

OLD SECOND BANCORP INC  
Form 8-K  
December 22, 2008

**UNITED STATES**

**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

**WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549**



**FORM 8-K**



**CURRENT REPORT**



**Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of  
the Securities Exchange Act of 1934**

Date of Report  
(Date of earliest event reported)

**December 22, 2008  
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**Old Second Bancorp, Inc.**

(Exact name of Registrant as specified in its charter)

**Delaware**

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

**0-10537**  
(Commission File Number)

**36-3143493**  
(I.R.S. Employer Identification Number)

**37 South River Street, Aurora, Illinois**  
(Address of principal executive offices)

**60507**  
(Zip Code)

**(630) 892-0202**

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

**Not Applicable**

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(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions (*see* General Instruction A.2 below):

- o Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
  
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  - o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
  
  - o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))
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**Item 8.01 Other Events**

On December 22, 2008, Old Second Bancorp, Inc announced that it has received preliminary approval from the U.S. Treasury Department to participate in its Capital Purchase Program (CPP), a voluntary initiative designed for U.S. financial institutions to build capital and increase the flow of credit to support the economy. A copy of the related press release is attached as Exhibit 99.1 to the Current Report on Form 8-K and is incorporated herein by reference in its entirety

The information furnished herein, including Exhibit 99.1, shall not be deemed to be filed for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, nor shall it be deemed incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits**

(d) Exhibits

99.1 Press release dated December 22, 2008

**SIGNATURES**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

**OLD SECOND BANCORP, INC.**

Dated: December 22, 2008

By: /s/ J.Douglas Cheatham  
J. Douglas Cheatham  
Executive Vice President  
and Chief Financial Officer