KEMPER DAVID W

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

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Issuer

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

COMMERCE BANCSHARES INC

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

KEMPER DAVID W

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

See Instruction

1000 WALNUT ST., 7TH FLOOR (Street)			(Month/E 06/28/2 4. If Ame	 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/28/2010 4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year) 				X Director 10% OwnerX Officer (give title Other (specify below) Chairman of the Board, CEO 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person			
KANSAS	CITY, MO 641	106						Form filed by Person	More than One R	Reporting	
(City)	(State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned								ally Owned		
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction (Month/Day/Yo	ear) Execution	emed on Date, if Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3,	ispose	d of (D)	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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	06/28/2010			A	55	A	\$ 36.58	8,625	I	Exec Comp Plan	
Common Stock								1,183,869	D		
Common Stock								4,348	I	Bank cust for son	
Common Stock								12,143	I	CB Kemper Trust	
Common Stock								12,144	I	CB Kemper	

			Rev Trust
Common Stock	12,143	I	EC Kemper Trust
Common Stock	12,144	I	EC Kemper Revoc Trst
Common Stock	24,150	I	JW Kemper Trust
Common Stock	50,917	I	MLK Trust- JMK issue
Common Stock	183,186	I	Tower Properties Co
Common Stock	24,274	I	WL Kemper Trust

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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Titl	le and	8. Price of	
Derivative	tive Conversion (Month/Day/Yea		Execution Date, if	TransactionNumber		Expiration Date		Amou	ınt of	Derivative	
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Under	rlying	Security	
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative	e		Secur	ities	(Instr. 5)	1
	Derivative Security				Securities	3	(Inst	(Instr.	str. 3 and 4)		
					Acquired					1	
					(A) or					1	
					Disposed						
					of (D)						
					(Instr. 3,	tr. 3,					
					4, and 5)						
									Amount		
						Date Expiration Exercisable Date	Expiration		or		
							Title Number				
							Dute	0	of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

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1000 WALNUT ST., 7TH FLOOR X Chairman of the Board, CEO

KANSAS CITY, MO 64106

Signatures

By: Jeffery D. Aberdeen For: David W.

Kemper 06/29/2010

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

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