an address has been marked as invalid or undeliverable, do you take action regarding unavailability/failure to maintain agent?

Thank you!

Patrick

Patrick Reed

Public and Government Affairs Manager

Office of the Secretary of State, Corporations and Charities Division

360-725-0358

patrick.reed@sos.wa.gov

www.sos.wa.gov/corps