COMMUNITY BANK SYSTEM INC
Form 8-K
July 09, 2009

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): July 7, 2009

Community Bank System, Inc.
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)	001-13695 (Commission File Number)	16-1213679 (IRS EmployerIdentification No.)
5790 Widewaters Parkway, DeWitt, New York (Address of principal executive offices)		13214 (Zip Code)

Registrant’s telephone number, including area code: (315) 445-2282

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))

Item 8.01 Other Events.

On July 7, 2009, Community Bank System, Inc. issued a press release to announce that its wholly-owned subsidiary, Community Bank, N.A., is making a strategic investment in a new integrated core processing system which will enable expanded and improved service capabilities for its banking customers. A copy of the news release is attached as Exhibit 99.1 and incorporated herein by reference.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits

The following exhibit is filed as a part of this report.

Exhibit Number	Description
99.1	News Release, dated July 7, 2009

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 hereunto duly authorized.

Community Bank System, Inc.

By: /s/ Mark E. Tryniski
Name: Mark E. Tryniski
Title: President and Chief Executive Officer

Dated: July 9, 2009