

WILMINGTON TRUST CORP
Form 11-K
August 26, 2010

FORM 11-K

þ **ANNUAL REPORT OF EMPLOYEE STOCK PURCHASE, SAVINGS AND SIMILAR PLANS
PURSUANT TO SECTION 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934
For the Fiscal Year Ended May 31, 2010**

OR

o **TRANSITION REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE
ACT OF 1934
For the Transition Period From _____ to _____**

Commission file number: 1-14659

A. Full Title of Plan: **2008 Employee Stock Purchase Plan**

B. Name of issuer of the securities held pursuant to the plan and address of its principal executive office:

Wilmington Trust Corporation
Rodney Square North
1100 North Market Street
Wilmington, DE 19890-0001

1. The 2008 Employee Stock Purchase Plan affords staff members the opportunity to acquire shares of Wilmington Trust Corporation's stock.
 2.
 - a. The written consent of the independent registered public accounting firm with respect to the financial statements for the 2008 Employee Stock Purchase Plan is attached hereto as Exhibit 23.
 - b. The financial statements required to be filed for the 2008 Employee Stock Purchase Plan are attached hereto as Exhibit 99.
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SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the following individuals, who administer the 2008 Employee Stock Purchase Plan, have signed this Form 11-K as of August 26, 2010.

/s/ William J. Farrell II (SEAL)

William J. Farrell II,
Chairman

/s/ Gerard A. Chamberlain (SEAL)

Gerard A. Chamberlain

/s/ I. Gail Howard (SEAL)

I. Gail Howard

/s/ Kevyn N. Rakowski (SEAL)

Kevyn N. Rakowski

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