

**UNINCORPORATED ENTERPRISES COMMITTEE
REPORT PREPARED FOR THE DECEMBER 3, 2011 COUNCIL MEETING**

1. Next Scheduled Meeting of the Committee

The Committee intends to schedule another meeting for the first quarter 2012 to continue its work on current matters and to provide a forum for discussion of matters of importance to business lawyers. Members of the Committee recently participated in a series of presentations relating to the recent amendments to the MLLCA. New interest has been received by the Committee from a NCUSL representative seeking consideration by the Michigan Bar of updates to Michigan's partnership and limited partnership statutes.

2. Council Approval

N/A.

3. Membership

Several new members have been added to the Committee roster since January 1, 2011.

4. Accomplishments Toward Committee Objectives

Our Committee remains active in working on legislative matters associated with the MLLCA and continues to work to educate the Bar by presenting its annual seminar (and by participating in other seminars during the year).

5. Meetings and Programs

The Committee will co-sponsor the 2012 LLC and Business Entity Update along with ICLE in 2012. Our Committee is actively involved with the Ad Hoc Committee on amendments to the Michigan Limited Liability Company Act. Further, committee members Gail Straith and Don Delong are heading up efforts to review the proposed uniform acts relative to partnerships and limited partnerships. They will propose a course of action for the Committee's consideration and then lead a subcommittee to achieve the established objectives.

The Committee members agreed to convene at least three times annually to discuss current trends and to share practice experiences. Hopefully each meeting will also include an educational presentation on a current topic of interest.

6. Publications.

N/A.

7. Legislative/Judicial/Administrative Developments

Our Committee remains active, along with the Ad Hoc Committee on the legislative amendments to the Michigan Limited Liability Company Act. We have recently been contacted regarding renewing our efforts to consider various Uniform Laws relating to general and limited partnerships. See comments in Section 5, above. We have also recently been asked to participate in an Ad Hoc Committee to address “choice of entity” issues relative to Michigan business.

8. Analysis of Applicable Strategic Plan Issues.

Continuation of activities to educate the Bar, improve the environment for practicing business law in Michigan, and enhance the involvement of attorneys in the Section.

9. Miscellaneous

We invite new members to our Committee and to participate in the activities of our Committee.

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