

MEYER WILLIAM J  
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 \*  
MEYER WILLIAM J

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
OLD SECOND BANCORP INC  
[OSBC]

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

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
12/20/2005

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

C/O WILLIAM F. MEYER  
CO., 1855 W. NEW YORK ST.  
  
(Street)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

AURORA, IL 60505

(City) (State) (Zip)

**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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D)	Code V Amount (D) Price		
Old Second Bancorp Inc. Common Stock					70,368 <sup>(1)</sup>	D	
Old Second Bancorp Inc. Common Stock					2,452	D	
					666 <sup>(2)</sup>	I	

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Old Second Bancorp Inc. Common Stock						Held in spouse IRA
Old Second Bancorp Inc. Common Stock	532 <sup>(2)</sup>			I		Held in nominee name for spouse

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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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 Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code V (A) (D)		Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 31.34	12/20/2005	<u>(3)</u>	A	1,500	12/20/2005 12/20/2015	Common Stock 1,500
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 32.59					12/20/2005 12/21/2014	Common Stock 1,500

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

MEYER WILLIAM J  
C/O WILLIAM F. MEYER CO. X  
1855 W. NEW YORK ST.  
AURORA, IL 60505

## Signatures

/s/ William J.  
Meyer 12/20/2005

\*\*Signature of Date  
Reporting Person

## Explanation of Responses:

- \* 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) Of this total, 20,198 shares are held in trust and 50,170 shares are held in Mr. Meyer's name alone.
  - (2) Held in IRA for spouse and in nominee name for spouse.
  - (3) Does not apply.

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