

MICROFINANCIAL INC  
Form 8-K  
April 19, 2012

**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): April 18, 2012**

**MICROFINANCIAL INCORPORATED**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

MASSACHUSETTS

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

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**1-14771**

(Commission file number)

**04-2962824**

(IRS Employer Identification Number)

**16 New England Executive Park, Suite 200, Burlington MA 01803**

(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 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Item 2.02. Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On April 18, 2012, the Registrant announced its results of operations for its first quarter ended March 31, 2012. 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 April 18, 2012 |

**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: April 19, 2012