Discover Financial Services Form 8-K May 15, 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): May 15, 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))

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#### Item 7.01 Regulation FD Disclosure.

Discover Financial Services (Discover) previously announced that Mark Graf, executive vice president and chief financial officer for Discover, will present at the Barclays Capital Americas Select Franchise Conference in London on Tuesday, May 15, 2012, at 9:15 a.m. Eastern time.

Presentation slides and a link to the live audio webcast will be posted on the day of the conference to Discover s corporate website at <a href="https://www.investorrelations.discoverfinancial.com">www.investorrelations.discoverfinancial.com</a>. The presentation is included as Exhibit 99.1 hereto and incorporated by reference into this Item 7.01.

The information contained in this Item 7.01 of this Current Report on Form 8-K, including Exhibit 99.1, is furnished pursuant to Item 7.01 of Form 8-K and shall not be deemed to be filed for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section, nor shall it be deemed incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, or the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, except as shall be expressly stated by specific reference in such filing.

# Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits. (d) Exhibits

### Exhibit No. Description

99.1 Discover Financial Services Barclays Capital Americas Select Franchise Conference Presentation dated May 15, 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.

Dated: May 15, 2012

## DISCOVER FINANCIAL SERVICES

By: /s/ Simon Halfin

Name: Simon Halfin

Title: Vice President, Assistant General Counsel

and Assistant Secretary

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