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July 22, 2015
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
Data of Rapart (Data of parliant event reported): July 22, 2015
Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): July 22, 2015
BROOKLINE BANCORP, INC.
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

0-23695

(State or other jurisdiction (Commission File No.) (I.R.S. employer

BROOKLINE BANCORP INC

Form 8-K

Delaware

of incorporation)

## 131 Clarendon Street, Boston Massachusetts 02116

(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

(617) 425-4600
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(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

# 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 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition, Declaration of Dividend

On July 22, 2015, Brookline Bancorp, Inc. (the "Company") issued a press release announcing its earnings for the quarter ended June 30, 2015. Additionally, the Company announced the approval by its Board of Directors of a regular quarterly dividend of \$0.09 per share payable on August 21, 2015 to stockholders of record on August 7, 2015. A copy of that press release is being furnished as Exhibit 99.1.

#### **Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits**

99.1 Press release issued July 22, 2015.

## **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.

> **Brookline** Bancorp, Inc.

Date: July 22, 2015

/S/ Carl

By: M.

> Carlson Carl M.

> Carlson

Chief Financial Officer

## **EXHIBIT INDEX**

The following exhibits are furnished as part of this report:

# Exhibit No. Description

99.1 Press Release of Brookline Bancorp, Inc. dated July 22, 2015