

# BULLETIN



## APPLICATIONS

2.2.2026

### Bylaw Change

1/26/2026	Dakota West Credit Union, Watford City, ND – Request to amend bylaws.	Awaiting Board approval
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### Name Waiver

1/8/2026	zerohash trust company llc, Ashville, NC – Request to use the word "trust" in the registered trade name.	Approved by the Commissioner on 1/26/2026
1/29/2026	Roman Catholic Diocese of Bismarck, Bismarck, ND – Request to use word "trust" in the registered name "The Diocese of Bismarck Priests Pension Trust Agreement".	Approved by the Commissioner 1/29/2026
1/30/2026	Bankers Life Agency, Inc., Carmel, IN – Request to use word "bankers" in the registered name.	In review

### Interstate Branch

1/21/2026	Bell Bank, Fargo, ND – Application to establish an interstate branch at 14091 Baxter Drive, Baxter, MN.	In comment period
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### Merger

1/22/2026	First United Bank, Park River, ND – Application to merge First State Bank of Cando, Cando, ND with and into First United Bank.	In comment period
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### Trust Company

7/16/2025	Trust Company of the Dakotas, Minot, ND – Application to establish a new trust company.	Application denied by the State Banking Board on 1/7/2026
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### Usury Rate

The usury rate for unregulated lenders for the month of February 2026 is 9.184%.

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