WEBSTER FINANCIAL CORP Form 8-K November 14, 2007

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) November 14, 2007

Webster Financial Corporation.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction

001-31486 (Commission File Number) 06-1187536 (IRS Employer

 $of\ incorporation)$

Identification No.)

Webster Plaza, Waterbury, Connecticut (Address of principal executive offices)

06702 (Zip Code)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code: (203) 465-4364

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

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Item 7.01. Regulation FD Disclosure

Webster Financial Corporation s (NYSE: WBS) (Webster) Chairman and Chief Executive Officer, James C. Smith, and Senior Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer, Gerald P. Plush, will make a presentation at the Merrill Lynch Banking & Financial Services Investor Conference on November 14, 2007. Slides of the presentation are available at Webster s Investor Relations website, www.wbst.com.

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SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, the Registrant has duly caused this Report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned thereunto duly authorized.

WEBSTER FINANCIAL CORPORATION

Date: November 14, 2007 By: /s/ Harriet Munrett Wolfe

Harriet Munrett Wolfe Executive Vice President,

General Counsel and Secretary

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