

Eccher James  
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**FORM 4**

**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 \*  
Eccher James

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
OLD SECOND BANCORP INC  
[OSBC]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
09/30/2008

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

37 S. RIVER ST.  
(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  
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

AURORA, IL 60506

(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 Ownership (Instr. 4)		
				(A) or (D)	Price				
				Code	V	Amount			
Old Second Bancorp Inc. Common Stock	09/30/2008	(1)	M	78 (2)	A	(1)	5,976 (2)	I	401-K Plan
Old Second Bancorp Inc. Common Stock	09/30/2008	(1)	M	25 (3)	A	(1)	1,875 (3)	I	Profit Sharing Plan
Old Second Bancorp							488	D	

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Inc.  
Common  
Stock

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)	8. Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 27.75					12/18/2008 12/18/2017	Common Stock	20,000
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 29.2					12/19/2007 12/19/2016	Common Stock	12,000
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 31.34					12/20/2005 12/20/2015	Common Stock	12,000
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 32.59					12/20/2005 12/21/2014	Common Stock	12,000
Employee Stock	\$ 25.08					12/20/2005 12/16/2013	Common Stock	8,000 <sup>(4)</sup>

Option (Right to Buy						
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy	\$ 18.81	12/20/2005	12/17/2012	Common Stock	7,000	<u>(4)</u>
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy	\$ 14.74	12/20/2005	12/18/2011	Common Stock	6,666	<u>(5)</u>
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy	\$ 8.91	12/20/2005	12/19/2010	Common Stock	5,334	<u>(5)</u>
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy	\$ 10.46	12/20/2005	12/14/2009	Common Stock	4,800	<u>(5)</u>

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Eccher James 37 S. RIVER ST. AURORA, IL 60506		X		

## Signatures

/s/ James Eccher                      09/30/2008  
 \_\_Signature of                      Date  
 Reporting Person

## 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) Does not apply.
- (2) Of this total, 78 shares were allocated during the third quarter pursuant to the Old Second Bancorp Inc. Salary & Savings Plan & Trust. Information provided herein is based on information provided by the Plan Trustee as of 09-30-08.
- (3) Of this total, 25 shares were allocated during the third quarter pursuant to the Old Second Employees Profit Sharing Plan & Trust. Information provided herein is based on information provided by the Plan Trustee as of 09-30-08.
- (4) Restated for a 2 for 1 stock split effected in the form of a stock dividend payable 7-28-04.

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- (5) Restated for a 4 for 3 stock split effected in the form of a stock dividend payable 6-24-02 and restated for a 2 for 1 stock split effected in the form of a stock dividend payable 7-28-04.

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