SVB FINANCIAL GROUP Form 8-K/A January 11, 2010

UNITED STATES

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 8-K/A

(Amendment No. 1)

CURRENT REPORT

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): November 17, 2009

SVB Financial Group

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction 000-15637 (Commission File Number) 91-1962278 (I.R.S. Employer

Identification No.)

of incorporation)

3003 Tasman Drive, Santa Clara, CA 95054-1191

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(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code: (408) 654-7400

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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.

SVB Financial Group (the Company) previously announced in November 2009 that it had received a written inquiry from the San Francisco Office of the Securities and Exchange Commission (the SEC) in connection with possible insider trading in the Company s securities during the July 2009 time frame. The Company responded to the inquiry as requested. On January 8, 2010, the Company received a letter from the SEC confirming that it had terminated its investigation and that no enforcement action would be recommended.

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.

Date: January 11, 2010

SVB FINANCIAL GROUP

By: Name: Title:

/s/ MICHAEL DESCHENEAUX Michael Descheneaux Chief Financial Officer