

SEACOAST BANKING CORP OF FLORIDA  
Form 8-K  
April 21, 2010

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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):

April 19, 2010

Seacoast Banking Corporation of Florida

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Florida

001-13660

59-2260678

(State or other jurisdiction  
of incorporation)

(Commission  
File Number)

(I.R.S. Employer  
Identification No.)

815 Colorado Avenue, Stuart, Florida

34994

(Address of principal executive offices)

(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code:

772-287-4000

Not Applicable

Former name or former address, if changed since last report

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions:

- Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)  
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 Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))  
 Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

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**Item 8.01 Other Events.**

On April 19, 2010, Seacoast Banking Corporation of Florida (the "Company") issued a press release announcing that it has directed the escrow agent to return the \$200 million of subscriptions received from investors for purchase of the Company's Series C Mandatorily Convertible Noncumulative Nonvoting Preferred Stock. A copy of the press release is included as Exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K and is incorporated herein by reference.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

(d) Exhibits.

Exhibit Number	Description
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99.1	Press Release of Seacoast Banking Corporation of Florida issued April 19, 2010.
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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 hereunto duly authorized.

Seacoast Banking Corporation of Florida

*April 21, 2010*

By: */s/Dennis S. Hudson, III*

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*Name: Dennis S. Hudson, III*

*Title: Chairman & Chief Executive Officer*

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