Ellington Financial LLC Form 8-K November 03, 2011

# 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): 11/02/2011

# **ELLINGTON FINANCIAL LLC**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Commission File Number: 001-34569

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation) 26-0489289 (IRS Employer Identification No.)

### 53 Forest Avenue

Old Greenwich, CT 06870 (Address of principal executive offices, including zip code)

(203) 698-1200

(Registrant s telephone number, including area code)

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

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#### Item 8.01. Other Events

On November 2, 2011, Ellington Financial LLC (the "Company") issued a press release announcing that its Board of Directors had declared a quarterly dividend of \$0.40 per share for the third quarter of 2011. The dividend will be paid on December 15, 2011 to shareholders of record on December 1, 2011. The Company also announced that it will release financial results for the quarter ended September 30, 2011 after the market close on Monday, November 7, 2011 and dial-in information for the conference call to discuss financial results scheduled for 9:00 a.m. Eastern Time on Tuesday, November 8, 2011. A copy of the press release is filed herewith as Exhibit 99.1 to this current report on Form 8-K and is incorporated herein by reference.

#### Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits

- (d) Exhibits. The following exhibit is being furnished herewith this Current Report on Form 8-K.
  - 99.1 Press Release dated November 2, 2011.

#### **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.

ELLINGTON FINANCIAL LLC

Date: November 02, 2011 By: /s/ Lisa Mumford

Lisa Mumford Chief Financial Officer

# EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit No.	Description

EX-99.1 Press Release