



**Location:** Conference room 106 / Zoom

**Date:** Tuesday, February 11, 2025

**Time:** 9:00 A.M.

Arizona Supreme Court  
1501 West Washington Street  
Phoenix, Arizona 85007

**COMMITTEE ON ALTERNATIVE  
BUSINESS STRUCTURES  
Meeting Agenda**

The public may attend the meeting virtually or in-person.

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*For any item listed on the agenda, the Committee may vote to go into Executive Session for advice of counsel (under ACJA Sec. 1-202(C)(5)(c)) or for discussion or consideration of records or matters made confidential or privileged by statute, court rule, or the Arizona Code of Judicial Administration (under ACJA Sec. 1-202(C)(5)(b))*

**1) Call To Order.....Hon. Anni Hill-Foster**

**2) Review and Approval of Meeting Minutes.....Hon. Anni Hill-Foster**

*2-A: Review, discussion, and possible action regarding approval of changes to the regular session minutes of the meeting of January 14, 2025*

**3) Initial License Applications.....Division Staff**

*3-A: Review, discussion, and possible action regarding application for initial licensure as an alternative business structure for the following applicants with the following conditions:*

- i. ABSs compliance lawyer shall conduct semi-annual audits to review the firm's compliance with Arizona Supreme Court Rule 33.1, ACJA § 7-209, and its internal policies and procedures and at the completion of each audit prepare and retain a written report of the findings.*
- ii. Pursuant to Rule 33.1, upon the Committee's determination of whether to recommend licensure, the application and the Committee's determination shall be forwarded to the Supreme Court for review and further action.*

1. Shine Lawyers US, LLC
2. Delta Legal Services
3. Corporate Immigration Attorneys, LLC
4. Eleos Law, LLP
5. Inmigracion Al Dia AZ, PLLC
6. McCarthy Family Law, PLLC
7. San Novus Trademark, LLP
8. Freeway Law, PC

**4) Renewal License Applications.....Division Staff**

*4-A: Review, discussion, and possible action regarding application for renewal licensure as an alternative business structure for the following applicants:*

1. Singular Law Group PLLC Licensure period August 2023 to August 2024 and August 2024 to August 2026
2. API Law of Arizona, PLLC (Formerly Hive Legal, PLLC) November 2023 to November 2024 and November 2024 to November 2026.

3. Scout Law Group, LLC Licensure period April 2024 to April 2025
4. LegaFi Law, LLC Licensure period January 2024 to January 2026

**5) Licensee Updates.....Division Staff**

*5-A: Review, discussion, and possible action regarding application (Informational):*

1. Scout Law Group, LLC: Addition of William Hughes as an Authorized Person and the removal of Authorized Person Aaron Levy
2. Ethic Alliance Legal Group, LLC- Removal of Scott Williams as the Designated Principal to be replaced by Roey Rosenblith
3. Charter Law Group, LLC- Replacing Ernest C’DeBaca with Justin Carlson as Designated Principal, and Michael Ferring as Compliance Lawyer.

**6) Administrative Items.....Division Staff**

*6-A: Update on Alternative Business Structures Program*

*6-B: Review, discussion, and possible action regarding the ABS annual report*

*6-C: Review, discussion, and possible action regarding working groups to address regulatory tasks, including:*

- Audits (completed);*
- Data gathering;*
- ACJA changes;*
- Application changes; and*
- Training for nonlawyers and other applicants.*

*6-D: Review, discussion, and possible action regarding suggested ACJA changes*

*6-E: Division Updates*

**7) Call to the Public.....Hon. Anni Hill-Foster**

**Limited Response to Call to The Public..... Hon. Anni Hill-Foster**

Individual members of the Committee may take one or more of the following actions: (a) respond to criticism made in Public Comment; (b) ask staff to review a matter raised in public comment; or (c) ask that a matter raised in public comment be put on a future agenda. **NOTE: Neither the Committee as a whole nor Staff are permitted to discuss a matter raised in public comment and the Committee is not permitted to vote on a matter raised during an open call to the public unless the matter was otherwise properly noticed on the meeting agenda for discussion and legal action.**

**Adjournment..... Hon. Anni Hill-Foster**

**Next ABS Committee Meeting Scheduled for April 8<sup>th</sup> , 2025**