

OLD SECOND BANCORP INC  
Form 4  
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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 \*  
SCHMITZ JAMES C

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)  
02/27/2008

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) |
|--------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|
|                                      |                                      |  | Code                           | V   | Amount  | (A) or (D)   | Price                             |
| Old Second Bancorp Inc. Common Stock | 02/27/2008                           | (3)  | S                              |   | 5,000   | D  | \$ 27.5                           |
|                                      |                                      |  |                                |   | 371,796   | (1)  | D                                 |

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. P... Der... Sec... (Ins...) |                            |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|--------------------------------|----------------------------|
|  |  |                                      |  | Code                           | V (A) (D)   | Date Exercisable   | Expiration Date   | Title                          | Amount or Number of Shares |
| Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)       | \$ 27.75   |                                      |  |                                |   | 12/18/2008   | 12/18/2017  | Common Stock                   | 1,500 <sup>(2)</sup>       |
| Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)       | \$ 29.2  |                                      |  |                                |   | 12/19/2007   | 12/19/2016  | Common Stock                   | 1,500                      |
| Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)       | \$ 31.34   |                                      |  |                                |   | 12/20/2005   | 12/20/2015  | Common Stock                   | 1,500                      |
| Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)       | \$ 32.59   |                                      |  |                                |   | 12/20/2005   | 12/21/2014  | Common Stock                   | 1,500                      |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address                         | Relationships |           |         |       |
|--|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|
|  | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| SCHMITZ JAMES C<br>37 S. RIVER ST.<br>AURORA, IL 60506 | X             |           |         |       |

## Signatures

/s/ James C.

Schmitz

02/27/2008

\_\_Signature of  
Reporting Person

Date

## 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) Included in this total are 200 shares held in Mr. Schmitz' name alone and 371,596 shares held by James Schmitz as Trustee of the James C. Schmitz Trust.
- (2) The option becomes exercisable in 33-1/3% increments on December 18, 2008; December 18, 2009 and December 18, 2010 respectively. The option was approved at the Board of Directors' meeting held on December 18, 2007.
- (3) Does not apply.

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