BBCN BANCORP INC

Form 8-K February 03, 2012

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): January 31, 2012

BBCN Bancorp, Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware 000-50245 95-4170121

(State or other jurisdiction (Commission File Number) (IRS Employer

Identification No.)

of incorporation)

3731 Wilshire Boulevard, Suite 1000, Los Angeles, CA 90010

(Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code (213) 639-1700.

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report.)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions(see General Instruction A.2. below):

Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)

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Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))

Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Item 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On January 31, 2012, BBCN Bancorp, Inc. ("BBCN") issued a press release announcing preliminary results of operations and financial condition for the fourth quarter ended December 31, 2011. A copy of the press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1. The information in this report (including Exhibit 99.1) is being furnished pursuant to Item 2.02 and shall not be deemed to be "filed" for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act"), or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section, nor shall it be deemed to be incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933 or the Exchange Act.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

(c) Exhibits

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No. Description of Exhibit

99.1 Press release dated January 31, 2012 concerning preliminary results of operations and financial

condition for the fourth quarter ended December 31, 2011.

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.

BBCN Bancorp, Inc.

Date: February 3, 2012 /s/ Alvin

D. Kang Alvin D. Kang President and Chief Executive Officer

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