

NORTHRIM BANCORP INC
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**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 SCHIERHORN JOSEPH M

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 NORTHRIM BANCORP INC
 [NRIM]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 3111 C STREET
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 09/15/2008

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
 EVP, CFO

ANCHORAGE, AK 99503

(City) (State) (Zip)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V Amount (A) or (D) Price			
Common Stock	09/15/2008		M ⁽¹⁾	2,521 A \$ 10.75	7,766	D	
Common Stock	09/15/2008		F	1,633 D \$ 16.59	6,133	D	
Common Stock					763	I	By Children U/ak/utma
Common Stock					230	I	By Spouse
Common Stock					4,413	I	By 401(k)

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned
(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)			
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Iso Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 10.75	09/15/2008		M	2,521			10/01/1999	10/01/2008	Common Stock	2,521

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
SCHIERHORN JOSEPH M 3111 C STREET ANCHORAGE, AK 99503			EVP, CFO	

Signatures

/s/ Joseph M. Schierhorn 09/16/2008

____ Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (1) The acquisition of the shares, as adjusted for dividends, through the exercise of the stock option under the Northrim BanCorp, Inc. Stock Option Plan is exempt from Section 16b-3 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

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