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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) July 14, 2008

**Tompkins Financial Corporation**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

New York	1-12709	16-1482357
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)	(Commission File Number)	(IRS Employer Identification No.)
The Commons, PO Box 460, Ithaca, New York		14851
(Address of Principal executive offices)		(Zip Code)
Registrant's telephone number, including area code (607) 273-3210		

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

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