

M&T BANK CORP  
Form 8-K  
January 17, 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): January 17, 2012

**M&T BANK CORPORATION**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

New York

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

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**1-9861**  
(Commission

**16-0968385**  
(I.R.S. Employer

File Number)

Identification No.)

**One M&T Plaza, Buffalo, New York**  
(Address of principal executive offices)

**14203**  
(Zip Code)

**Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (716) 842-5445**

**(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 Instructions A.2. below):

- .. Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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- .. Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- .. Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Item 2.02. Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On January 17, 2012, M&T Bank Corporation announced its results of operations for the quarter and full year ended December 31, 2011. The public announcement was made by means of a news release, the text of which is set forth in Exhibit 99 hereto.

The information in this Form 8-K, including Exhibit 99 attached hereto, is being furnished under Item 2.02 and shall not be deemed to be filed for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (the Exchange Act ), or otherwise subject to the liability of such section, nor shall it be deemed incorporated by reference in any filing of M&T Bank Corporation under the Securities Act of 1933 or the Exchange Act, regardless of any general incorporation language in such filing, unless expressly incorporated by specific reference in such filing.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

Exhibit No.

99 News Release dated January 17, 2012

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.

Date: January 17, 2012

M&T BANK CORPORATION

By: /s/ René F. Jones  
René F. Jones  
Executive Vice President

and Chief Financial Officer

EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit No.

99 News Release dated January 17, 2012

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