

MANULIFE FINANCIAL CORP

Form 6-K

September 17, 2010

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**UNITED STATES
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549**

Form 6-K

**REPORT OF FOREIGN PRIVATE ISSUER
PURSUANT TO RULE 13a-16 OR 15d-16 OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE
ACT OF 1934**

**For the month of September 2010
Commission File Number 1-14942
MANULIFE FINANCIAL CORPORATION**

(Translation of registrant's name into English)
**200 Bloor Street East,
North Tower 10
Toronto, Ontario, Canada M4W 1E5
(416) 926-3000**

(Address of principal executive office)

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant files or will file annual reports under cover of Form 20-F or Form 40-F.

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Yes No

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DOCUMENTS FILED AS PART OF THIS FORM 6-K

The following documents, filed as exhibits to this Form 6-K, are incorporated by reference as part of this Form 6-K:

| Exhibit | Description of Exhibit |
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| 99.1 | Senior Indenture, dated as of September 17, 2010, between Manulife Financial Corporation and The Bank of New York Mellon |
| 99.2 | First Supplemental Indenture, dated as of September 17, 2010, between Manulife Financial Corporation and The Bank of New York Mellon |
| 99.3 | News release Manulife Financial Completes U.S. Public Offering of Senior Notes |

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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, thereunto duly authorized.

MANULIFE FINANCIAL CORPORATION

By: /s/ David Kerr

Name: David Kerr

Title: AVP, Senior Counsel and Assistant
Corporate Secretary

Date: September 17, 2010

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