

SOUTHERN CONNECTICUT BANCORP INC  
Form 8-K  
January 23, 2009  
UNITED STATES

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, DC 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 23, 2009

Southern Connecticut Bancorp, Inc.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)

Connecticut (State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)	000-49784 (Commission File Number)	06-1609692 (IRS Employer Identification No.)
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215 Church Street New Haven, Connecticut (Address of Principal Executive Offices)	06510 (Zip Code)
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(203) 782-1100  
(Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code)

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 (see General Instruction A.2. below):

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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 23, 2009, Southern Connecticut Bancorp, Inc. issued a press release announcing that it has been and continues to consider strategic alternatives available to the Company to enhance shareholder value. A copy of the press release is furnished as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated herein by reference.

ITEM 9.01(d) Exhibits

Exhibit No.

Description

99.1

Press release of Southern Connecticut Bancorp, Inc. issued January 23, 2009

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SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Registrant has caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

SOUTHERN CONNECTICUT BANCORP,  
INC.

Date: January 23, 2009

/s/ John Howard Howland  
John Howard Howland  
President and Chief Operating Officer

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