BERKSHIRE BANCORP INC /DE/ Form 8-K January 26, 2009

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 22, 2009

Berkshire Bancorp Inc. (Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation) 01-13649 (Commission File Number) 94-2563513 (IRS Employer Identification No.)

160 Broadway, New York, New York 10038 (Address of principal executive offices and zip code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (212) 791-5362

NOT APPLICABLE

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

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

On January 22, 2009, the Board of Directors (the "Board") of Berkshire Bancorp Inc. (the "Company"), upon the determination and recommendation of the independent members of the Board, approved the granting of bonuses for the 2008 fiscal year to Messrs. Steven Rosenberg, President and CEO of the Company, Moses Krausz, President and CEO of the Company's wholly-owned subsidiary, The Berkshire Bank (the "Bank"), and David Lukens, Executive Vice President and CFO of the Bank, in the amounts of \$30,000, \$150,000 and \$30,000 respectively, and set the salary of Mr. Rosenberg for the 2009 fiscal year at \$241,500.

SIGNATURE

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.

BERKSHIRE BANCORP INC.

By: /s/ Steven Rosenberg

Steven Rosenberg

President

Dated: January 23, 2009