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**UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington, D.C. 20549

**FORM 8-K**

CURRENT REPORT  
Pursuant to Section 13 and 15(d) of the  
Securities Exchange Act of 1934

May 30, 2006  
Date of report (date of earliest event reported)

**Raymond James Financial, Inc.**  
(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)

Florida  
(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)

**1-9109**  
(Commission File Number)

**59-1517485**  
(IRS Employer Identification No.)

**880 Carillon Parkway St. Petersburg, FL 33716**  
(Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)

**(727) 567-1000**  
(Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code)

**Not Applicable**  
(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions (*see* General Instruction A.2. below):

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**Item 7.01 Regulation FD Disclosure**

On May 30, 2006, Raymond James Financial, Inc. issued a press release disclosing operating data for the nineteen day period ended April 30, 2006. A copy of the release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and incorporated by reference herein.

**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.

RAYMOND JAMES FINANCIAL, INC.

Date: May 30, 2006

By: /s/ Thomas A. James  
Thomas A. James  
Chairman and Chief Executive Officer

By: /s/ Jeffrey P. Julien  
Jeffrey P. Julien  
Senior Vice President - Finance  
and Chief Financial Officer

# RAYMOND JAMES®

Release No. 0506-07

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

May 30, 2006

## RAYMOND JAMES FINANCIAL, INC. REPORTS APRIL 2006 OPERATING DATA

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla. - In an effort to provide timely information to enable analysts and investors to stay better informed about the general trends in our major business segments, we are releasing selected operating statistics. Due to the limited nature of this data, a consistent correlation to earnings should not be assumed.

"While April 2006 commissions and fees declined from March 2006, reflecting four fewer business days, the growth in commissions and fees continued vis-à-vis the prior year's comparable month," explained Chairman and CEO Thomas A. James. "However, the market decline in May thus far may impact future comparisons negatively."

Raymond James Financial (NYSE-RJF) is a Florida-based diversified holding company providing financial services to individuals, corporations and municipalities through its subsidiary companies. Its three wholly owned broker/dealers, Raymond James & Associates, Raymond James Financial Services and Raymond James Ltd. have more than 4,800 financial advisors serving 1.2 million accounts in 2,200 locations throughout the United States, Canada and overseas. Total client assets are approximately \$170 billion. Approximately \$31.7 billion are managed by the firm's asset management subsidiaries.

To the extent that Raymond James makes or publishes forward-looking statements (regarding management expectations, strategic objectives, business prospects, anticipated expense savings, financial results, anticipated results of litigation and regulatory proceedings, and other similar matters), a variety of factors, many of which are beyond Raymond James' control, could cause actual results and experiences to differ materially from the expectations and objectives expressed in these statements. These factors are described in Raymond James' 2005 annual report on Form 10-K, which is available on [raymondjames.com](http://raymondjames.com) and [sec.gov](http://sec.gov).

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	<b>April 2006</b> <b>(19 business days)</b>	<b>March 2006</b> <b>(23 business days)</b>	<b>April 2005</b> <b>(21 business days)</b>
Securities commissions/fees <sup>(1)</sup>	\$ 137.0 mil.	\$145.7 mil.	\$ 128.6 mil.
Assets under management <sup>(2)</sup>	\$ 31.7 bil.	\$ 31.2 bil.	\$ 24.9 bil.
# of managed/co-managed underwritings <sup>(3)</sup>	15	13	7
Total customer assets under administration	\$ 170.0 bil.	\$ 167.5 bil.	\$ 138.0 bil.

(1) Includes all securities commissions and fees generated by our financial advisors, both private client and institutional, except for emerging markets joint ventures.

(2) This is the primary revenue driver for the asset management segment. Just under half of the assets under management are subject to billing quarterly in advance, with the balance billed mainly based on average daily assets.

(3) This is only one of several key revenue sources for the capital markets segment, other key revenue sources include institutional sales commissions and transaction fees.

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