CENTURY BANCORP INC Form 8-K June 25, 2009

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# 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: June 25, 2009 Century Bancorp, Inc.

Massachusetts
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

0-15752 (Commission File No.)

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

04-2498617 (IRS Employer Identification No.)

400 Mystic Avenue Medford, MA (Address of principal executive offices) 02155 (Zip Code)

(781) 391-4000 (Registrant s telephone number, including area code)

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:

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- o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
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#### **Item 8.01 Other Events**

On June 25, 2009, Century Bancorp, Inc. issued a press release, a copy of which is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and incorporated herein by reference, announcing that it is set to joint the broad-market Russell 3000® Index when Russell investments reconstitutes its comprehensive set of U.S. and global equity indexes on June 26, according to a preliminary list of additions posted June 12 on <a href="https://www.russell.com">www.russell.com</a>.

## **Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits**

(c) Exhibits

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Pursuant to the requirement of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Company has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

# CENTURY BANCORP, INC.

/s/ William P. Hornby William P. Hornby, CPA Chief Financial Officer and Treasurer

Dated: June 25, 2009