- (a) When [the documents required by § 3-709 of this subtitle are] THE EXECUTED AGREEMENT AND A COPY OF THE RESOLUTION OF THE STOCKHOLDERS OF EACH CONSTITUENT BANK, CERTIFIED BY ITS SECRETARY OR CASHIER, HAVE BEEN filed with the Bank Commissioner AND THE BANK COMMISSIONER HAS APPROVED THE TRANSACTION, the Bank Commissioner shall issue to the successor a certificate of consolidation, merger, or transfer of assets that sets forth the name of each constituent bank and the name of the successor.
- (B) THE CONSTITUENT BANKS MAY DESIGNATE AN EFFECTIVE DATE AND TIME, NOT EARLIER THAN THE DATE OF THE CERTIFICATE, TO BE INCLUDED IN THE CERTIFICATE OF CONSOLIDATION, MERGER, OR TRANSFER OF ASSETS.
- (C) UNLESS THE CERTIFICATE OF CONSOLIDATION, MERGER, OR TRANSFER OF ASSETS SPECIFIES A LATER EFFECTIVE DATE AND TIME, THE CONSOLIDATION, MERGER. OR TRANSFER OF ASSETS BECOMES EFFECTIVE UPON ISSUANCE OF THE CERTIFICATE BY THE BANK COMMISSIONER.
- (D) [(b)] This certificate is conclusive evidence of the consolidation, merger, or transfer of assets and of the correctness of all proceedings relating to it.

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(b) [The] A certificate of consolidation, merger, or transfer of assets THAT THE BANK COMMISSIONER ISSUES, OR A CERTIFICATE THAT THE COMPTROLLER OF THE CURRENCY OF THE UNITED STATES ISSUES TO EFFECT A MERGER OR CONSOLIDATION IN WHICH A NATIONAL BANKING ASSOCIATION IS THE SUCCESSOR, may be recorded in any office where deeds are recorded to evidence the new name in which the property of the constituent banks is held.

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The stockholders' approval of a merger agreement constitutes the adoption of the charter AND BYLAWS of the successor, including any amendments set forth in the agreement.

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- (b) The articles of incorporation shall include:
- (4) The name of the savings bank, which may not be similar in any material respect to the name of any other bank, SAVINGS BANK, or trust company in this State;
- (5) The municipal area and county where the PRINCIPAL BANKING OFFICE OF THE savings bank is to be located;

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