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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

May 16, 2006 -----Date of Report

Date of Report
(Date of earliest event reported)

Kearny Financial Corp.
-----(Exact name of Registrant as specified in its Charter)

United States			0-51093			22-3803741		
(St	ate or other juris of incorporation)		(SEC Co		(IRS	Employe ificati		
120 Passaic Avenue, Fairfield, New Jersey					07	07004		
(Address of principal executive offices)					(Zip	(Zip Code)		
Regi	strant's telephone	number, includir	ng area code	e: (973) 24	14-4500			
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INFORMATION TO BE INCLUDED IN REPORT

Item 4.02 Non-Reliance on Previously Issued Financial Statements or a Related
 Audit Report or Completed Interim Review.

(a) On May 16, 2006, Kearny Financial Corp. (the "Company") filed an amendment to its Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended June 30, 2005 in order to revise its presentation of net income per common share. There have been no changes to previously reported total net income for any period. Only share and per share amounts are being restated.

The effective date of the Company's initial public offering (the "IPO") was February 23, 2005, and a total of 72,737,500 shares were issued. The 10,000 shares issued to the mutual holding company, Kearny MHC (the "MHC"), in connection with the mutual holding company reorganization completed in 2001 were "replaced" with 50,916,250 shares, representing 70% of the total shares issued in the IPO. The remaining 30% of the shares issued, totaling 21,821,250 shares, were sold in the IPO to the public.

In the Company's Form 10-K for the year ended June 30, 2005 previously filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC"), the presentation of basic and diluted net income per share assumed the effective date of the transaction was July 1, 2004. Additionally, basic and diluted net income per share for fiscal 2004, 2003, 2002 and 2001 were not retroactively adjusted to reflect that 70% of the shares issued in the IPO were a replacement for the 10,000 shares held by the MHC before the IPO.

At the request of the staff of the SEC, the Company is restating its share and per share computations for the five years ended June 30, 2005. The share and per share data for the year ended June 30, 2005 has been restated based on a weighted average number of shares outstanding beginning on February 23, 2005, the date the Company's initial public offering was completed. Additionally, the share and

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per share data for the four fiscal years ended June 30, 2004 has been restated to reflect the replacement of the MHC's shares in connection with the IPO.

The Audit Committee for the Company discussed with the Company's independent accountant the matters disclosed in this filing.

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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, hereunto duly authorized.

KEARNY FINANCIAL CORP.

Date: May 16, 2006 By: /s/Albert E. Gossweiler

Albert E. Gossweiler Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer