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Use of the Word “BANK”

Sections 81-3-1 and 81-3-3, Mississippi Code of 1972, Annotated specifically limit the use of the words “bank,” “banking,” “bankers,” “banking,” or “trust company,” or any combination thereof, to those corporations who have been issued a banking charter from either a state or federal authority. The only exception allowed is using the letter “c” instead of “k” in the word “bank.”