CAPITAL ONE FINANCIAL CORP Form 8-K December 10, 2010

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, DC 20549

FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of

The Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Earliest Event Reported: December 10, 2010

CAPITAL ONE FINANCIAL CORPORATION

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction

1-13300 (Commission

54-1719854 (IRS Employer

of incorporation) File Number) Identification No.)

1680 Capital One Drive,

McLean, Virginia
(Address of principal executive offices)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code: (703) 720-1000

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions (see General Instruction A.2. below):

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- " Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- " Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Item 8.01 Other Events

The Company issued a news release today announcing the results of the consent solicitation relating to its 5.35% Subordinated Notes due 2014 to terminate the replacement capital covenants relating to such notes. A copy of the news release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1. A copy of the Termination acknowledging the termination of the replacement capital covenants is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.2.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

(d) Exhibits

Exhibit No. Description 99.1 News Release, dated December 10, 2010

99.2 Termination of Replacement Capital Covenants, dated December 10, 2010

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Company has duly caused this Current Report on Form 8-K to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

Dated: December 10, 2010

CAPITAL ONE FINANCIAL CORPORATION

By: /s/ Gary L. Perlin

Gary L. Perlin

Chief Financial Officer

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