

National Registration Center

Based on Law no. 9723 dated 03 May 2007, it was established the National Registration Center (accomplishment of the project of one-stop- shop for business registration purposes). This Center has begun to operate during month of September 2007.

The NRC is responsible for performing initial business registration at the commercial register and to administer the commercial register. It also registers the business near the tax office, the social contributions office and any changes occurred in the business activity and bylaws of the business, which would affect and are obligatory to be reported to the commercial register and to the above mentioned institutions.

The NRC is also advising businesses on how to register and what are the procedures to be followed on different changes that the businesses are obliged to report as above. Moreover, the NRC is accepting requests for applications for licensing and permissions which are issued from the relevant authorities. Once such permission or licenses are issued the NRC submits them to the applicants.

The registrations near this Center are made in real time, and can be made also electronically by consulting the official web page of the NRC: www.qkr.gov.al. The NRC issues a Certificate, based on which the businesses can begin to operate or can show to the relevant authorities that they submitted the obligatory reporting of changes in due time. After that the NRC makes its own applications near the interested authorities and submits to the applicant the final required documentation.

This one - stop - shop utility facilitates and significantly lowers the registration costs of a business in Albania.

For more information please advise the material attached and also the following links:

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