

Discover Financial Services  
Form 8-K  
September 24, 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

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): September 21, 2012

**DISCOVER FINANCIAL SERVICES**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Commission File Number: 001-33378

Delaware  
(State or other jurisdiction)

36-2517428  
(IRS Employer)

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of incorporation)

Identification No.)

**2500 Lake Cook Road, Riverwoods, Illinois 60015**

(Address of principal executive offices, including zip code)

**(224) 405-0900**

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

N/A

(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:

- .. Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
- .. Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
- .. Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- .. Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

**Item 8.01 Other Events.**

On September 21, 2012, Discover Financial Services announced that its subsidiary, Discover Bank, has reached an agreement in principle with the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation and Consumer Financial Protection Bureau to resolve previously disclosed matters related to the marketing of certain credit protection products sold by telephone. The press release containing this announcement is included as Exhibit 99.1 hereto and incorporated by reference into this Item 8.01.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

**(d) Exhibits**

<b>Exhibit No.</b>	<b>Description</b>
99.1	Discover Financial Services Press Release dated September 21, 2012

**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.

**DISCOVER FINANCIAL SERVICES**

Dated: September 24, 2012

By: /s/ Simon Halfin

Name: Simon Halfin

Title: Vice President, Assistant General Counsel

and Assistant Secretary

**EXHIBIT INDEX**

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