

ORIENTAL FINANCIAL GROUP INC

Form 8-K

June 26, 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): June 20, 2006

ORIENTAL FINANCIAL GROUP INC.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

Commonwealth of Puerto Rico	001-12647	66-0538893
<i>(State or other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)</i>	<i>(Commission File No.)</i>	<i>(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)</i>

Oriental Group Center
Professional Offices Park
997 San Roberto Street, 10th Floor
San Juan, Puerto Rico

00926

(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (787) 771-6800

(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):

- 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 8.01. Other Events.

On June 20, 2006, the Board of Directors of Oriental Financial Group Inc. (the Group) approved a \$3 million increase to \$15.1 million from the original amount of \$12.1 million of the Group's current stock repurchase program, which was approved on August 30, 2005 and announced on September 1 of that year.

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Group has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

ORIENTAL FINANCIAL GROUP INC.

Date: June 26, 2006

By: /s/ Carlos O. Souffront
Carlos O. Souffront
Secretary of the Board of Directors