

E TRADE FINANCIAL CORP  
Form 8-K  
March 17, 2011

UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, DC 20549

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FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT  
PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(D) OF THE  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

Date of report: March 11, 2011  
(Date of earliest event reported)

E\*TRADE FINANCIAL CORPORATION  
(Exact name of registrant as specified in charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)	1-11921 (Commission File Number)	94-2844166 (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)
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1271 Avenue of the Americas, 14th Floor, New York, New York 10020  
New York, New York 10022  
(Address of principal executive offices and zip code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (646) 521-4300

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- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))



Item 5.02. Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.

Although the Company's Board of Directors ("Board"), based on the recommendation of its Nominating and Corporate Governance Committee, approved the nomination of C. Cathleen Raffaelli for re-election, on March 11, 2011 Ms. Raffaelli notified the Company that she would not stand for re-election to the Board when her term expires at the Company's 2011 annual meeting of stockholders.

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.

E\*TRADE FINANCIAL CORPORATION

Dated: March 17, 2011

By: /s/ Karl A. Roessner  
Name Karl A. Roessner  
Title Corporate Secretary