

REGIONS FINANCIAL CORP
Form 8-K
February 22, 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 Report (Date of earliest event reported): February 22, 2010

REGIONS FINANCIAL CORPORATION

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

DELAWARE
(State or other jurisdiction
of incorporation)

000-50831
(Commission
File Number)

63-0589368
(IRS Employer
Identification No.)

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1900 FIFTH AVENUE NORTH

BIRMINGHAM, ALABAMA 35203

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

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (205) 326-5807

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

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

On February 22, 2010, Regions Financial Corporation (Regions) announced that it has named David Turner, 46, as Senior Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer, effective as of close of business February 22, 2010. Mr. Turner will succeed Irene Esteves, who is stepping down as Chief Financial Officer of Regions as of that time and is terminating her employment with Regions. Ms. Esteves' departure is not the result of any disagreement regarding the financial statements of Regions. Mr. Turner will serve as a member of Regions' Executive Council and will report to President and Chief Operating Officer O.B. Grayson Hall, Jr. Mr. Turner has been employed by Regions as Executive Vice President and Director of Audit since May 2, 2005. Prior to joining Regions, Mr. Turner was an audit partner at both KPMG LLP and Arthur Andersen.

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: Senior Executive Vice President, General
Counsel and Corporate Secretary

Date: February 22, 2010