

Ship Finance International LTD  
Form 6-K  
August 22, 2007

**UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, D.C. 20549**

**FORM 6-K**

**REPORT OF FOREIGN PRIVATE ISSUER PURSUANT TO RULE 13A-16 OR 15D-16 OF THE  
SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934**

For the month of August 2007

Commission File Number: 0-22704

Ship Finance International Limited  
(Translation of registrant's name into English)

Par-la-Ville Place, 14 Par-la-Ville Road, Hamilton, HM 08, Bermuda  
(Address of principal executive office)

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant files or will file annual reports under cover of Form 20-F or Form 40-F.

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**INFORMATION CONTAINED IN THIS FORM 6-K REPORT**

Attached as Exhibit 1 is a copy of the press release of Ship Finance International Limited dated August 22, 2007.

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**Exhibit 1**

**SFL – 2Q 2007 Presentation**

**Press release from Ship Finance International Ltd. August 22, 2007**

Please find enclosed the presentation of the Preliminary Second Quarter Results held Wednesday, August 22, 2007 in the link below.

Presentation of 2nd quarter 2007 results

<http://hugin.info/134876/R/1148482/219421.pdf>

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**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, thereunto duly authorised.

Ship Finance International Limited

Dated: August 22, 2007

By /s/ Lars Solbakken

Name: Lars Solbakken

Title: Chief Executive Officer

Ship Finance Management AS