

MICROFINANCIAL INC  
Form 8-K  
August 11, 2010

**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): August 10, 2010**

**MICROFINANCIAL INCORPORATED**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**MASSACHUSETTS**

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

1-14771

04-2962824

(Commission file number)

(IRS Employer Identification Number)

**10-M Commerce Way, Woburn, MA 01801**

(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

**Registrant's telephone number, including area code: 781-994-4800**

**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 (see General Instruction A.2):

- Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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  - 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.

On August 10, 2010, the Registrant issued a press release announcing that its Board of Directors has authorized the repurchase of up to 250,000 shares of its common stock from time to time. Pursuant to Form 8-K, General Instruction F, the Registrant hereby incorporates by reference the press release attached hereto as Exhibit 99.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

Exhibit	Exhibit Title
Exhibit 99	Press Release dated August 10, 2010

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**SIGNATURES**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, the Registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

**MICROFINANCIAL INCORPORATED**  
Registrant

By: /s/ James R. Jackson, Jr.  
James R. Jackson, Jr.  
Vice President and Chief Financial  
Officer

Dated: August 10, 2010