BUSINESS OWNERSHIP

Owning Business that Violates Torah Law

Owning a business that has any violations of *Torah* laws is forbidden.

EXAMPLES A Jew may NOT:

- Own a non-*kosher* restaurant that sells food containing meat and *milk* that have been cooked together.
- Own or operate a business that is open on *Shabbat* or *Jewish festivals*.

NOTE You may sell your business to a non-Jew for *Shabbat* and *Jewish festivals*, but consult a *rabbi* for details.

Stockholder in Business that Violates Torah Law

You may be a minority owner or shareholder in a business that violates <u>Torah</u> law, but not if the majority of the business is owned by Jews (even if they are not <u>shomer Shabbat</u> Jews). Consult a <u>rabbi</u> for details and exceptions.

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