REPUBLIC FIRST BANCORP INC Form 8-K February 01, 2012

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): February 1, 2012

REPUBLIC FIRST BANCORP, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Pennsylvania	000-17007	23-2486815
(State or other jurisdiction of	(Commission File Number)	(I.R.S. Employer Identification
incorporation)		No.)
50 South 16th	n Street, Suite 2400, Philadelph	ia, PA 19102
(Address of pri	ncipal executive offices)	(Zip Code)
Registrant's telephone number, i	ncluding area code: (215)-735	-4422

N/A

Former name, former address, and former fiscal year, if changed since last report

Check the appropriate has below if the Form & K filing is intended to satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant

under any of the following provisions:	zistrant
[] Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)	
[] Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)	
[] Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.1	4d-2(b)
[] Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.1	3e-4(c)

Item 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On February 1, 2012, Republic First Bancorp, Inc. issued a press release announcing its results of operations and financial condition at and for the quarter and year ended December 31, 2011. The full text of the press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated herein by reference.

The information in this report, including the exhibit attached hereto, is furnished solely pursuant to Item 2.02 of this Form 8-K. Consequently, it is not deemed "filed" for the purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section. It may only be incorporated by reference in another filing under the Exchange Act or Securities Act of 1933 if such subsequent filing specifically references this Form 8-K.

Item 9.01

Financial Statements and Exhibits.

- (d) Exhibits.
- 99.1 Press Release issued on February 1, 2012 regarding financial results for the quarter and year ended December 31, 2011.

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.

REPUBLIC FIRST BANCORP, INC.

Date: February 1, 2012 By: /s/ Frank A. Cavallaro

Frank A. Cavallaro

Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit No. Description

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December 31, 2011.