

OLD NATIONAL BANCORP /IN/  
Form 8-K  
October 27, 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): October 27, 2008

OLD NATIONAL BANCORP

(Exact name of Registrant as specified in its charter)

Indiana

001-15817

35-1539838

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

(Commission File Number)

(IRS Employer Identification No.)

One Main Street  
Evansville, Indiana 47708  
(Address of Principal Executive Offices, including Zip Code)

(812) 464-1294  
(Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code)

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):

- Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act
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- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act
- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act

Item 8.01. Other Events.

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On October 27, 2008, Old National Bancorp (the "Company") issued a press release announcing that it received preliminary approval to participate in the U.S. Department of Treasury's Capital Purchase Program ("Program"). The Company applied for and received approval for up to \$150 million of capital. The Company has not decided whether it will participate in the Program and continues to analyze the impact of participation in the Program as information is made available. The Company has thirty (30) days to determine whether it will commit to participation in the Program.

A copy of the press release issued by the Company is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated herein by reference.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

- (a) Not applicable.
- (b) Not applicable.
- (c) Not applicable.
- (d) Exhibits

| <u>Exhibit No.</u> | <u>Description</u>  |
|--------------------|---|
| 99.1               | Old National Bancorp Press Release dated October 27, 2008 |

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SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this Current Report on Form 8-K to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

Old National  
Bancorp

(Registrant)

Date: October 27, 2008

By: /s/ Robert G.  
Jones  
Robert G. Jones  
President and Chief  
Executive Officer

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