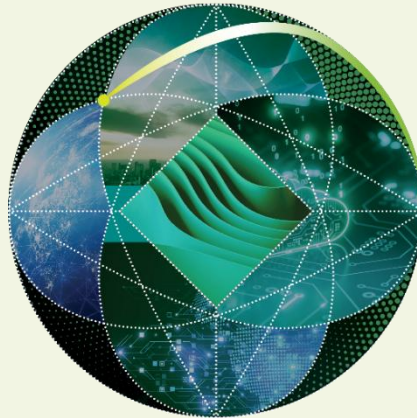




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Cyprus Update: Important Announcement from
the Registrar of Companies and Intellectual
Property regarding the deletion of registered
companies due to non-payment of the annual levy

The Department of the Registrar of Companies and Intellectual Property has [announced](#) that in **December 2026** it will commence the procedure for the deletion of companies that have failed to pay their Annual Fees, pursuant to Article 327(2A)(b) of the Companies Law, Cap. 113.

This is a matter of significant importance for all companies registered in Cyprus, and we strongly urge clients to review their compliance status without delay.

Which Companies Are Affected?

The deletion procedure will apply to companies that have not paid the Annual Fee for any year during the period 2012 to 2023.

It is important to note that non-payment for **even a single year** within this period is sufficient to trigger the deletion procedure. Companies are therefore advised to verify that all Annual Fees as required under Article 391 of the Companies Law, Cap. 113 (as amended by Amending Law 25(I)/2024), have been duly settled for every year in which they were under an obligation to pay.

The Deletion Procedure — Key Steps

The procedure will unfold as follows:

1. **Publication in the Official Gazette:** Companies that have not paid their Annual Fees for any year between 2012 and 2023 will be published in the Official Gazette of the Republic of Cyprus, in accordance with Article 327(3)(c) of the Companies Law, Cap. 113.
2. **Three-Month Notice Period:** Following publication, the affected companies will have a period of three months during which they may prove to the contrary — i.e., demonstrate that there is a valid reason why the company should not be deleted from the register.
3. **Deletion from the Register:** If no valid reason to the contrary is established within the three-month period, the company will be struck off and removed from the Companies Register.

How can we help?

We are at your disposal to assist with any queries regarding the above, including reviewing your company's Annual Fee payment history to identify any outstanding obligations. Please do not hesitate to contact us should you require any further assistance.

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