



Section on Business and Securities Law

The Mission of the [ISBA Business & Securities Law Section](#):

To monitor developments in legal fields that have particular application to all forms of business, charitable and professional entities, including the related fields of securities and commodities law; to inform the membership through appropriate means; to review and research applicable laws and propose needed changes; to review and comment on proposed legislation and regulations in these fields; to assist in the improvement of legal practices in these areas; and to contribute to the improvement of the legal climate in Illinois for business, charitable and professional entities.

General:

- ◆ Section dues are \$30 per year.
- ◆ To join, go to www.isba.org/sections

[Continuing Legal Education](#)

The Section sponsored the following program(s) during the year:

- ◆ **What's Cooking in the Restaurant Industry? A Survey of Trending Legal Issues** (6/9/18)
- ◆ **Business Divorce: Marital and Non-Marital Business Owner Separations** (1/18/18)
- ◆ **The Nuts and Bolts of LLC Taxation** (5/15/18)
- ◆ **Six Months to GDPR – Ready or Not?-CO SPONSOR** (1/11/18)

Section members also receive discounts on section-sponsored CLE programs.

[Newsletters](#)

During the 2017-18 bar year, the Section published 1 newsletter. Articles included:

- ◆ Piercing the entity veil: Vertical and horizontal; and the award of attorney fees in a case of first impression (Sept. 2017)

[Legislation](#)

The Business & Securities Section Council reviews proposed legislation that may affect their members' practice area. Highlights of the most recent legislative session include:

1. Number of bills reviewed: 12
2. Significant legislation:
 - a. Senate Bill 665 - Prohibition of salary nondisclosure agreements
 - b. Senate Bill 3398 - Cleanup of the business law statutes

ISBA Central

- ◆ Members of the ISBA section get free access to the section's community on ISBA Central. The ISBA Central community allows section members to pose questions, answer questions, and share information with fellow section members from around the state.