WESEL JOSEPH H
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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
WESEL JOSEPH H

(Last) (First) (Middle)

138 PUTNAM STREET, P.O. BOX 738

(Street)

MARIETTA, OH 45750

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading Symbol
PEOPLES BANCORP INC [PEBO]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
01/01/2009

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

__X__ Director _____ 10% Owner
_____ Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
_X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person
___ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock								40,426	D	
Common Stock								14,879	I	by Spouse

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)	
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Deferred Compensation	(1)	01/01/2009		A		100		(1)	(1)	Common Stock	100
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	$ 21.705							04/10/2004	04/10/2013	Common Stock	1,155
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	$ 24.533							04/11/2003	04/11/2012	Common Stock	1,155
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	$ 26.01							04/14/2006	04/14/2015	Common Stock	1,155
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	$ 27.511							04/08/2005	04/08/2014	Common Stock	1,155
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	$ 29.12							11/11/2006	05/11/2016	Common Stock	1,200

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
WESEL JOSEPH H 138 PUTNAM STREET P.O. BOX 738 MARIETTA, OH 45750	X			

Signatures

By: Edward G. Sloane For: Joseph H. Wesel	01/02/2009
**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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(1) Shares are only payable subsequent to termination of service pursuant to the terms and conditions of the Peoples Bancorp Inc. Deferred Compensation Plan for Directors of Peoples Bancorp Inc. and Subsidiaries.

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