

BANK OF HAWAII CORP  
Form 8-K  
December 16, 2005

**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)

**December 15, 2005**

**BANK OF HAWAII CORPORATION**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**Delaware**  
(State of Incorporation)

**1-6887**  
(Commission File Number)

**99-0148992**  
(IRS Employer Identification No.)

**130 Merchant Street, Honolulu, Hawaii**  
(Address of principal executive offices)

**96813**  
(Zip Code)

(Registrant's telephone number,  
including area code)

**(808) 537-8430**

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**Item 8.01. Other Events.**

On December 15, 2005, Bank of Hawaii Corporation issued a press release, the text of which is furnished as Exhibit 99.1 hereto and incorporated herein by reference.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits

(c) *Exhibits*

Exhibit No.

99.1 December 15, 2005 Press Release

**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.

**Date December 16, 2005**

**BANK OF HAWAII CORPORATION**

/s/ Cynthia G. Wyrick  
Cynthia G. Wyrick  
Senior Vice President and  
Corporate Secretary

SIGNATURE

