#### COMMERCE BANCORP INC /NJ/

Form 4

February 11, 2008

## FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

**SECURITIES** 

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1(b). (Print or Type Responses)

(Last)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* **DIFLORIO DENNIS M** 

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

Symbol COMMERCE BANCORP INC /NJ/

[CBH]

(Check all applicable)

(First) (Middle)

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

07/20/2007

X\_ Officer (give title below)

10% Owner Other (specify

COMMERCE BANCORP INC, 1701 ROUTE 70 EAST

President

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Director

Applicable Line) \_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

CHERRY HIL, NJ 08034

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owner								
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. 4. Securities Acquired (A) Transaction Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)  (A) or				5. Amount of Securities Ownership Beneficially Form: Owned Direct (D) Following or Indirect Reported (I) Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 3 and 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	02/05/2008		Code V $J_{\underline{(1)}}$	Amount 51,276	(D)	Price \$ 0	559,959 (2)	D		
Common Stock	02/05/2008		<u>J(1)</u>	260,000	D	\$0	299,959	D		
Common Stock	02/05/2008		<u>J(1)</u>	51,276	D	\$0	0	I	By Wife	
Common Stock	02/05/2008		J <u>(1)</u>	260,000	A	\$ 0	260,000	I	Dennis DiFlorio Charitable Remainder	

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								Unitrust
Common Stock	02/07/2008	S	10,000	D	\$ 37.57	250,000	I	Dennis DiFlorio Charitable Remainder Unitrust
Common Stock	02/08/2008	S	63,000	D	\$ 37.79	187,000	I	Dennis DiFlorio Charitable Remainder Unitrust
Common stock						9,588	I	401(k)
Common Stock						36,476	I	401(k) Allocation

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 Exer	cisable and	7. Tit	le and	8. Price of
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transa	ctio	nNumber	Expiration D	ate	Amou	unt of	Derivative
Security	or Exercise		any	Code		of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Unde	rlying	Security
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr.	8)	Derivative	e		Secur	rities	(Instr. 5)
	Derivative					Securities			(Instr	. 3 and 4)	
	Security					Acquired					
						(A) or					
						Disposed					
						of (D)					
						(Instr. 3,					
						4, and 5)					
										Amount	
							Date	Expiration	m: 1	or	
							Exercisable	Date	Title	Number	
										of	
				Code	V	(A) (D)				Shares	

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
<b>1</b>	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
DIFLORIO DENNIS M			President					
COMMERCE BANCORP INC								
1701 POLITE 70 EAST								

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### **Signatures**

Dennis M.
DiFlorio
02/11/2008

\*\*Signature of Date
Reporting Person

# **Explanation of Responses:**

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
- \*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (1) Transfer among affiliates.
- (2) Includes shares acquired under the Company's Dividend Reinvestment Plan: 29 shares on 7/20/07, 27 shares on 10/18/07, 30 shares on 1/18/08.

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