

Does the Texas Secretary of State issue or apostille Certificates of Good Standing?

No, they do not.

The Texas Secretary of State no longer issues Texas Certificates of Good Standing documents, so they can't issue Texas apostille certificates on them.

"Although the comptroller's office no longer uses the term, Certificate of Good Standing," it is sometimes used to refer to a certificate issued by the Texas Comptroller of Public Accounts regarding an entity's franchise tax account status."

<https://www.apostilletexas.org/apostille-franchise-tax-account-status/>

*"The comptroller's office now refers to these certificates as 'Certificates of Account Status.' Information about certificates of account status is available from the Comptroller. You may contact the comptroller at **<https://comptroller.texas.gov>***

Certificates of account status are often confused with a Texas Certificate of Fact – status issued by the Texas Secretary of State. A "Texas Certificate of Fact – status" is a certificate issued by the Texas Secretary of State that serves as official evidence of an entity's existence or authority to transact business in Texas. A Texas Certificate of Fact – status provides a statement of an entity's status, as well as the entity's current legal name and date of formation or registration."

In summary, as a substitute to apostille a Texas Certificate of Good Standing document you and your company can request a tax account status document from the Texas Comptrollers' office and/or order a Texas Certificate of Fact from the Texas Secretary of State on the current corporate standing status.

Then we can help you to rush file and receive a Texas apostille certificate on either of these types of legal documents at the Texas Secretary of State office.