



Global Investigation &
Forensic Accounting Services

Mission Statement

To provide the Best Quality, Effective and Efficient Fidelity, Professional Liability, Crime Claims Accounting and Investigative Service Worldwide on a cost efficient basis and to provide opportunities to each person involved with SDC to develop to his or her highest professional potential

Problems We Resolve

Claims professionals most often utilize the services of SDC CPAs, Inc. to help resolve accounting problems in the following arenas:

Employment Practices Liability

- Back Pay
- Front Pay
- Earnings Potential
- Wage Differential

Commercial Crime Policies

Liability

- Loss of Earnings
- Physical Damages
- Product Liability and Recall
- Subrogation and Recoveries
- Third Party Claims
- Wrongful Death Damages

Professional Liability

- Directors & Officers
- Errors & Omissions
- Lack of Faithful Performance
- Malpractice

Litigation Accounting

- Alternative Dispute Resolution (ADR)
- Appraisal/Arbitration/Mediation
- Business Valuations and Forecasts
- Contract Breaches and Disputes
- Damage Calculations and Evaluations
- Economic models and Forecasts
- Expert Testimony
- Royalty and Franchise Audits

SDC CPAs, Inc. Why Us?

Employment Practices Liability and Professional Liability claims present significant challenges to estimating potential damages. SDC's accounting expertise and policy knowledge can provide adjusters and defense counsel with the information needed to evaluate exposure, settlement and litigation risk.

SDC has established and nurtured a highly qualified staff of professionals who can ably assist adjusters and attorneys with the unique and special facets of Professional Liability and Employment Practices Liability. These include:

- Present and Future Loss of Earnings
- Breach of Contract Damages
- Securities Valuations
- Business Valuations

SDC provides focused expertise for consistent, efficient claims assistance. By utilizing a targeted approach, SDC reduces the learning curve and inconsistency costs for adjusters and attorneys. This allows insurance companies to provide efficient and consistently high quality services to their clients at the lowest cost.

Worldwide Professional Liability and Employment Practices Claim Services at SDC CPAs, LLC

SDC has qualified professionals on staff to meet all of your Professional Liability and Employment Practices Liability needs.

Our experience in forensic accounting coupled with our Employment Practices Liability and Professional Liability Policy knowledge make SDC a leading source for analyzing loss and damage issues in these areas.

SDC is an active participant in industry related groups, including such organizations as:

- Advisen Cyber Liability
- ABA TIPS - Fidelity & Surety Law Committee
- Fidelity Law Association

SDC professionals have published and presented numerous articles and seminars to industry organizations and insurance company personnel.

Our specialty certified public accounting firm is available to assist attorneys and adjusters on all matters relating to insurance claims. Please contact our office to discuss your needs and our services.

Examples of Assignments

A class action suit was filed by wrongfully terminated employees. The carrier settled with the insured and retained SDC to provide the insurer with an apportionment of the proposed settlement between amounts addressed and not addressed by the policy, including taxes, fringe benefits, retirement benefits and pension.

An insurer retained SDC to evaluate claimant damages and proposed settlements by working with the insurer to review, analyze, detail and confirm the reasonability and apportionment of damages for:

- Monetary Damages
- Pain and Suffering
- Emotional
- Hedionic
- Libel, Slander and Defamation
- Front Pay
- Back Pay
- Present Value Analysis
- Future Analysis
- Retro Analysis
- Compensation Demand
- Stock Price Demands
- Replacement & Resolution Demands

A worldwide securities and mutual fund company filed both an employee dishonesty and an errors and omissions claim. SDC is retained to assist in determining if the claimed losses are employee dishonesty, errors and omissions or neither.

Shareholders sued Directors and Officers for loss of value in shares and assets of the business, claiming the Directors and Officers provided falsified information resulting in significant losses to shareholders. SDC is retained to determine if the allegedly falsified information had any effect on stock prices, and to determine how much of an effect, if any, resulted.

State officials bypassed policies and procedures to cause significant losses to various governmental agencies. SDC is retained to determine lack of faithful performance losses under the insured's policy.