

PEOPLES FINANCIAL SERVICES CORP.  
Form 8-K  
November 17, 2009

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 – November 17, 2009

Commission File Number: 0-23863

PEOPLES FINANCIAL SERVICES CORP.  
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

PENNSYLVANIA  
(State of incorporation)

23-2391852  
(IRS Employer Identification No.)

82 FRANKLIN AVE., HALLSTEAD,  
PA  
(Address of principal executive offices)

18822  
(Zip code)

(570) 879-2175  
(Registrant's telephone number including area code)

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 1.01 Entry into a Material Definitive Agreement

The Company has entered into an Employment Agreement, effective November 30, 2009, with Alan W. Dakey, President and CEO.

A copy of this agreement is included as Exhibit 10.15 to this report.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

10.15 Employment Agreement between Peoples Financial Services Corp. and Alan W. Dakey

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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, thereunto duly authorized.

Dated: November 17, 2009      /s/ Richard S. Lochen, Jr.  
By: Richard S. Lochen, Jr.  
President & CEO

Dated: November 17, 2009      /s/ Debra E. Dissinger  
By: Debra E. Dissinger  
Executive Vice President/COO/CRO

Dated: November 17, 2009      /s/ Joseph M. Ferretti  
By: Joseph M. Ferretti  
Vice President/CCO

Dated: November 17, 2009      /s/ Frederick J. Malloy  
By: Frederick J. Malloy  
Vice President/Controller

