

APRIL 2024 STATISTICAL REPORT

BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP POPULATION

1. Introduction

To improve the availability and transparency of Beneficial ownership information in Seychelles, the Beneficial Ownership Act, 2020 ('BO Act") was assented by the President of the Republic in March 2020 and came into operation on the 28th day of August, 2020 (S.I 105 of 2020) establishing the FIU as the nodal agency to maintain the Seychelles' BO database of all legal person and arrangement created in Seychelles.

2. Level of Compliance by legal person and arrangement

Refer to Table 1.0 and 2.0 in Annex 1 for further details with respect to the number of legal entities covered, the population rate of BO information onto the BO Database Non-Domestic and Domestic Entities as of April 2024 with respect to the following entities:

Legal persons being;

- (i) a company, including an overseas company, incorporated or registered under the Companies Act;
- (ii) an association registered under the Registration of Associations Act;
- (iii) an international business company incorporated or continued or converted under the International Business Companies Act;
- (iv) a protected cell company incorporated under the Protected Cell Companies Act or the International Business Companies Act;
- (v) a company incorporated under the Companies (Special License's) Act;
- (vi) a partnership under the Civil Code of Seychelles Act; and
- (vii) a foundation established under the Foundations Act.

(b) Legal arrangement being;

- (i) a trustee of a trust under the Trusts Act, 2021 (Act 34 of 2021);
- (ii) a general partner of a limited partnership under section 4 of the Limited Partnerships

<u>Table 1.0 Total Population of Legal Person and Arrangement on the BO Non-Domestic Platform</u>

	IBC	TRUST	FOUNDATION	CSL
Total Entities Populated on				
BO Database April 30 th ,	66,902	416	387	92
2024				
Total in Good standing on	39,953	317	208	57
BO Database	39,933			
Total Entities Not in Good	26,949	92	179	35
Standing on BO database	20,040			
Total Entities in Good	42,083	346	263	85
Standing on FSA database	42,000	340		
Level of compliance with				
population of the BO	95%	92%	79%	67%
Database				

Table 2.0 Total Population of legal person and arrangement on the BO Domestic Platform

	Companies	Association
Cumulative Entities Registered	9466	370
Total Inactive	1192	0
Total Active Entities	8274.	370
Total Population April 30th	2458	74
Percentage Population	29%	20%
Total Non-Compliance	5816	296
Percentage Non-Compliance	71 %	80%