

BANC OF CALIFORNIA, INC.  
Form 8-K  
September 06, 2013

**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

**Washington, DC 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): September 3, 2013

**BANC OF CALIFORNIA, INC.**

**(Exact name of Registrant as specified in its Charter)**

**Maryland**  
**(State or other jurisdiction**  
  
**of incorporation)**

**001-35522**  
**(Commission File No.)**

**04-3639825**  
**(IRS Employer**

**Identification No.)**

**18500 Von Karman Avenue, Suite 1100, Irvine,**  
**California**

**(Address of principal executive offices)**

**92612**

**(Zip Code)**

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (949) 236-5211

**N/A**

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

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  - 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 September 5, 2013, Banc of California, Inc. (the Company ), announced that its Board of Directors has approved changes to its previously announced share buyback program under Rule 10b-18 authorizing the Company to buy back, from time to time during the 12 months ending September 3, 2014, an aggregate amount representing up to 10% of the Company's currently outstanding common shares. The buyback program will include a 10b5-1 plan that was adopted by the Company on September 3, 2013 pursuant to which up to a maximum of 300,000 shares may be repurchased during the quarter ended December 31, 2013, subject to certain price and volume restrictions. A copy of the press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated herein by reference.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

See Exhibit Index.

**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.

**FIRST PACTRUST BANCORP, INC.**

Date: September 6, 2013

By: /s/ Richard Herrin  
Richard Herrin  
Executive Vice President, Chief Risk  
Officer and Corporate Secretary

**EXHIBIT INDEX**

**Exhibit**

**Number**

EX-99.1

**Description**

Press Release of Banc of California, Inc., dated September 5, 2013.