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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): October 25, 2007

BERKSHIRE HILLS BANCORP, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware 0-51584 04-3510455 ------(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation) (Commission (IRS Employer Identification No.)

24 North Street, Pittsfield, Massachusetts 01201
----(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (413) 443-5601

Not Applicable

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

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- [] Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

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ITEM 5.03 AMENDMENTS TO ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OR BYLAWS; CHANGE IN FISCAL
YEAR.

On October 25, 2007, Berkshire Hills Bancorp, Inc. (the "Company"), the

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holding company for Berkshire Bank, amended Article V of the Company's Bylaws to authorize the Company's Board of Directors to provide that some or all of any or all classes or series of the Company's capital stock may be uncertificated shares. A copy of the Company's Amended and Restated Bylaws is attached to this Report as Exhibit 3.1 and is incorporated herein by reference.

ITEM 9.01 FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS.

- (a) Financial Statements of Businesses Acquired: Not applicable
- (b) Pro Forma Financial Information: Not applicable
- (c) Shell Company Transactions: Not applicable
- (d) Exhibits

Number	Description
3.1	Amended and Restated Bylaws of Berkshire Hills Bancorp, Inc.

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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.

Berkshire Hills Bancorp, Inc.

Date: October 26, 2007 By: /s/ Michael P. Daly

Michael P. Daly

President and Chief Executive Officer