

FIRST MARINER BANCORP
Form 8-K
June 02, 2014

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): **May 22, 2014**

FIRST MARINER BANCORP

(Exact name of registrant as specified in charter)

Maryland
(State or other
jurisdiction of
incorporation)

000-21815
(Commission
File Number)

52-1834860
(IRS Employer
Identification No.)

1501 S. Clinton Street, Baltimore, MD 21224

(Address of principal executive offices, including zip code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: **(410) 342-2600**

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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 May 22, 2014, the Financial Industry Regulatory Authority notified First Mariner Bancorp (the Company) that if the Company has not filed its Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for the quarter ended March 31, 2014 (the Form 10-Q) by June 23, 2014, its common stock, par value \$.05 per share (the Common Stock), will not be eligible for quotation on the OTC Bulletin Board (the OTCBB) and will be removed from listing. Because it does not anticipate filing its form 10-Q, the Company anticipates that its Common Stock will be removed from listing on the OTCBB on or after June 24, 2014, at which point the Company anticipates that there no longer will be a trading market for the Common Stock.

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.

FIRST MARINER BANCORP

Date: June 2, 2014

/s/ Paul B. Susie
Paul B. Susie
Chief Financial Officer