REGIONS FINANCIAL CORP Form 8-A12B April 28, 2014

UNITED STATES

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, DC 20549

FORM 8-A

FOR REGISTRATION OF CERTAIN CLASSES OF SECURITIES PURSUANT TO SECTION 12(b) OR 12(g) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

REGIONS FINANCIAL CORPORATION

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State of incorporation or organization)

63-0589368 (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

35203

(Zip Code)

1900 Fifth Avenue North

Birmingham, Alabama (Address of principal executive offices) Edgar Filing: REGIONS FINANCIAL CORP - Form 8-A12B

Securities to be registered pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Act:

Title of each class

Name of each exchange on which

to be so registered Depositary Shares, Each Representing a 1/40th Interest in a each class is to be registered New York Stock Exchange, Inc.

Share of 6.375% Fixed-to-Floating Rate Non-Cumulative

Perpetual Preferred Stock, Series B

If this form relates to the registration of a class of securities pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Exchange Act and is effective pursuant to General Instruction A.(c), please check the following box. x

If this form relates to the registration of a class of securities pursuant to Section 12(g) of the Exchange Act and is effective pursuant to General Instruction A.(d), please check the following box.

Securities Act registration statement file number to which this form relates: 333-186811

Securities to be registered pursuant to Section 12(g) of the Act: None

INFORMATION REQUIRED IN REGISTRATION STATEMENT

Item 1. Description of Registrant s Securities to be Registered.

The securities to be registered hereby are depositary shares (the Depositary Shares) of Regions Financial Corporation (the Company), each Depositary Share representing a 1/40th interest in a share of the Company s 6.375% Fixed-to-Floating Rate Non-Cumulative Perpetual Preferred Stock, Series B, par value \$1 per share and liquidation preference \$1,000 per share (the Preferred Stock). The descriptions of the Depositary Shares and the Preferred Stock are set forth under the sections Description of Capital Stock , Description of the Series B Preferred Stock and Description of Depositary Shares in the prospectus supplement dated April 24, 2014, as filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the Commission) on April 25, 2014 pursuant to Rule 424(b) under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, to the prospectus included in the Company s automatic shelf registration statement on Form S-3 (No. 333-186811), as filed with the Commission on February 22, 2013.

Item 2. Exhibits.

The following exhibits are filed as a part of this Registration Statement:

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3.1	Amended and Restated Certificate of Incorporation (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 3.1 to the Company s Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q, filed on August 6, 2012)
3.2	Certificate of Designations of 6.375% Non-Cumulative Perpetual Preferred Stock, Series A (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 3.3 to the Company s Form 8-A, filed on November 1, 2012)
3.3	Certificate of Designations of 6.375% Fixed-to-Floating Rate Non-Cumulative Perpetual Preferred Stock, Series B
3.4	Restated Bylaws (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 3.2 of the Company s Current Report on Form 8-K, filed on May 14, 2010)
4.1	Form of Deposit Agreement, between the Company, Computershare Trust Company, N.A., as Depositary, Computershare Inc. and the Holders from time to time of the Depositary Receipts described therein
4.2	Form of Depositary Receipt (included as Exhibit A to Exhibit 4.1 hereto)
4.3	Form of Stock Certificate representing the Preferred Stock

SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of Section 12 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this registration statement to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereto duly authorized.

Date: April 28, 2014

Regions Financial Corporation

By: /s/ Hardie B. Kimbrough, Jr.

Name: Hardie B. Kimbrough, Jr. Title: Executive Vice President and

Controller

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