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# SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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## FORM 8-K

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**CURRENT REPORT**  
**Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the**  
**Securities Exchange Act of 1934**

Date of report (Date of earliest event reported): November 27, 2007

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# CAPITAL ONE FINANCIAL CORPORATION

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

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**Delaware**  
(State or Other Jurisdiction  
of Incorporation)

**1-13300**  
(Commission File Number)

**54-1719854**  
(IRS Employer  
Identification Number)

**1680 Capital One Drive,**  
**McLean, Virginia**  
(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

**22102**  
(Zip Code)

**Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (703) 720-1000**

**Not Applicable**  
(Former Name or Former Address, If Changed Since Last Report)

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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:

- Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
  - Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
  - Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
  - Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))
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**Item 5.02 Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers**

Capital One Financial Corporation today announced that Mr. Dave Lawson, President of the Company's Auto Finance business, will retire effective April 30, 2008. Mr. Lawson has chosen to devote more time to other interests.

**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.

Date: November 27, 2007

**CAPITAL ONE FINANCIAL CORPORATION**

By: /s/ John G. Finneran, Jr.

John G. Finneran, Jr.

General Counsel & Corporate Secretary