

CINCINNATI FINANCIAL CORP
Form 8-K
August 15, 2005

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) August 15, 2005

CINCINNATI FINANCIAL CORPORATION

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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| Ohio | 0-4604 | 31-0746871 |
| (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation) | (Commission File Number) | (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.) |
| 6200 S. Gilmore Road, Fairfield, Ohio | | 45014-5141 |
| (Address of principal executive offices) | | (Zip Code) |
| Registrant's telephone number, including area code | <u>(513) 870-2000</u> | |

(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:

- Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
- Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
- 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 240.13a-4(c))

Item 7.01 Regulation FD Disclosure.

On August 15, 2005, Cincinnati Financial Corporation issued the attached news release Cincinnati Financial Corporation Declares Regular Quarterly Cash Dividend. The news release is furnished as Exhibit 99.1 hereto and is incorporated herein by reference. This report should not be deemed an admission as to the materiality of any information contained in the news release.

The board also reappointed Kenneth S. Miller, CLU, ChFC, chief investment officer and senior vice president, as executive officer of the corporation, effective immediately.

The information furnished in Item 7.01 of this report shall not be deemed filed for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that Section, nor shall such information be deemed incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

(c) Exhibits

Exhibit 99.1 News release dated August 15, 2005, titled Cincinnati Financial Corporation Declares Regular Quarterly Cash Dividend.

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 hereunto duly authorized.

CINCINNATI FINANCIAL CORPORATION

Date: August 15, 2005

/s/ James E. Benoski

James E. Benoski

Chief Insurance Officer and Senior Vice President