

NewStar Financial, Inc.
Form 8-K
November 05, 2008

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

November 5, 2008

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported)

NewStar Financial, Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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Delaware	001-33211	54-2157878
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)	(Commission File Number)	(IRS Employer Identification No.)
	500 Boylston Street, Suite 1600, Boston, MA 02116	
	(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)	
	(617) 848-2500	
	(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)	
	N/A	
	(Former name or former address, if changed since last report.)	

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ITEM 2.02. RESULTS OF OPERATIONS AND FINANCIAL CONDITION.

On November 5, 2008, NewStar Financial, Inc. issued a press release announcing results for the third quarter ended September 30, 2008. The press release is furnished herewith as Exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K and incorporated herein by reference.

ITEM 9.01. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS.

(d) Exhibits

99.1 Press Release of NewStar Financial, Inc. dated November 5, 2008.

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 thereunto duly authorized.

NEWSTAR FINANCIAL INC.

Date: November 5, 2008

By: /s/ JOHN K. BRAY
John K. Bray
Chief Financial Officer

EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit No.	Description
99.1	Press Release of NewStar Financial, Inc. dated November 5, 2008.