

BB&T CORP
Form 8-K
June 08, 2006

**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

June 5, 2006

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported)

BB&T Corporation

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Commission file number : 1-10853

North Carolina
(State of incorporation)

56-0939887
(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

200 West Second Street
Winston-Salem, North Carolina
(Address of principal executive offices)

27101
(Zip Code)

(336) 733-2000
(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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ITEM 8.01 Other Events

On June 5, 2006, BB&T Corporation (the Company) entered into an Accelerated Share Repurchase Agreement with Credit Suisse to facilitate the Company s purchase of 14.0 million shares of its outstanding common stock. The initial purchase price of the shares was \$41.76. The transaction was settled on June 7, 2006. This accelerated share repurchase was undertaken to offset the majority of the shares that were issued in connection with the acquisition of Main Street Banks, Inc., which was completed on June 1, 2006.

S I G N A T U R E

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.

BB&T CORPORATION
(Registrant)

By: /S/ EDWARD D. VEST

Edward D. Vest
Executive Vice President and Corporate Controller
(Principal Accounting Officer)

Date: June 8, 2006
