

NORTHWEST BANCORPORATION INC  
Form 8-K  
November 03, 2008

**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) **November 3, 2008**

**Northwest Bancorporation, Inc.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**WA**  
(State or other jurisdiction  
of incorporation)

**000-24151**  
(Commission File Number)

**91-1574174**  
(IRS Employer Identification No.)

**421 W. Riverside Ave., Spokane, WA**  
(Address of principal executive offices) **99201**  
(Zip Code)  
Registrant's telephone number, including area code: **509-456-8888**

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(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)
- 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))

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**Item 5.02. Departure of Directors or Principal Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Principal Officers.**

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(d) On November 3, 2008, Northwest Bancorporation, Inc. (the "Company") issued a press release announcing the appointment of Anthony D. Bonanzino, Ph.D. to the Board of Directors of the Company and its wholly-owned subsidiary Inland Northwest Bank. The appointment will be effective on November 18, 2008. The text of the press release is included as Exhibit 99.1 to this report.

**Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

(c) The following exhibit is filed herewith:

<u>Exhibit No.</u>	<u>Exhibit Description</u>
99.1	Press release text of Northwest Bancorporation, Inc. dated November 3, 2008.

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**SIGNATURE**

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

**Northwest Bancorporation, Inc.**

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(Registrant)

*/s/ CHRISTOPHER C. JUREY*

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**November 3, 2008**

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(Date)

Christopher C. Jurey  
*Chief Financial Officer*

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**EXHIBIT INDEX**

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