

ORIGEN FINANCIAL INC

Form 8-K

March 14, 2006

**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) March 13, 2006
Origen Financial, Inc.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

DELAWARE
State of Incorporation

000-50721
(Commission File Number)

20-0145649
(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

27777 Franklin Road, Suite 1700, Southfield, Michigan
(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

48034
(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (248) 746-7000

(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. below):

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 - Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e4(c))
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ITEM 2.02 RESULTS OF OPERATIONS AND FINANCIAL CONDITION

On March 13, 2006, Origen Financial, Inc. issued a press release reporting earnings and other financial results for the year ended December 31, 2005. A copy of the press release is attached as Exhibit 99.1.

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: March 13, 2006

Origen Financial, Inc.

By: /s/ W. Anderson Geater, Jr.
W. Anderson Geater, Jr., Chief Financial
Officer

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EXHIBIT INDEX

| Exhibit No. | Description | Furnished Herewith |
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| 99.1 | Text of Press Release, dated March 13, 2006 | X |