

**CHAPTER 136**

**(HB 135)**

AN ACT relating to enhancing state electronic services to businesses.

*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky:*

SECTION 1. A NEW SECTION OF KRS CHAPTER 14 IS CREATED TO READ AS FOLLOWS:

- (1) *The Secretary of State may accept electronic signatures to meet the filing requirements for a:*
  - (a) *Corporation as required in KRS Chapter 271B;*
  - (b) *Nonprofit corporation as required in KRS Chapter 273;*
  - (c) *Professional service corporation as required in KRS Chapter 274;*
  - (d) *Limited liability company as required in KRS Chapter 275; and*
  - (e) *Partnership as required in KRS Chapter 362.*
- (2) *The electronic signature shall satisfy the requirements set forth in KRS 369.101 to 369.120.*

**Approved April 22, 2004**