

FIRST MIDWEST BANCORP INC

Form 8-K

November 13, 2002

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 13, 2002

**First Midwest Bancorp, Inc.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware	0-10967	36-3161078
(State or other jurisdiction of Incorporation)	(Commission File Number)	(IRS Employer Identification No.)

300 Park Boulevard, Suite 405, Itasca, Illinois	60143
(Address of principal executive offices)	(Zip Code)

(630) 875-7450

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

**N/A**

(Former name and address, if changed since last report)

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Item 5. Other Events and Regulation FD Disclosure

On November 13, 2002, First Midwest Bancorp, Inc. participated in the Sandler O'Neill 2002 Financial Services Conference held in West Palm Beach, Florida. The presentation materials made available in conjunction with the Registrant's participation is attached as Exhibit 99 to this report.

Item 7. Financial Statements and Exhibits

(a) and (b) not applicable

(c) Exhibit Index:

99                      Presentation materials made available at the Sandler O'Neill 2002 Financial Services Conference.

The following Items are not applicable for this Form 8-K:

Item 1.	Changes in Control of Registrant
Item 2.	Acquisition or Disposition of Assets
Item 3.	Bankruptcy or Receivership
Item 4.	Changes in Registrant's Certifying Accountant
Item 6.	Resignations of Registrant's Directors
Item 8.	Change in Fiscal Year
Item 9.	Regulation FD Disclosure

SIGNATURES

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.

First Midwest Bancorp, Inc.  
(Registrant)

Date: November 13, 2002

/s/ MICHAEL L. SCUDDER

Michael L. Scudder  
Executive Vice President