

WASHINGTON MUTUAL, INC  
Form 8-K  
January 17, 2007

**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: January 17, 2007

Washington Mutual, Inc.  
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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| Washington<br>(State or other jurisdiction<br>of incorporation)                           | 1-14667<br>(Commission<br>File Number) | 91-1653725<br>(IRS Employer<br>Identification No.) |
| 1301 Second Avenue, Seattle,<br>Washington<br>(Address of principal executive<br>offices) |  | 98101<br>(Zip Code)                                |

(206) 461-2000  
(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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. below):

- 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))
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**Item 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition**

On January 17, 2007, Washington Mutual, Inc. held a conference call regarding its results of operations and financial condition for the quarter and twelve months ended December 31, 2006. The text of the press release is included as Exhibit 99.1 to this report, financial supplement is included as Exhibit 99.2 to this report and management’s prepared remarks for the conference call is included as Exhibit 99.3 to this report. The information included in the press release text, financial supplement and management’s prepared remarks for the conference call is considered to be “furnished” under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934. The Company will include final financial statements and additional analyses for the year ended December 31, 2006, as part of its Form 10-K covering that period.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits**

(d) The following exhibits are being furnished herewith:

| <u>Exhibit No.</u> | <u>Exhibit Description</u>  |
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| 99.1               | Press release text of Washington Mutual, Inc. dated January 17, 2007.                                   |
| 99.2               | Financial supplement of Washington Mutual, Inc.   |
| 99.3               | Management’s prepared remarks for the Washington Mutual, Inc. Conference Call held on January 17, 2007. |

**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.

WASHINGTON MUTUAL, INC.

Dated: January 17,  
2007

By: /s/ Fay L. Chapman

Fay L. Chapman  
Senior Executive Vice President