

FIRST COMMONWEALTH FINANCIAL CORP /PA/  
Form 8-K  
October 27, 2008

**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): October 27, 2008**

**First Commonwealth Financial Corporation**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**Pennsylvania**  
(State or other jurisdiction

of incorporation)

**001-11138**  
(Commission File Number)

**25-1428528**  
(IRS Employer

Identification Number)

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**22 N. Sixth Street, Indiana, PA**  
(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

**15701**  
(Zip Code)

**Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (724) 349-7220**

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:

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

Item 7.01 REGULATION FD DISCLOSURE

On October 27, 2008, First Commonwealth Financial Corporation issued a press release announcing the filing of a registration statement with the SEC for the offer and anticipated sale of approximately \$100 million of shares of common stock. A copy of the press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated herein by reference.

Item 9.01 FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS

(d) Exhibits.

99.1 - Press release dated October 27, 2008

**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: October 27, 2008

FIRST COMMONWEALTH FINANCIAL  
CORPORATION  
(Registrant)

By: /s/ TERESA M. CIAMBOTTI  
Teresa M. Ciambotti  
Senior Vice President and Controller