PEOPLES BANCORP INC Form 8-K August 24, 2009

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): August

24, 2009 (August 19, 2009)

PEOPLES BANCORP INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Ohio 0-16772 31-0987416 (State or other (Commission File (IRS Employer jurisdiction of Number) Identification No.) incorporation)

138 Putnam Street, P.O. Box 738, Marietta, Ohio 45750-0738 (Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (740) 373-3155

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:

- o Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Item 5.02. Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.

On August 19, 2009, Deborah K. Hill, the Executive Vice President, Consumer and Business Financial Services of Peoples Bancorp Inc. (the "Registrant") and its subsidiary Peoples Bank, National Association ("Peoples Bank"), notified the Registrant that she intended to resign from her positions with the Registrant and Peoples Bank, effective September 4, 2009.

SIGNATURE

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.

PEOPLES BANCORP INC.

Dated: August 24, 2009

EDWARD G. SLOANE

By: /s/

Edward G. Sloane

Executive Vice President, Chief Financial Officer and

Treasurer

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