

CITIZENS FINANCIAL SERVICES INC

Form 8-K

January 18, 2012

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): January 17, 2012

CITIZENS FINANCIAL SERVICES, INC.
(Exact name of registrant as specified in charter)

Pennsylvania
(State or other
jurisdiction of
incorporation)

0-13222
(Commission
File Number)

23-2265045
(IRS Employer
Identification No.)

15 South Main Street, Mansfield, Pennsylvania 16933
(Address of principal executive offices, including zip code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (570) 662-2121

Not Applicable
(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

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☐ Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Item 8.01 Other Events

On January 17, 2012, Citizens Financial Services, Inc. announced the approval of a plan to repurchase up to 140,000 shares of its common stock. For more information, reference is made to the Company's press release dated January 17, 2012, a copy of which is attached to this Report as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated herein by reference.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

(d) Exhibits

Number Description

99.1 Press release dated January 17, 2012

SIGNATURES

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.

Citizens Financial Services, Inc.

Date: January 18, 2012

By: /s/ Mickey L. Jones
Mickey L. Jones
Executive Vice President and Chief
Financial Officer

