

For more information:

For help in locating licensed professionals:

www.MyFloridaLicense.com

For additional help in selecting a licensed contractor:

www.BobVila.com/MyFloridaLicense/

For additional information on the Governor's initiatives and other state agencies: www.MyFlorida.com

Professionals and businesses can also find helpful information at the:

- > Department of State www.dos.state.fl.us
- > Department of Revenue dor.myflorida.com/dor
- > Small Business Development Centers www.floridasbdc.com
- > Agency for Workforce Innovation www.floridajobs.org
- > Enterprise Florida www.eflorida.com

Some professionals may be licensed through another state agency, including:

- > Department of Financial Services www.fldfs.com
- > Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services www.doacs.state.fl.us
- > Department of Health www.doh.state.fl.us

The Department of Business and Professional Regulation was established pursuant to Chapter 20.165, Florida Statutes.

For more information on our services, please contact us at:

DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION

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Florida's diverse economy continues to grow.

A major source of our strength is Florida's businesses and professionals who are licensed by the Department of Business and Professional Regulation.

We are the support for the businesses that drive Florida's economy, and we are proud to license professionals and businesses in the following categories:

- > Architecture
- > Asbestos Consultants
- > Athlete Agents
- > Auctioneers
- > Barbers
- > Boxing
- > Building Officials
- > Building Code Inspectors
- > Certified Public Accountants
- > Community Association Managers
- > Construction
- > Cosmetologists
- > Electrical Contractors
- > Employee Leasing
- > Harbor Pilots
- > Interior Designers
- > Landscape Architects
- > Professional Geologists
- > Real Estate
- > Surveyors and Mappers
- > Talent Agents
- > Veterinarians

Housed in offices across the state and anchored in Tallahassee, our team is committed to serving more than one million licensees and the public they serve by "licensing efficiently and regulating fairly."



An estimated 1,000 people move to Florida every day...

and we are responsible for protecting Florida's residents and visitors.

In addition to licensing professionals, the Department oversees certain regulated industries. These industries generated an estimated combined total of **\$1.15 billion in tax revenue** for the state in Fiscal Year 2007/2008 and include:

- > Alcoholic Beverages
- > Condominiums, Mobile Homes, and Timeshares
- > Hotels and Restaurants
- > Pari-Mutuel Wagering and Slot Machines
- > Tobacco Sales
- > Yacht & Ship Brokers



The department also protects some of Florida's most vulnerable residents by enforcing laws governing:

- > Child Labor
- > Farm Labor
- > Unlicensed Activity



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