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 15, 2005

CINCINNATI FINANCIAL CORPORATION

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)		
Ohio	0-4604	31-0746871
(State or other jurisdiction	(Commission	(I.R.S. Employer
of incorporation)	File Number)	Identification No.)
6200 S. Gilmore Road, Fairfield, Ohio		45014-5141
(Address of principal executive offices)		(Zip Code)
Registrant's telephone number, including area	code (<u>513</u>) <u>870-2000</u>	
(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:		
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Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13a-4(c))

Item 7.01 Regulation FD Disclosure.

On August 15, 2005, Cincinnati Financial Corporation issued the attached news release "Cincinnati Financial Corporation Declares Regular Quarterly Cash Dividend." The news release is furnished as Exhibit 99.1 hereto and is incorporated herein by reference. This report should not be deemed an admission as to the materiality of any information contained in the news release.

The board also reappointed Kenneth S. Miller, CLU, ChFC, chief investment officer and senior vice president, as executive officer of the corporation, effective immediately.

The information furnished in Item 7.01 of this report shall not be deemed "filed" for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that Section, nor shall such information be deemed incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

(c) Exhibits

Exhibit 99.1 – News release dated August 15, 2005, titled "Cincinnati Financial Corporation Declares Regular Quarterly Cash Dividend."

Signature

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.

CINCINNATI FINANCIAL CORPORATION

Date: <u>August 15, 2005</u>

/s/ James E. Benoski

James E. Benoski

Chief Insurance Officer and Senior Vice President

CINCINNATI FINANCIAL CORPORATION

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Cincinnati Financial Corporation Declares Regular Quarterly Cash Dividend

CINCINNATI, August 15, 2005 -- **Cincinnati Financial Corporation (Nasdaq: CINF)** today announced that the board of directors has declared a 30½ cents per share regular quarterly cash dividend payable October 14, 2005, to shareholders of record on September 23, 2005. In January, the board raised the 2005 indicated annual cash dividend payout by 15 percent, after taking into account the 5 percent stock dividend distributed in April.

Chairman and Chief Executive Officer John J. Schiff, Jr., CPCU commented, "Strong results for the first half of 2005 illustrated the predictability and consistency that are our long-term objectives. The board believes in rewarding shareholders who support this approach and the results it creates."

Cincinnati Financial Corporation offers property and casualty insurance, its main business, through The Cincinnati Insurance Company, The Cincinnati Indemnity Company and The Cincinnati Casualty Company. The Cincinnati Life Insurance Company markets life and disability income insurance and annuities. CFC Investment Company offers commercial leasing and financing services. CinFin Capital Management Company provides asset management services to institutions, corporations and individuals.

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