KEYCORP /NEW/ Form 8-K December 01, 2006

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): November 29, 2006

(Exact name of registrant as specified in charter)

Ohio 0-850 34-6542451

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

Commission File Number

(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

127 Public Square, Cleveland, Ohio

44114-1306

(Address of principal executive offices)

(Zip Code)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code: (216) 689-6300

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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- o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

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Section 8 Other Events Item 8.01 Other Events

On December 1, 2006, KeyCorp (the Company) announced the sale of the nonprime mortgage loan portfolio held by its Champion Mortgage finance business to a wholly owned subsidiary of HSBC Finance Corporation. The Company also announced that it has entered into a separate agreement to sell Champion Mortgage s origination platform to an affiliate of Fortress Investment Group LLC, a global alternative investment and asset management firm.

A copy of the Company s press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and incorporated herein by reference.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

(d) Exhibits

99.1 Press Release dated December 1, 2006

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SIGNATURE

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 authorized.

KEYCORP

(Registrant)

Date: December 1, 2006 /s/ Daniel R. Stolzer

By: Daniel R. Stolzer Vice President and

Deputy General Counsel

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