MIDSOUTH BANCORP INC

Form 8-K July 25, 2017

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 July 19, 2017

earliest event

reported)

MidSouth Bancorp, Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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(State

or

othermission (I.R.S. Employer julisheixionber) Identification No.)

of

incorporation)

102 Versailles

Boulevard, 70501

Lafayette, Louisiana

(Address of

principal executive (Zip Code)

offices)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code 337-237-8343

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report.)
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Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
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...communications pursuant to Rule
14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act
(17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
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...communications pursuant to Rule
13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act
(17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in Rile 405 of the Securities Act of 1933 (§230.405 of this chapter) or Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (§240.12b-2 of this chapter). Emerging growth company

If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13 (a) of the Exchange Act. "

Item 2.02. RESULTS OF OPERATIONS AND FINANCIAL CONDITION

On July 25, 2017, MidSouth Bancorp, Inc. (the "Company") issued a press release regarding the Company's earnings for the quarter ended June 30, 2017. The Company's earnings release, including financial highlights, is attached as Exhibit 99.1.

The preceding information (including Exhibit 99.1) is being furnished pursuant to Item 2.02 of this Form 8-K. This information shall not be deemed "filed" for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, nor shall it be deemed incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, except as shall be expressly set forth by specific reference in such filing.

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Item 5.02. DEPARTURE OF DIRECTORS OR CERTAIN OFFICERS; ELECTION OF DIRECTORS; APPOINTMENT OF CERTAIN OFFICERS; COMPENSATORY ARRANGEMENTS OF CERTAIN OFFICERS

On July 19, 2017, the Board of Directors of the Company appointed Andrew G. Hargroder, M.D. to serve as a member of the Company's Board of Directors effective immediately. Dr. Hargroder has served as a member of the Board of Directors of MidSouth Bank, N.A. since June 25, 2015. He will fulfill the remainder of Troy Cloutier's term, which expires in 2019, and will serve as a Class II Director. Mr. Troy Cloutier announced his resignation from the board, effective June 15, 2017.

Dr. Hargroder was not selected for this position pursuant to any arrangement or understanding between him and any other person. There are no related party transactions (as defined in Item 404(a) of Regulation S-K) between the Company and Dr. Hargroder.

Item 8.01. OTHER EVENTS

On July 25, 2017, the Board of MidSouth Bancorp, Inc. announced a cash dividend was declared in the amount of one cent (\$.01) per share to be paid on its common stock on October 2, 2017 to shareholders of record as of the close of business on September 15, 2017. The Board also announced a quarterly cash dividend of 1.00% per preferred share on its 4.00% Non-Cumulative Perpetual Convertible Preferred Stock, Series C was declared payable on October 16, 2017 to shareholders of record as of the close of business on October 2, 2017.

Supplemental information on second quarter 2017 results can be found on the Investor Relations tab of the Company's website at www.midsouthbank.com. A copy of the slides is included under the Investor Relations tab are filed herewith as Exhibit 99.2.

Item 9.01. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS

(d) Exhibits

99.1 Press Release dated July 25, 2017.

99.2 Supplemental Materials for 2nd Quarter 2017 – Slide Deck

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.

MIDSOUTH BANCORP, INC. Registrant

By: /s/ James R. McLemore
James R. McLemore
President and Chief Executive Officer

Date: July 25, 2017