ISTAR FINANCIAL INC Form 8-K April 24, 2009

# **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): April 23, 2009

# iStar Financial Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Maryland (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

1-15371 (Commission File Number)

95-6881527 (IRS Employer Identification Number)

1114 Avenue of the Americas, 39th Floor New York, New York

10036 (Zip Code)

(Address of principal executive offices)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code: (212) 930-9400

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

#### ITEM 8.01 Other Events.

On April 23, 2009, iStar Financial Inc. (the Company) issued a press release announcing, among other things, a change in the consideration to be issued in exchange for the Company s Senior Floating Rate Notes due March 2010 and the Company s 5.375% Senior Notes due April 2010. Additionally, the Company announced that the withdrawal deadline has expired with respect to its previously announced private exchange offers.

For additional information concerning the foregoing, a copy of the Company s press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated herein by reference.

#### ITEM 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

Exhibit 99.1 Press Release dated April 23, 2009

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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.

#### iSTAR FINANCIAL INC.

Date: April 23, 2009 By: /s/ Jay Sugarman

Jay Sugarman

Chairman and Chief Executive Officer

Date: April 23, 2009 By: /s/ James D. Burns

James D. Burns

Executive Vice-President, Chief Financial Officer and

Treasurer

### EXHIBIT INDEX

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