Dataset Overview Document NYSDOS Active Corporations and Other Business Entities

Data Collection: Data was collected by running a SQL query against a database that is used for the Department of State's business entity public search function (http://www.dos.ny.gov/corps/bus_entity_search.html).

Only DOS process / service of process address is required for incorporation. Registered agent is optional. DOS process / service of process addresses may be an individual or corporation designated to handle legal proceedings for the designated corporation and may not have any bearing on the physical address of the corporation or any of its officers.

Names and addresses for the Chairman or CEO and location fields are not collected until the entity's first "biennial statement" which is two year following their initial registration.

| Field Name | Field Info | Description |
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| DOS ID | Number(8) | Unique ID number for each corporation. |
| Current Entity Name | Varchar2(150) | Current name of corporation. |
| Initial DOS Filing Date | Varchar2(10) | Date of incorporation. |
| County | Varchar2(15) | County where entity is incorporated. |
| Jurisdiction | Varchar2(25) | State or country of jurisdiction. |
| Entity Type | Varchar2(72) | Type of incorporation. |
| DOS Process Name | Varchar2(150) | Address: name line for service of process address. |
| DOS Process Address Line 1 | Varchar2(30) | Address: line 1 for service of process address. |
| DOS Process Address Line 2 | Varchar2(30) | Address: line 2 for service of process address. |
| DOS Process City | Varchar2(25) | Address: city for service of process address. |
| DOS Process State | Varchar2(30) | Address: state (abbreviation) for service of process address. |
| DOS Process Zip | Varchar2(10) | Address: zip (both 5 and 9 digit zip codes appear here) for service of process address. |
| CEO Name | Varchar2(150) | Address: name line for CEO address. |
| CEO Address Line 1 | Varchar2(30) | Address: line 1 for CEO address. |
| CEO Address Line 2 | Varchar2(30) | Address: line 2 for CEO address. |
| CEO City | Varchar2(25) | Address: city for CEO address. |
| CEO State | Varchar2(30) | Address: state (abbreviation) for CEO address. |
| CEO Zip | Varchar2(10) | Address: zip (both 5 and 9 digit zip codes appear here) for CEO address. |
| Registered Agent Name | Varchar2(150) | Address: name line for registered agent. |
| Registered Agent Address Line 1 | Varchar2(30) | Address: line 1 for registered agent. |
| Registered Agent Address Line 2 | Varchar2(30) | Address: line 2 for registered agent. |
| Registered Agent City | Varchar2(25) | Address: city for registered agent. |
| Registered Agent State | Varchar2(30) | Address: state (abbreviation) for registered agent. |
| Registered Agent Zip | Varchar2(10) | Address: zip (both 5 and 9 digit zip codes appear here) for registered agent. |
| Location Name | Varchar2(150) | Address: name line of physical location. |
| Location Address Line 1 | Varchar2(30) | Address: line 1 of physical location. |
| Location Address Line 2 | Varchar2(30) | Address: line 2 of physical location. |
| Location City | Varchar2(25) | Address: city of physical location. |
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