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# UNITED STATES SECURITES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, DC 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) December 4, 2008 PEOPLES FINANCIAL CORPORATION

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)
Mississippi
(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)

01-12103 64-0709834

(Commission File Number) (IRS En

(IRS Employer Identification No.)

152 Lameuse Street Biloxi, MS

39530

(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

(Zip Code)

(228) 435-5511

(Registrant s Telephone Number, Including Area Code) (Former Name or Former Addresss, 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 Instructions A.2 below):

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### Item 8.01. Other Events

On November 20, 2008, Peoples Financial Corporation issued a press release announcing its decision to decline participating in the Capital Purchase Program ( CPP ).

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

# (c) Exhibits

99.1 Press Release issued by Peoples Financial Corporation dated November 20, 2008, headed The Peoples Bank Declines To Participate in Federal Bailout Funding.

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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 hereunto duly authorized.

Dated: December 4, 2008

### PEOPLES FINANCIAL CORPORATION

By: /s/ Chevis C. Swetman Chevis C. Swetman Chairman, President and CEO

Exhibit 99.1: Peoples Financial Corporation Press Release Dated November 20, 2008