General Finance CORP Form 8-K January 31, 2012

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): January 31, 2012

General Finance Corporation

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter) Delaware

(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)

001-32845 32-0163571 (Commission File Number)

(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

39 East Union Street Pasadena, California (Address of Principal Executive Offices)

91103 (Zip Code)

(626) 584-9722

(Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code)

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EXPLANATORY NOTES

Certain References

References in this Report to "we," "us," "our" or the "Company" refer to General Finance Corporation, a Delaware corporation ("GFN"), and its direct and indirect subsidiaries, including GFN North America Corp., a Delaware corporation, and its subsidiary Pac-Van, Inc., an Indiana corporation (which are referred to collectively herein as "Pac-Van"), GFN U.S. Australasia Holdings, Inc., a Delaware corporation ("GFN U.S."), its subsidiary Royal Wolf Holdings Limited (formerly GFN Australasia Holdings Pty Limited), an Australian corporation ("Royal Wolf Holdings"), its subsidiary GFN Australasia Finance Pty Limited, an Australian corporation ("GFN Finance"), and its subsidiary RWA Holdings Pty Limited, an Australian corporation ("RWA"), and its subsidiaries. Royal Wolf Holdings and its subsidiaries are collectively referred to herein as "Royal Wolf."

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Item 8.01 Other Events

On January 31, 2012 GFN issued a press release that it intends to release on February 10, 2012 its financial results for the quarter ending December 31, 2011. The press release also announced that a conference call is scheduled for Friday, February 10, 2012 at 10:00 a.m. EST to discuss these results. The conference call number for U.S. participants is (866) 901-5096, the conference call number for participants outside the U.S. is (706) 643-3717 and the conference ID number for both conference call numbers is 45033721. A replay of the conference call may be accessed through February 17, 2012 by U.S. callers by calling (800) 585-8367 or by callers outside the U.S. by calling (404) 537-3406; both U.S. callers and callers outside of the U.S. will utilize conference ID number 45033721 to access the replay of the conference call.

A copy of the press release of GFN dated January 31, 2012 is attached as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated by reference herein.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

Exhibit:

99.1 Press Release of GFN dated January 31, 2012

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SIGNATURE

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.

GENERAL FINANCE CORPORATION

Dated: January 31, 2012 By: /s/ CHRISTOPHER A. WILSON

Christopher A. Wilson

Vice President, General Counsel &

Secretary

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