NOVASTAR FINANCIAL INC Form 8-K June 12, 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

June 12, 2006

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported)

NOVASTAR FINANCIAL, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

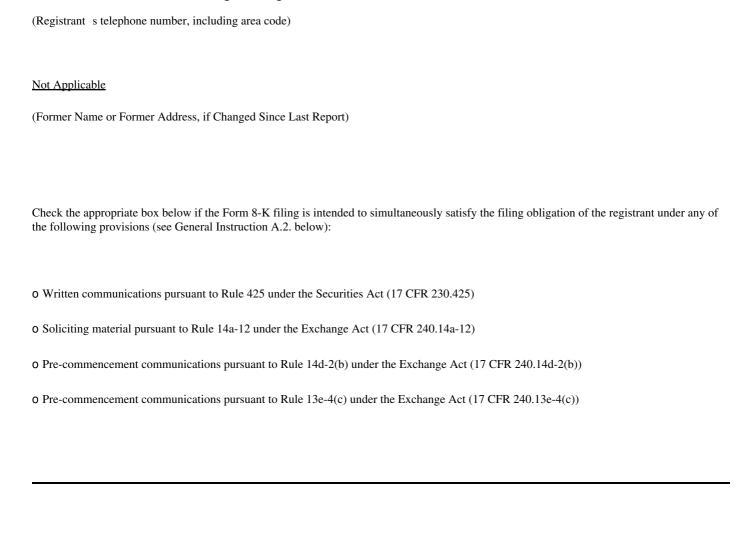
Maryland (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization) 001-13533 (Commission File Number) 74-2830661 (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

8140 Ward Parkway, Suite 300, Kansas City, MO 64114

(Address of principal executive offices)

(Zip Code)

(816) 237-7000



INFORMATION TO BE INCLUDED IN THE REPORT

Item 7.01 Regulation FD Disclosure

On June 12, 2006, NovaStar Financial, Inc. reported its Monthly Loan Origination Data and Selected Non-Conforming Loan Origination Data for the month of May on its website (www.novastarmortgage.com). The presentation of this data is included as Exhibit 99 and is incorporated herein by reference.

References to the registrant s website do not incorporate by reference the information on the registrant s website into this Current Report and the registrant disclaims any such incorporation by reference.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

- (c) Exhibits
- 99 Monthly Loan Origination Data and Selected Non-Conforming Loan Origination Data.

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 thereunto duly authorized.

NOVASTAR FINANCIAL, INC.

DATE: June 12, 2006

/s/ Gregory S. Metz Gregory S. Metz Chief Financial Officer

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