FULTON FINANCIAL CORP Form 8-K December 22, 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: December 22, 2011 (Date of earliest event Percenber 20, 2011 reported):

FULTON FINANCIAL CORPORATION

(Exact name of Registrant as specified in its Charter)

Pennsylvania 0-10587 23-2195389 (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation) (Commission File Number) (IRS Employer Identification Number)

P.O. Box 4887, One Penn Square
Lancaster, Pennsylvania

(Address of principal executive offices)

17604

(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: 717-291-2411 Former name or former address, if changed since last Report: N/A

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

Item 8.01- Other Events

On December 20, 2011, Fulton Financial Corporation announced that it will pay a quarterly cash dividend of six cents per share on its common stock on January 13, 2012 to shareholders of record as of January 2, 2012. This six-cent per share amount is a one cent per share increase over the five cents per share paid in October 2011.

On December 20, 2011, Fulton Financial Corporation released the press release, attached hereto at Exhibit 99.1, which is incorporated herein by reference. It is being furnished to the SEC and shall not be deemed to be "filed" for any purpose.

Item 9.01 - Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits

Exhibit No. Description

99.1 Press Release dated December 20, 2011

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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.

Date: December 22, 2011 Fulton Financial Corporation

By: /s/ Charles J. Nugent Charles J. Nugent Senior Executive Vice President and

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Chief Financial Officer

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