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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): August 5, 2009

(Exact name of registrant as specified in charter)

001-11302

(Commission File Number)

OHIO (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

34-6542451 (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

127 Public Square

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Cleveland, Ohio 44114-1306

(Address of principal executive offices and zip code)

(216) 689-6300

(Registrant s telephone number, including area code)

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Item 8.01 Other Events.

On August 5, 2009, KeyCorp issued a press release announcing the final results of its offer to exchange KeyCorp common shares for trust preferred securities of KeyCorp Capital V, KeyCorp Capital VI, KeyCorp Capital VIII, KeyCorp Capital IX and KeyCorp Capital X. A copy of the press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated by reference herein. The press release is also being filed herewith under Rule 425 of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

Exhibit 99.1 Press Release, dated August 5, 2009

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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 thereunto duly authorized.

KEYCORP (Registrant)

Date: August 5, 2009 /s/ Daniel R. Stolzer By: Daniel R. Stolzer

Vice President, Deputy General Counsel and

Assistant Secretary