PRUDENTIAL BANCORP INC OF PENNSYLVANIA Form 8-K

December 29, 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 23, 2008

Prudential Bancorp, Inc. of Pennsylvania

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Pennsylvania 000-51214

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

(Commission File Number)

68-0593604

(IRS Employer Identification No.)

1834 Oregon Avenue, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

(Address of principal executive offices)

19145

(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including are (215) 755-1500

code

Not Applicable

(Former name, former address and former fiscal year, 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):

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[]	Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Item Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers;
 5.02 Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.

- (a) (d) Not applicable.
- (e) On December 23, 2008, the shareholders of Prudential Bancorp, Inc. of Pennsylvania (the "Company"), the holding company for Prudential Savings Bank (the "Bank") approved the Company's 2008 Stock Option Plan (the "Stock Option Plan"). Pursuant to the terms of the Stock Option Plan, options to acquire up to 565,369 shares of common stock of the Company may be granted to employees and non-employee directors of the Company, the Bank and Prudential Mutual Holding Company (the "MHC"), the parent mutual holding company for the Company.

Also, on December 23, 2008, the shareholders of the Company approved the Company's 2008 Recognition and Retention Plan and Trust Agreement (the "RRP"). Pursuant to the terms of the RRP, awards of up to 226,148 shares of restricted common stock of the Company may be granted to employees and non-employee directors of the Company, the Bank and the MHC.

In order to fund the RRP, the related trust will purchase 226,148 shares of common stock of the Company in the open market. Purchases will be made from time to time at the discretion of management.

For additional information, reference is made to the Stock Option Plan and the RRP, which are incorporated by reference herein as Exhibits 10.1 and 10.2, respectively.

(f) Not applicable.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

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

The following exhibits are included herewith.

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10.1		Prudential Bancorp, Inc. of Pennsylvania 2008 Stock Option Plan (1)
10.2		Prudential Bancorp, Inc. of Pennsylvania 2008 Recognition and Retention Plan and Trust Agreement (1)

⁽¹⁾ Incorporated by reference to the definitive proxy statement filed by Prudential Bancorp, Inc. of Pennsylvania with the Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC") on November 26, 2008.

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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.

PRUDENTIAL BANCORP, INC. OF PENNSYLVANIA

By: /s/Joseph R. Corrato Name: Joseph R. Corrato

Title: Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

Date: December 24, 2008

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