

Ally Financial Inc.
Form 8-K
April 11, 2016

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): April 6, 2016

Ally Financial Inc.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

DELAWARE
(State or Other Jurisdiction

of Incorporation)

1-3754
(Commission

File Number)
200 Renaissance Center

38-0572512
(IRS Employer

Identification No.)

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P.O. Box 200

Detroit, Michigan

48265-2000

(Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (866) 710-4623

Not Applicable

(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:

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- .. 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 April 6, 2016, Ally Financial Inc. (Ally) entered into an Underwriting Agreement incorporating Ally s Underwriting Agreement Standard Provisions (Debt Securities) (together, the Underwriting Agreement) with Barclays Capital Inc., Citigroup Global Markets Inc., Deutsche Bank Securities Inc., Merrill Lynch, Pierce, Fenner & Smith Incorporated and RBC Capital Markets, LLC, as representatives of the several Underwriters named therein (the Underwriters), pursuant to which Ally agreed to sell to the Underwriters an additional \$300,000,000 aggregate principal amount of its 5.750% Subordinated Notes due 2025 (the Notes). Ally previously issued \$750,000,000 aggregate principal amount of the Notes on November 20, 2015. The Notes were registered pursuant to Ally s shelf registration statement on Form S-3 (File No. 333-193070) (the Registration Statement), which became automatically effective on December 24, 2013.

The Underwriting Agreement contains customary representations, warranties and covenants of the Company, conditions to closing, indemnification obligations of the Company and the Underwriters, and termination and other customary provisions.

The foregoing description of the Underwriting Agreement does not purport to be complete and is qualified in its entirety by reference to the full text of the document which is attached as Exhibit 1.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K and incorporated by reference herein.

The Notes will be issued pursuant to an Indenture dated as of November 20, 2015 (the Indenture) between the Company and The Bank of New York Mellon, as trustee, and an action of the executive committee of Ally dated as of April 6, 2016. The Indenture and the Form of Notes are each filed as exhibits to the Registration Statement.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits

The following exhibits are filed as part of this Report.

**Exhibit
No.**

Description of Exhibits

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| 1.1 | Underwriting Agreement, dated as of April 6, 2016, among Ally Financial Inc. and Barclays Capital Inc., Citigroup Global Markets Inc., Deutsche Bank Securities Inc., Merrill Lynch, Pierce, Fenner & Smith Incorporated and RBC Capital Markets, LLC, as representatives of the several Underwriters named therein (including Ally s Underwriting Agreement Standard Provisions (Debt Securities)). |
| 4.1 | Action of the Executive Committee of Ally Financial Inc. dated as of April 6, 2016. |
| 5.1 | Opinion of Davis Polk & Wardwell LLP. |
| 23.1 | Consent of Davis Polk & Wardwell LLP (included in Exhibit 5.1) |

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.

Ally Financial Inc.
(Registrant)

Date: April 11, 2016

By: /s/ David J. DeBrunner
Name: David J. DeBrunner
Title: Vice President, Chief Accounting Officer
and Controller