

ZIONS BANCORPORATION /UT/
Form 8-K
February 10, 2015

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): February 10, 2015

ZIONS BANCORPORATION
(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

Utah
(State or Other Jurisdiction
of Incorporation)

001-12307
(Commission
File Number)

87-0227400
(IRS Employer
Identification No.)

One South Main, 15th Floor,
Salt Lake City, Utah

84133

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(Address of Principal Executive Office)

(Zip Code)

(801) 524-4787

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

N/A

(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 2.02 RESULTS OF OPERATIONS AND FINANCIAL CONDITION

The information contained in Item 8.01 is incorporated herein by reference.

ITEM 8.01 OTHER EVENTS

On February 6, 2015, as a result of recent developments, including settlement discussions, relating to a private litigation matter, Zions Bancorporation (the Company) determined to increase its legal reserves. Under U.S. generally accepted accounting principles, an accrual is required to be booked as of December 31, 2014 which will reduce fourth quarter 2014 earnings by \$0.03 per diluted common share (which will be reflected in its audited financial statements and Form 10-K) from the \$0.36 diluted earnings per share reported by the Company in its January 26, 2015 earnings release.

SIGNATURES

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

Zions Bancorporation

Date: February 10, 2015

By: /s/ Thomas E. Laursen

Thomas E. Laursen

Executive Vice President, General Counsel and
Secretary