

FULTON FINANCIAL CORP

Form 8-K

January 17, 2006

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**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20459**

FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): January 17, 2006

FULTON FINANCIAL CORPORATION

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Pennsylvania

0-010587

23-2195389

(State or other jurisdiction
of incorporation)

(Commission File
Number)

(IRS Employer
Identification Number)

**One Penn Square, P.O. Box 4887, Lancaster,
Pennsylvania**

17604

(Address of principal executive offices)

(Zip Code)

(717) 291-2411

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)
Not Applicable

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

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ITEM 2.02 RESULTS OF OPERATIONS AND FINANCIAL CONDITION

On January 17, 2006 Fulton Financial Corporation announced its results of operations for the fourth quarter ended December 31, 2005. A copy of the earnings release is attached as Exhibit 99.1 to this Form 8-K. Supplemental financial information included with the earnings release is attached as Exhibit 99.2 to this report.

ITEM 9.01 FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS

(c) Exhibits.

Exhibit No.	Description
99.1	Earnings Release dated January 17, 2006.
99.2	Supplemental financial information for the quarter and year ended December 31, 2005

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.

FULTON FINANCIAL CORPORATION

Date: January 17, 2006

/s/ Charles J. Nugent

Charles J. Nugent
Senior Executive Vice President and
Chief Financial Officer