BankFinancial CORP Form 8-K January 03, 2013

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): January 3, 2013

BANKFINANCIAL CORPORATION

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

Maryland 0-51331 75-3199276
(State or Other Jurisdiction (Commission (I.R.S. Employer of Incorporation) File No.) Identification No.)

15W060 North Frontage Road, Burr Ridge, Illinois 60527 (Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (800) 894-6900

Not Applicable

(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):

- "Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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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

BankFinancial Corporation announced the completion of two bulk sales of certain nonperforming assets with a total carrying value of \$22.7 million, consisting of \$22.0 million of nonperforming loans and \$710,000 of other real estate owned. The bulk sales are expected to result in fourth quarter 2012 pre-tax charges of approximately \$11.5 million. A copy of the press release is attached.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

- (a) Not Applicable.
- (b) Not Applicable.
- (c) Not Applicable.
- (d) Exhibits.

Exhibit No. Description

99.1 Press Release dated January 3, 2013

SIGNATURES

Dated: January 3, 2013

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.

BANKFINANCIAL CORPORATION

By: /s/ F. Morgan Gasior F. Morgan Gasior

Chairman of the Board and Chief Executive Officer

EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit Description No.

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