

VALLEY NATIONAL BANCORP  
Form 8-K/A  
August 22, 2006

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

FORM 8-K/A

CURRENT REPORT

PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE  
SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

Date of report (Date of earliest event reported) August 15, 2006

VALLEY NATIONAL BANCORP

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

<b>New Jersey</b> (State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)	<b>1-11277</b> (Commission File Number)	<b>22-2477875</b> (I.R.S. Employer Identification Number)
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<b>1455 Valley Road, Wayne, New Jersey</b> (Address of Principal Executive Offices)	<b>07470</b> (Zip Code)
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Registrant's telephone number, including area code **(973) 305-8800**

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 (*see* General Instruction A.2. below):

- Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
- Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
- 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))

**INFORMATION TO BE INCLUDED IN THE REPORT**

**Item 1.01 Entry into a Material Definitive Agreement**

Valley National Bank and Bancorp (collectively, Valley ) hereby amends the Form 8-K filed by Valley on August 21, 2006 to file the correct versions of the following agreements:

- (i) Amendment to the Change in Control Agreement (dated as of November 30, 2004) with Stephen P. Davey; and
- ii) Amendment to the Change in Control Agreement (dated as of November 30, 2004) with Elizabeth E. DeLaney.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits**

(c) Exhibits

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10.19 Amendment, dated as of August 15, 2006, to the Change in Control Agreement among Valley National Bank, Valley National Bancorp and Elizabeth E. DeLaney.

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**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.

Dated: August 22, 2006

**VALLEY NATIONAL  
BANCORP**

By: /s/ Peter Crocitto  
Peter Crocitto  
Executive Vice President

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EXHIBIT INDEX

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