PINNACLE FINANCIAL PARTNERS INC Form 8-K March 25, 2010

# 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 (Date of earliest event reported): March 23, 2010 PINNACLE FINANCIAL PARTNERS, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in charter)

Tennessee 000-31225 62-1812853

(State or other jurisdiction (Commission (I.R.S. Employer of incorporation) File Number) Identification No.)

150 Third Avenue South, Suite 900, Nashville, 37201

Tennessee

(Address of principal executive offices)

(Zip Code)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code: (615) 744-3700 211 Commerce Street, Suite 300, Nashville, Tennessee

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

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- o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

## Item 5.03. Amendments to Articles of Incorporation or Bylaws; Change in Fiscal Year.

On March 25, 2010, Pinnacle Financial Partners, Inc. (the Company) filed with the Secretary of State of the State of Tennessee Articles of Amendment to the Company s Amended and Restated Charter pursuant to which Article 3 and Article 5 have been amended to reflect the Company s registered office and principal office are now located at 150 Third Avenue South, Suite 900, Nashville, Tennessee, 37201. A copy of the Articles of Amendment to the Company s Amended and Restated Charter, which were approved by the Company s board of directors on March 23, 2010, is filed herewith as Exhibit 3.1.

## Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

- (d) Exhibits
- 3.1 Articles of Amendment to the Amended and Restated Charter of Pinnacle Financial Partners, Inc.

#### **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.

# PINNACLE FINANCIAL PARTNERS, INC.

By: Harold R. Carpenter

Name: Harold R. Carpenter

Title: Executive Vice President and

Chief Financial Officer

Date: March 25, 2010

## **EXHIBIT INDEX**

## **Exhibit**

No. Description

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