CAPITAL ONE FINANCIAL CORP Form 8-K February 18, 2005

# **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

February 14, 2005

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported)

# **CAPITAL ONE FINANCIAL CORPORATION**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its chapter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction 1-13300 (Commission File Number) 54-1719854 (IRS Employer

Identification No.)

of incorporation)

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#### 1680 Capital One Drive,

McLean, Virginia (Address of principal executive offices) 22102 (Zip Code)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code: (703) 720-1000

(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 (see General Instruction A.2. below):

" Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)

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

#### Item 3.03. Material Modification to Rights of Security Holders.

(a) See attached press release, at Exhibit 99.1.

## Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(c) Exhibits

## Exhibit No. Description

99.1 Press release of the Company dated February 15, 2005.

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#### SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Company has duly caused this Current Report on Form 8-K to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, hereunto duly authorized.

## CAPITAL ONE FINANCIAL CORPORATION

Dated: February 18, 2005

By: /s/ John G. Finneran, Jr.

John G. Finneran, Jr.

**Executive Vice President,** 

**General Counsel and Corporate Secretary** 

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