

TIERONE CORP  
Form 8-K  
November 03, 2006

UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, D.C. 20549

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FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of  
the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

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Date of Report  
(Date of earliest  
event reported): November 2, 2006

TierOne Corporation

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Wisconsin  
(State or other  
jurisdiction of  
incorporation)

000-50015  
(Commission File  
Number)

04-3638672  
(IRS Employer  
Identification No.)

1235 N Street, Lincoln, Nebraska 68508  
(Address of principal executive offices, including zip code)

(402) 475-0521  
(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

Not Applicable  
(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

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- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

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Item 8.01. Other Events.

On November 2, 2006, TierOne Corporation issued a press release announcing that the United States Court of Federal Claims issued an opinion on October 31, 2006 awarding \$4.5 million in damages to TierOne Bank in connection with a lawsuit the Bank filed in 1995 claiming the federal government breached its contract with the Bank upon the enactment of the Financial Institutions Reform, Recovery and Enforcement Act of 1989. A copy of the press release is attached to this Current Report on Form 8-K as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated by reference in this Current Report on Form 8-K.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(a) Financial Statements of Business Acquired.

Not applicable.

(b) Pro Forma Financial Information.

Not applicable.

(c) Shell Company Transactions.

Not applicable.

(d) Exhibits. The following exhibit is being furnished herewith:

99.1 Press Release of TierOne Corporation, dated November 2, 2006.

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**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.

**TIERONE CORPORATION**

Date: November 2, 2006

By: /s/ Gilbert G. Lundstrom  
Gilbert G. Lundstrom  
Chairman of the Board and Chief Executive Officer

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**Exhibit Index to Current Report on Form 8-K**

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