

PROSPERITY BANCSHARES INC

Form 8-K

January 25, 2013

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): **January 25, 2013**

Prosperity bancshares, inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**Texas**

**1-35388**

**74-2331986**

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation) (Commission File Number) (IRS Employer Identification No.)

**4295 San Felipe**

**Houston, Texas 77027**

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(Address of principal executive offices including zip code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: **(281) 269-7199**

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 (17 CFR 230.425)
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- .. Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- .. Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

**Item 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition.**

On January 25, 2013, Prosperity Bancshares, Inc. publicly disseminated a press release announcing its financial results for the fourth quarter and year ending December 31, 2012. A copy of the press release is furnished as Exhibit 99.1 hereto and incorporated herein by reference.

As provided in General Instruction B.2 to Form 8-K, the information furnished in Item 2.02 and Exhibit 99.1 of this Current Report on Form 8-K shall not be deemed "filed" for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act"), or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section, and such information shall not be deemed incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, or the Exchange Act, except as shall be expressly set forth by specific reference in such filing.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

(d) *Exhibits.* The following is furnished as an exhibit to this Current Report on Form 8-K:

<u>Exhibit Number</u>	Description of Exhibit
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99.1	Press Release issued by Prosperity Bancshares, Inc. dated January 25, 2013.
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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.

PROSPERITY  
BANCSHARES, INC.

(Registrant)

Dated: January 25, 2013    By:    /s/ Charlotte M. Rasche  
Charlotte M. Rasche

Executive Vice  
President and

General Counsel

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