

WAC 296-17A-6506 Classification 6506.

6506-00 Photography studios

Applies to:

- Businesses operating photography studios, including glamour and boudoir photography studios which often have a salon where clients have their hair styled and make-up applied;
- Businesses operating booths, usually located in malls, which will produce photography novelty items from photographs taken on location or from customers' photographs or negatives.

Services include, but are not limited to:

- Production of novelty items such as calendars, cups, shirts;
- Photographs taken in the studio or at outside locations;
- Sitting portraits;
- Video of special events performed by photography studios.

Work activities include, but are not limited to:

- Contracting work out to an independent photo finishing shop;
- Developing and printing of photographs in the studio darkroom;
- Enlarging photographs;
- Mounting and framing pictures;
- Restoration work;
- Retouching negatives;
- Using a wide range of still and motion cameras.

Exclusions:

- Worker hours for delivery drivers must be reported separately in classification 1101;
- Videotaping not in connection with photography studio operations is classified in 6303.

Special note: Clerical office and outside sales employees may be reported separately provided all the conditions of the general reporting rules covering standard exception employees have been met.

6506-03 Microfilming, film processing shops, and motion picture film exchanges

Applies to:

- Businesses providing microfilming services for others. Microfilming reproduces and preserves documents onto film in greatly reduced sizes to allow the storage of information in less space;
- Businesses processing photography film;
- Businesses operating motion picture film exchanges.

Work activities include, but are not limited to:

- Photographing documents;
- Developing microfilm in automatic processing units;
- Storing the microfilm on reels or cartridges;
- Cutting the microfilm into microfiche;
- Destroying of source materials;
- Providing storage facilities for microfiche;
- Advising customers on setting up micrographic systems;
- Sale or rental of microfilming supplies or equipment;
- Restoring microfilm;
- Key punching services, which transcribe data onto punched tape media;
- Processing film, whether manual or automated, for commercial labs or direct to the consumer;

- Enlarging pictures;
- Mounting and finishing pictures;
- Reproducing negatives, prints, or slides;
- Storing and mixing chemicals;
- Inspecting and packaging finished products;
- Receiving fully processed movies from producers;
- Cataloging and storing movies for rental or sale to commercial movie theaters, television networks, or other groups;
- Inspection and repair of movie film, including cutting and splicing;
- Using a projection room for customers to view the movie before they book it.

Exclusions:

- Worker hours for delivery drivers must be reported separately in classification 1101;
- Video rental stores are classified in 6411.

Special note: Clerical office and outside sales employees may be reported separately provided all the conditions of the general reporting rules covering standard exception employees have been met.

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