Preparing to transition from a sole trader to a company · How to approach it?

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Applicability: According to the profile and circumstances of the described case.

List customers, contracts, assets, stock, access rights and open accounts.

A starting point in practice

For each contract, note whether a transfer is possible or if a new contract is required.

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Working example · Preparing for the transition from a sole trader to a company

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Specific next steps

1. For each contract, note whether a transfer is possible or if a new contract is required.
2. Check who is authorised to invoice deliveries that fall after the change date.
3. Notify customers of the confirmed date and the new payment details.

Limits of application

For procedures covered by the START system.

Sources

START · Frequently Asked Questions

https://start.gov.hr/st/cesta-pitanja.html

Original page

https://adriatrends.hr/poslovni-vodic/en/pitanja/praksa-prijenos-na-drustvo-odluka