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#### 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) May 9, 2006 Origen Financial, Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

DELAWARE 000-50721 20-0145649

State of Incorporation (Commission File Number) (I.R.S. Employer

Identification No.)

27777 Franklin Road, Suite 1700, Southfield, Michigan

48034

(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

(Zip Code)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code: (248) 746-7000

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

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions (see General Instruction A.2. below):

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#### ITEM 2.02 RESULTS OF OPERATIONS AND FINANCIAL CONDITION

On May 9, 2006, Origen Financial, Inc. issued a press release reporting earnings and other financial results as of and for the three months ended May 9, 2006. A copy of the press release is attached as Exhibit 99.1.

#### **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.

Dated: May 9, 2006 Origen Financial, Inc.

By: /s/ W. Anderson Geater, Jr. W. Anderson Geater, Jr., Chief Financial Officer

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