

RAGONE DANIEL J
Form 4
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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
RAGONE DANIEL J

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
COMMERCE BANCORP INC /NJ/ [CBH]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
26 ELLIS STREET
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
04/18/2007

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)

HADDONFIELD, NJ 08033
(City) (State) (Zip)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V Amount (A) or (D) Price			
Common Stock	04/18/2007		M ⁽¹⁾	6,300 A \$ 10.92	0	D	
Common Stock	04/18/2007		S ⁽¹⁾	6,300 D \$ 34.17	172,363	D	
Common Stock					56,493	I	By Wife
Common Stock					20,758	I	By Wife-DRIP
Common Stock					1,900	I	By Wife-IRA

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- (1) The transactions reported in this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on March 21, 2007.
- (2) Granted under the Company's 1989 and 1998 Non-Employee Director's Stock Option Plans, which are 16b-3 plans.

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