

REGIONS FINANCIAL CORP  
Form 8-K  
April 13, 2007

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**UNITED STATES**  
**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington, DC 20549

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**FORM 8-K**

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**CURRENT REPORT**

**PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE**  
**SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934**

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): April 13, 2007

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**REGIONS FINANCIAL**  
**CORPORATION**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**DELAWARE**  
(State or other jurisdiction  
of incorporation)

**000-50831**  
(Commission

**63-0589368**  
(IRS Employer

File Number)  
**1900 FIFTH AVENUE NORTH**

Identification No.)

**BIRMINGHAM, ALABAMA 35203**

(Address, including zip code, of principal executive office)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: **(205) 944-1300**

(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))
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**Item 5.02 Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.**

On April 13, 2007, Regions Financial Corporation ( Regions ) issued a press release announcing that Alton E. Yother, controller and principal accounting officer of Regions, has been appointed the chief financial officer. Mr. Yother was the chief financial officer of AmSouth Bancorporation ( AmSouth ) at the time of its merger with Regions in November 2006. Prior to joining AmSouth, he served as senior financial officer of SouthTrust Corporation. D. Bryan Jordan, former chief financial officer of Regions, resigned to accept a position at another financial services company. Mr. Jordan s resignation is not the result of any disagreement regarding the financial statements of Regions.

A copy of the press release issued by Regions announcing Mr. Yother s appointment as chief financial officer and Mr. Jordan s departure 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 April 13, 2007

**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.

**REGIONS FINANCIAL**

**CORPORATION**

By: /s/ John D. Buchanan

Name: John D. Buchanan

Title: Executive Vice President, General Counsel and  
Corporate Secretary

Date: April 13, 2007