District of Columbia

206 CAPTIVES LICENSED IN DOMICILE \$2.9B GROSS WRITTEN PREMIUM

Regulation

Regulator: DC Department of Insurance, Securities & Banking (DISB)

Minimum Capital Requirement: \$100,000-\$500,000, depending on captive type

Intercompany Loans: Yes, with certain requirements & conditions

Governance

Meeting Requirements: At least 1 annual board meeting in DC (virtual meetings allowed

Resident Director Requirement: No

Unique Requirements:

- Higher capital triggers for large captives
- Commissioner has the discretion to establish minimum surplus required for each protected cell captive insurer

Tax & Costs*

Fees:

Application Review Fee: \$500 (non-refundable)

Certificate of Authority Fee: \$300 (non-refundable, but returned if application is denied)

Annual Certificate of Authority Renewal Fee: \$300

Certification Fee: \$10 per certification

Premium Taxes:

Direct Premiums: 0.25% on the first \$25M, 0.15% on the next \$25M, & 0.05% on premiums exceeding \$50M

Risk Retention Groups (RRGs): Slightly higher premium taxes

Minimum Annual Tax: \$7,500 for captives & \$15,000 for RRGs, with a maximum tax of \$100,000 for both

Filing Requirements

Annual Report: March 2; June 30 (PCCs & ICs) Actuarial Opinion: March 15 Annual Audit: March 2

Captive Types

Pure Captives Risk Retention Groups (RRGs) Incorporated Cells (ICs) Protect Cell Companies (PCCs)





Self-Procurement Tax

No

Examinations

Frequency: DC offers the possibility of extending or waiving the requirement for financial examinations (except for RRGs) every 5 years for qualifying captives

All information acquired from the DISB website. For more information, please contact the districtinsurance department directly.

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