



**District of Columbia Government  
Corporations Division**

**Instruction Sheet for Articles of Organization for Domestic Limited Liability Company (LLC)  
Form DLC-1, Ver. 6, April 2018.**

Use this instruction to draft articles of organization for your LLC; or use the Articles of Organization on page 2. This will establish your new Limited Liability Company in the District of Columbia.

ENTITY TYPE / AUTHORITY	FILING FEE
Domestic Limited Liability Company; § 29-802.01.	Refer to Corporate Fee Schedule posted online;

1. Name of the limited liability company. The name of a limited liability company other than a professional limited liability company shall contain the words "limited liability company" or "limited company" or the abbreviation "L.L.C.", "LLC", "L.C.", or "LC".

The name of a professional limited liability company shall contain the words "professional limited liability company" or the abbreviation "P.L.L.C." or "PLLC". Provide description of professional service under Item 6.

2. The street address of the initial principal office.

3. Registered Agent's name and address in the District Columbia.

4. Statement that the limited liability company has at least one member.

5. Effective date of the articles. If no date is selected (date must be current date or up to 90 days in advance but not in the past) then filing date becomes the effective date.

6. Miscellaneous provisions.

Additional details and optional provisions may be included in this section such as organization's purpose, information about managers and members or series LLC language as shown below:

"If the company will have one or more series that is treated as a separate entity which limits the debts, obligations, and other liabilities to the assets of a particular series as provided in the operating agreement as authorized by § 29-802.06, a statement to that effect."

For PLLCs include the specific professional service that must be one of the following: any type of personal service to the public which may be lawfully rendered only pursuant to a license and including the services performed by certified public accountants, attorneys, architects, health professionals as defined under D.C. Law 6-99; D.C. Official Code § 3-1201.01 (8), and professional engineers.

7. Organizer's name, address, signature and date.

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 Washington, DC 20090  
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**One or more persons acting as the organizers under the provisions of the Title 29 of D.C. Code (Business Organizations Act) adopt the following Articles of Organization:**

1. Company name.
2. The street address of the initial principal office.
3. Registered agent's name and address in the District of Columbia.
4. The limited liability company has at least one member.
5. Effective date.
6. Miscellaneous provisions. (Include Language about Series LLC and Professional Service Description for PLLCs if applicable)

If you sign this form you agree that anyone who makes a false statement can be punished by criminal penalties of a fine up to \$1000, imprisonment up to 180 days, or both, under DCOC § 22-2405;

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