

HB 776 -- Limited Liability Companies

Sponsor: Grill

This bill changes the designation for a limited liability company's representative for tax payment purposes from an authorized person to a responsible person. A "responsible person" is specified as a manager or any member who is designated as a responsible member in the company's articles of organization or has the direct control, supervision, or responsibility for filing returns and making tax payments. No member of a company can be held liable for any payroll, sales, or employment security taxes solely on the basis of the person's membership in the company. A certificate of amendment for continuation of a limited partnership under Section 359.451, RSMo, is required to be signed by each general partner designated in the certificate as a new general partner with a statement affirming the occurrence of the specific event of withdrawal of the former partners.