

Territorial Bancorp Inc.  
Form 8-K  
February 08, 2010

**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 5, 2010**

**TERRITORIAL BANCORP INC.**

**(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)**

**Maryland**  
**(State or Other Jurisdiction**

**of Incorporation)**

**1-34403**  
**(Commission**

**File No.)**

**26-4674701**  
**(I.R.S. Employer**

**Identification No.)**

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**1132 Bishop Street, Suite 2200, Honolulu, Hawaii**  
(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

**96813**  
(Zip Code)

**Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (808) 946-1400**

**Not Applicable**

**(Former Name or Former Address, 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 8.01 Other Events**

On February 5, 2010, the board of directors of Territorial Bancorp Inc. declared a dividend of \$0.05 per share. The dividend will be paid on March 5, 2010 to stockholders of record as of February 19, 2010. A copy of the press release announcing the declaration is attached as Exhibit 99 to this report.

**Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits**

(a) Not Applicable.

(b) Not Applicable.

(c) Not Applicable.

(d) Exhibits.

Exhibit

No.

Exhibit

99

Press release dated February 5, 2010

**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.

**Territorial Bancorp Inc.**

DATE: February 5, 2010

By:

/s/ VERNON HIRATA

**Vernon Hirata**

**Vice Chairman, Co-Chief Operating Officer and Secretary**