

State of Arkansas

ARKANSAS STATE BANK DEPARTMENT

APPLICATION TO RESERVE A CORPORATE NAME

To: Candace A. Franks
Bank Commissioner
Arkansas State Bank Department
400 Hardin Road, Suite 100
Little Rock, Arkansas 72211

Pursuant to the provisions of The Arkansas Banking Code of 1997, the undersigned Applicant hereby applies to reserve the exclusive use of a corporate name and submits herewith the following:

Corporate Name To Be Reserved

To be used for: Proposed New Bank Proposed Interstate Merger

Applicant

(state affiliation with bank, if any)

Street Address or Post Office

City, State, ZIP

Telephone Number

Authorized Signature _____

Printed Name _____ Title _____

INSTRUCTIONS:

Prepare this form in duplicate and send to the Arkansas State Bank Department, Little Rock, Arkansas. The State Bank Department will accept a reservation for a bank corporate name only prior to and for the purpose of formation of a new state bank or prior to the consummation of an interstate merger transaction. The reservation will be for a nonrenewable two hundred seventy day period. A name not used permanently prior to the expiration of this period will be cancelled.

Prior to filing a reservation of corporate name an applicant must:

Request a current check of both state and federal trademark or servicemark filings on the proposed name. Evidence must accompany the application for reservation of corporate name verifying the applicant has made a trademark or servicemark search and no trademark or servicemark exists for the proposed name.

If accepted, the duplicate bearing the file marks of the Commissioner will be returned to Applicant. A.C.A. § 23-48-309.

Fee: \$25.00