

Colony Financial, Inc.  
Form SC 13G/A  
February 06, 2012

**UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

**Washington, D.C. 20549**

**SCHEDULE 13G**

Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934  
(Amendment No. 2)\*

**Colony Financial, Inc.**

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(Name of Issuer)

**Common Stock**

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(Title of Class of Securities)

**19624R106**

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(CUSIP Number)

**December 31, 2011**

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(Date of Event which Requires Filing of this Statement)

Check the appropriate box to designate the rule pursuant to which this Schedule is filed:

- ☒ Rule 13d-1(b)  
☐ Rule 13d-1(c)  
☐ Rule 13d-1(d)

\* The remainder of this cover page shall be filled out for a reporting person's initial filing on this form with respect to the subject class of securities, and for any subsequent amendment containing information which would alter the disclosures provided in a prior cover page.

The information required in the remainder of this cover page shall not be deemed to be "filed" for the purpose of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 ("Act") or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section of the Act but shall be subject to all other provisions of the Act (however, see Instructions).

CUSIP No.: 19624R106

1                      NAME OF REPORTING PERSON  
Robeco Investment Management, Inc.

I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NO. OF

ABOVE PERSON (ENTITIES ONLY)  
98-0202744

CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF  
A MEMBER OF A GROUP

2

(a) ☐

(b) ☐

3

SEC USE ONLY

4

CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF  
ORGANIZATION  
Delaware

NUMBER OF  
SHARES  
BENEFICIALLY  
OWNED BY EACH  
REPORTING  
PERSON WITH

5 SOLE VOTING POWER  
938,557

6 SHARED VOTING POWER  
18,940

7 SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER  
2,110,292

8 SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER  
0

9

AGGREGATE AMOUNT  
BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH  
REPORTING PERSON  
2,110,292

10

CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE  
AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES  
CERTAIN SHARES ☐

11

PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED  
BY AMOUNT IN ROW (9)  
6.5%

12

TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON  
IA

CUSIP No.: 19624R106

ITEM 1(a). NAME OF  
ISSUER:

Colony  
Financial, Inc.

ITEM 1(b). ADDRESS OF  
ISSUER'S  
PRINCIPAL

EXECUTIVE  
OFFICES:

2450 Broadway,  
6th Floor, Santa  
Monica, CA  
90404

ITEM 2(a). NAME OF  
PERSON  
FILING:

Robeco  
Investment  
Management,  
Inc.

ITEM 2(b). ADDRESS OF  
PRINCIPAL  
BUSINESS  
OFFICE OR, IF  
NONE,  
RESIDENCE:

909 Third Ave.  
New York, NY  
10022

ITEM 2(c). CITIZENSHIP:

Delaware

ITEM 2(d). TITLE OF  
CLASS OF  
SECURITIES:

Common Stock

ITEM 2(e). CUSIP  
NUMBER:

19624R106

ITEM 3. IF THIS STATEMENT IS FILED PURSUANT TO SECTION 240.13d-1(b), or 13d-2(b) or (c) CHECK  
WHETHER THE PERSON FILING IS A:

- (a) ☐ Broker or dealer registered under Section 15 of the Act (15 U.S.C. 78c);
- (b) ☐ Bank as defined in Section 3(a)(6) of the Act (15 U.S.C. 78c);
- (c) ☐ Insurance company as defined in Section 3(a)(19) of the Act (15 U.S.C. 78c);
- (d) ☐ Investment company registered under Section 8 of the Investment Company Act of 1940 (15 U.S.C. 80a-8);
- (e) ☒ An investment adviser in accordance with 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(E);
- (f) ☐ An employee benefit plan or endowment fund in accordance with 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(F);
- (g) ☐ A parent holding company or control person in accordance with 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(G);
- (h) ☐ A savings associations as defined in Section 3(b) of the Federal Deposit Insurance Act (12 U.S.C. 1813);

- (i) ☐ A church plan that is excluded from the definition of an investment company under Section 3(c)(14) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 (15 U.S.C. 80a-3);
- (j) ☐ A non-U.S. institution in accordance with 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(J);
- (k) ☐ Group, in accordance with 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(K). If filing as a non-U.S. institution in accordance with 240.13d1(b)(1)(ii)(J), please specify the type of institution:

ITEM  
4.

OWNERSHIP:

Provide the following information regarding the aggregate number and percentage of the class of securities of the issuer identified in Item 1.

- (a) Amount beneficially owned:

2,110,292

- (b) Percent of class:

6.50%

- (c) Number of shares as to which the person has:

- (i) Sole power to vote or to direct the vote:

938,557

- (ii) Shared power to vote or to direct the vote:

18,940

- (iii) Sole power to dispose or to direct the disposition of:

2,110,292

- (iv) Shared power to dispose or to direct the disposition of:

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OWNERSHIP OF

ITEM 5. FIVE PERCENT OR  
LESS OF A CLASS:

If this statement is being filed to report the fact that as of the date hereof the reporting person has ceased to be the beneficial owner of more than five percent of the class of securities, check the following ☐.

OWNERSHIP OF  
MORE THAN FIVE  
PERCENT ON  
ITEM 6. BEHALF OF  
ANOTHER  
PERSON:

This Schedule is  
being filed with  
respect to 2,110,292  
shares Colony  
Financial, Inc. (the  
Common Stock) held  
by Robeco  
Investment  
Management, Inc.  
(RIM) on 12/31/2011  
for the discretionary  
account of certain  
clients. By reason of  
rule 13d-3 under the  
act RIM may be  
deemed to be a  
beneficial owner of  
such Common Stock.  
To the knowledge of  
RIM no person has  
the right to receive or  
the power to direct  
the receipt of  
dividends from or the  
proceeds from the  
sale of such Common  
Stock which  
represents more than  
5% of the outstanding  
shares of the  
Common Stock  
referred to in item  
4(b) hereof

IDENTIFICATION  
AND  
CLASSIFICATION  
OF THE  
SUBSIDIARY  
ITEM 7. WHICH ACQUIRED  
THE SECURITY  
BEING REPORTED  
ON BY THE  
PARENT HOLDING  
COMPANY:

Not applicable.

ITEM 8. IDENTIFICATION  
AND  
CLASSIFICATION  
OF MEMBERS OF

THE GROUP:

Not applicable.

ITEM 9. NOTICE OF  
DISSOLUTION OF  
GROUP:

Not applicable.

ITEM 10. CERTIFICATION:

By signing below I  
certify that, to the  
best of my knowledge  
and belief, the  
securities referred to  
above were acquired  
and are held in the  
ordinary course of  
business and were not  
acquired and are not  
held for the purpose  
of or with the effect  
of changing or  
influencing the  
control of the issuer  
of the securities and  
were not acquired and  
are not held in  
connection with or as  
a participant in any  
transaction having  
that purpose or effect.

**SIGNATURE**

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, I certify that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

February 03, 2012

Date

Robeco Investment Management, Inc.

/s/ Liana Safanov

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Signature

Liana Safanov, Compliance Officer

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Name/Title

Attention: Intentional misstatements or omissions of fact constitute Federal criminal violations (see 18 U.S.C. 1001).

SIGNATURE