

ALLIED IRISH BANKS PLC
Form 6-K
March 30, 2012
UNITED STATES

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 6-K

Report of Foreign Private Issuer

Pursuant to Rule 13a-16 or 15d-16
under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

For the date of 30 March, 2012

ALLIED IRISH BANKS, public limited company

Bankcentre, Ballsbridge, Dublin 4, Republic of Ireland

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant files or will file annual reports under cover of Form 20-F or Form 40-F.

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Indicate by check mark whether the registrant by furnishing the information contained in this Form is also thereby furnishing the information to the Commission pursuant to Rule 12g3-2(b) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

Yes No ..X...

If "Yes" is marked, indicate below the file number assigned to the registrant in connection with Rule 12g3-2(b): 82-

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30th March 2012

ALLIED IRISH BANKS, P.L.C.

Allied Irish Banks, p.l.c. ("AIB") today issues its 2011 Annual Financial Report for the year ended 31 December 2011. Please click on the following link to view:

http://www.rns-pdf.londonstockexchange.com/rns/4127A_-2012-3-29.pdf

Alternatively, this announcement is available on www.aibgroup.com/investorrelations

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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, thereunto duly authorised.

ALLIED IRISH BANKS, p.l.c.
(Registrant)

Date 30 March, 2012

By: _____
Paul Stanley
Acting Chief Financial Officer
Allied Irish Banks, p.l.c.