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FULTON FINANCIAL CORP Form 8-K January 20, 2012

### 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: January 20, 2012 (Date of earliest event reported): January 17, 2012

# 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
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	Act

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Item 5.02 - Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.

On January 17, 2012, Fulton Financial Corporation ("Fulton") received the resignation of Dana A. Chryst, who has been a director of Fulton since 2008. Ms. Chryst's decision to resign was not the result of any disagreement relating to Fulton's operations, policies or practices and her resignation from Fulton was effective January 17, 2012 when it was accepted by Fulton's Board of Directors. Ms. Chryst has also tendered her resignation from the Board of Directors of Fulton's subsidiary, Fulton Bank, National Association.

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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: January 20, 2012 Fulton Financial Corporation

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

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