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SCHWAB CHARLES CORP Form 8-K July 31, 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): July 31, 2012

# **The Charles Schwab Corporation**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Commission File Number: 1-9700

**Delaware** (State or other jurisdiction

94-3025021

(I.R.S. Employer

of incorporation)

Identification No.)

211 Main Street, San Francisco, CA 94105

(Address of principal executive offices, including zip code)

(415) 667-7000

(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:

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	Pre-commencement communications	pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under t	the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
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<sup>&</sup>quot; Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

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#### Item 8.01 Other Events.

On July 31, 2012, The Charles Schwab Corporation issued a press release announcing its decision to redeem all of the Fixed to Floating Rate Trust Preferred Securities issued by Schwab Capital Trust I. The press release is attached as Exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report on Form 8 K and is incorporated by reference herein.

### Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

- (d) Exhibits
- 99.1 Press Release, dated July 31, 2012.

# Signature(s)

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.

### THE CHARLES SCHWAB CORPORATION

Date: July 31, 2012

By: /s/ Joseph R. Martinetto
Joseph R. Martinetto

Executive Vice President and Chief Financial

Officer

# **Exhibit Index**

## **Exhibit No. Description**

Ex 99.1 Press Release, dated July 31, 2012.