

SUN LIFE FINANCIAL INC  
Form 6-K  
October 31, 2008

**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 October 2008**

Commission File Number: **001-15014**

**SUN LIFE FINANCIAL INC.**  
(the Company )

*(Translation of registrant's name into English)*  
**150 King Street West, Toronto, Ontario, M5H 1J9**

*(Address of principal executive offices)*

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

Form 20-F  Form 40-F

[Indicate by check mark whether the registrant by furnishing the information contained in this Form is also thereby furnishing the information to the Commission pursuant to Rule 12g3-2(b) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.]

Yes  No

If Yes is marked, indicate below the file number assigned to the registrant in connection with Rule 12g3-2(b):  
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Exhibit

- 99.1 Dividend Press Release dated October 30, 2008
  - 99.2 Shareholders Report for the period ended September 30, 2008
  - 99.3 Certificates of the Company's Chief Executive Officer and Chief Financial Officer pursuant to Canadian Multilateral Instrument 52-109 *Certification of Issuers Annual and Interim Filings*
  - 99.4 Earnings Coverage Ratio pursuant to Canadian National Instrument 44-102 *Shelf Offerings*
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**SIGNATURE**

Pursuant to the requirement 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.

*Sun Life Financial Inc.*

(Registrant)

Date: October 31, 2008

By */s/ Thomas A. Bogart*  
Thomas A. Bogart,  
Executive Vice-President and General  
Counsel