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RAYMOND JAMES FINANCIAL INC Form 8-K February 01, 2012

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

January 26, 2012

Date of report (date of earliest event reported)

Raymond James Financial, Inc. (Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)

Florida (State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)

1-9109 (Commission File Number) 59-1517485 (IRS Employer Identification No.)

880 Carillon Parkway St. Petersburg, FL 33716 (Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)

(727) 567-1000 (Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code)

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:

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

Item 8.01 Other Events

The following list of the Company's Executive Officers who are not Directors reflects recent changes in its senior management, is effective as of February 1, 2012, and replaces the list contained on page 13 of the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended September 30, 2011.

Jennifer C. Ackart 47 Senior Vice President, Controller

Bella Loykhter Allaire 58 Executive Vice President – Technology and Operations – Raymond James & Associates, Inc. since June, 2011;

Managing Director and Chief Information Officer, UBS

Wealth Management Americas, November, 2006 – January, 2011

Paul D. Allison

- 56 Chairman, President and CEO Raymond James Ltd. since January, 2009; Co-President and Co-CEO – Raymond James Ltd., August, 2008 – January, 2009; Executive Vice President and Vice Chairman, Merrill Lynch Canada, December, 2007 – August, 2008; Executive Vice President and Managing Director, Co-Head of Canada Investment Banking, Merrill Lynch Canada, March, 2001 – December, 2007
- James N. Augustine, Jr.45 Executive Vice President Fixed Income Capital Markets Raymond James & Associates, Inc. since October, 2011; Senior Vice President, Director Fixed Income Sales Management Raymond James & Associates, Inc., June, 2008 October, 2011; Senior Managing Director Fixed Income Sales Management, Bear Stearns, March, 2006 June, 2008

George Catanese 52 Senior Vice President and Chief Risk Officer since October, 2005; Director, Internal Audit, November, 2001 – October, 2005

- Jeffrey A. Dowdle

 47 President Asset Management Services Raymond James & Associates, Inc. since January, 2005; Senior Vice President

 Raymond James & Associates, Inc. since January, 2005
- Jeffrey P. Julien 56 Executive Vice President Finance, Chief Financial Officer and Treasurer; Director and/or officer of several RJF subsidiaries
- Paul L. Matecki 56 Senior Vice President General Counsel, Secretary

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Steven M. Raney 46 President and CEO – Raymond James Bank, N.A. since

January, 2006; Partner and Director of Business

Development, LCM Group, February, 2005 – December, 2005; various executive positions in the Tampa Bay area,

Bank of America, June, 1988 – January, 2005

Jeffrey E. Trocin 52 Executive Vice President – Equity Capital Markets –

Raymond James & Associates, Inc.

Dennis W. Zank 57 Chief Operating Officer since January 2012; Chief

Executive Officer – Raymond James & Associates, Inc. since January 2012; President – Raymond James & Associates, Inc., December, 2002 – December, 2011

Except where otherwise indicated, the executive officer has held his or her current position for more than five years.

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.

RAYMOND JAMES FINANCIAL, INC.

Date: February 1, 2012 By: /s/ Jeffrey P. Julien

Jeffrey P. Julien

Executive Vice President -

Finance,

Chief Financial Officer and

Treasurer

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