

COMMERCE BANCORP INC /NJ/
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**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
LEWIS STEVEN M

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
COMMERCE BANCORP INC /NJ/ [CBH]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
01/30/2008

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)

US RESTAURANTS INC, 1780 SWEDE ROAD

(Street)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

Form filed by One Reporting Person
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BLUE BELL, PA 19401

(City) (State) (Zip)

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 or Price		
Common Stock	01/30/2008		M		66,140 A \$ 10.15	D	
Common Stock	01/30/2008		M		10,000 A \$ 20.06	D	
Common Stock	01/30/2008		M		10,000 A \$ 21.4	D	
Common Stock	01/30/2008		M		7,500 A \$ 31.38	D	
Common Stock	01/30/2008		M		6,300 A \$ 10.92	D	

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Common Stock	01/30/2008	M	12,000	A	\$ 15.3	436,086	D	
Common Stock	01/30/2008	M	10,000	A	\$ 29.45	446,086	D	
Common Stock	01/30/2008	M	6,300	A	\$ 9.64	452,386	D	
Common Stock	01/30/2008	M	1,875	A	\$ 36.37	454,261	D	
Common Stock	01/30/2008	S	52,835	D	\$ 37.87	401,426	D	
Common Stock						17,402	I	ITF Minor Son - DRIP
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Common Stock						291,084	I	S.J. Dining
Common Stock						297,332	I	U.S. Restaurants
Common Stock						4,446	I	US Restaurants Deferred Comp. Plan

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)	Amount or Number of Shares
Right to Buy ⁽¹⁾	\$ 10.15	01/30/2008		M	66,140	06/29/1999 06/29/2008	Common Stock	66,140

