REGIONS FINANCIAL CORP Form 8-K January 24, 2008

### **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** 

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): January 17, 2008

# REGIONS FINANCIAL CORPORATION

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**DELAWARE** (State or other jurisdiction

000-50831 (Commission File Number) 63-0589368 (IRS Employer

of incorporation)

1900 FIFTH AVENUE NORTH

Identification No.)

**BIRMINGHAM, ALABAMA 35203** 

(Address, including zip code, of principal executive office)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code: (205) 944-1300

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Item 5.02 Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.

(b) Director Martha R. Ingram will retire at the 2008 annual meeting of stockholders to be held in April, due to her reaching Regions mandatory retirement age. In addition, on January 17, 2008, Director Harry W. Witt informed Regions that he also intends to retire as a Director at the 2008 annual meeting.

#### **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.

#### REGIONS FINANCIAL CORPORATION

By: /s/ John D. Buchanan Name: John D. Buchanan

Title: Senior Executive Vice President, General Counsel and Corporate Secretary

Date: January 24, 2008