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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol COMMERCE BANCORP INC /NJ/	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
[CBH]				
3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)	_X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below)			
11/26/2007				
4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
	Symbol COMMERCE BANCORP INC /NJ/ [CBH] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/26/2007 4. If Amendment, Date Original			

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	ole I - Non-	Derivativ	e Secu	rities Ac	quired, Disposed	of, or Benefic	cially Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securion(A) or D (Instr. 3,	ispose 4 and (A) or	d of (D)	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)
Common Stock	11/26/2007		G	1,000	D	\$ 0	80,923	D (1)	
Common Stock							53,865	I	By Wife
Common Stock	11/26/2007		G	1,000	A	\$ 0	1,000	I	Helen Bershad Foundation
Common Stock	11/28/2007		S	1,000	D	\$ 37.53	0	I	Helen Bershad Foundation

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	isable and	7. Titl	e and	8. Price of	9
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transacti	orNumber	Expiration Da	ate	Amou	nt of	Derivative	J
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Under	lying	Security	,
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative	e		Secur	ities	(Instr. 5)]
	Derivative				Securities			(Instr.	3 and 4)		(
	Security				Acquired						J
					(A) or]
					Disposed						-
					of (D)						(
					(Instr. 3,						
					4, and 5)						
									Amount		
						Date	Expiration	m	or		
						Exercisable Date	Title Number	Number			
				~					of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
BERSHAD JACK R						

227 SOUTH 6TH STREET X
PHILADELPHIA, PA 19106

Signatures

Jack R. Bershad

11/29/2007

**Signature of Date
Reporting Person

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- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (1) Includes 7 shares acquired on 4/20/07, 7 shares acquired on 7/20/07 and 6 shares acquired on 10/19/07 under the Company's Dividend Reinvestment Plan.

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