

ZIONS BANCORPORATION /UT/  
Form 8-K  
July 03, 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) July 3, 2008

**ZIONS BANCORPORATION**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**UTAH**  
(State of Incorporation)

**001-12307**  
(Commission File Number)

**87-0227400**  
(IRS Employer Identification No.)

**ONE SOUTH MAIN, SUITE 1500,**

**SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH**  
(Address of principal executive offices)

**84111**  
(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code 801-524-4787

N/A

(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 obligations of the registrant under any of the following provisions:

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**Item 8.01 Other Events.**

On July 3, 2008, Zions Bancorporation issued a press release regarding its offering of 9.50% Series C non-cumulative perpetual preferred stock. A copy of this press release is being furnished as Exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

(d) Exhibits.

The following exhibit is furnished as part of this Current Report on Form 8-K

99.1 Press release of Zions Bancorporation dated July 3, 2008.

**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 thereunto duly authorized.

**ZIONS BANCORPORATION**

Date: July 3, 2008

By: /s/ Thomas E. Laursen  
Name: Thomas E. Laursen

Title: Executive Vice President

General Counsel

**Exhibit**

| <b>Number</b> | <b>Description</b>  |
|---------------|---|
| 99.1          | Press release of Zions Bancorporation dated July 3, 2008. |