

PINNACLE FINANCIAL PARTNERS INC
Form 8-K
February 17, 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): February 17, 2006

PINNACLE FINANCIAL PARTNERS, INC.

Tennessee
(State or Other Jurisdiction
of Incorporation)

000-31225
(Commission File Number)

62-1812853
(I.R.S. Employer
Identification No.)

211 Commerce Street, Suite 300, Nashville, Tennessee 37201

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Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 13e-4(c))

Item 7.01. Regulation FD Disclosure.

On February 17, 2006, Pinnacle Financial Partners, Inc. issued the press release that is furnished as Exhibit 99 to this Current Report on Form 8-K, which by this reference is incorporated herein as if copied verbatim, regarding the key findings of the Pinnacle Financial Partners Nashville Economic Index.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(a) Financial Statements. None

(b) Pro Forma Financial Information. None

(c) Exhibits.

99 Press Release dated February 17, 2006

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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.

Dated: February 17, 2006

PINNACLE FINANCIAL PARTNERS, INC.

By: /s/ Harold Carpenter
Name: Harold Carpenter
Title: Chief Financial Officer