

RISK ASSESSMENT FOR CHURCHES

"At this time when our God-given and blood-bought freedoms are under attack, this is the team of Christian lawyers whose integrity I trust and whom I call upon for legal issues facing our ministry"

-Pastor Jack Hibbs, Calvary Chapel Chino Hills

Tyler & Bursch, LLP has been representing and consulting with churches for 20 years. We have a unique ministry in law to churches and can help your ministry by performing a risk assessment of your ministry's governing documents, policies and operations.

- Can you deny same-sex couples the right to attend your church's marriage retreat?
- Can you require that your church or school employees sign a statement of faith?
- Can you exclude someone from the fellowship on moral grounds?
- Can you be insured in the event the ministry is sued for sexual orientation or gender discrimination?



Legal threats to churches have never been more significant!

You need the expertise of qualified attorneys to help protect your church by shoring-up your policies and governing documents. Our risk assessment of your ministry can include the review and/or preparation of the following documents and policies:

Marriage Definition
Wedding Policies
Bylaws
Employment Manuals
Employment Applications
Ministry Applications
Child Abuse Reporting
Mission Statements
Job Descriptions

Facility Use Policies
School Admission Procedures
Insurance Policies
School Handbooks
Tuition Contracts
Statements of Faith
Church Discipline
Code of Conduct
Membership Requirements

"Tyler and Bursch, LLP and Advocates have assisted us with Godly professional counsel regarding several difficult legal matters in light of the threatening regulatory and cultural concerns we face as a Christian ministry. They have also provided excellent legal representation for several of our Calvary Chapel churches and have proven themselves to be effective courtroom advocates in addressing the key issues we face as ministries today."

-Pastor Roger Wing, Calvary Chapel Costa Mesa

Please contact us if you would like to speak further about our legal services at (949) 707-2733. *In the event you are sued or charged with discrimination, our nonprofit organization, Advocates for Faith & Freedom, can possibly provide free legal representation.*