# 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

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): February 24, 2011

# **OCWEN FINANCIAL CORPORATION**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Florida 1-13219 65-0039856
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation) (Commission File Number) (IRS Employer Identification No.)

2002 Summit Boulevard 6<sup>th</sup> Floor Atlanta, Georgia 30319 (Address of principal executive offices)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (561) 682-8000

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

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- o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

#### Item 2.02. Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

The news release of the Registrant dated February 24, 2011, announcing its results for the fourth quarter and year 2010 is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1. The information in Exhibit 99.1 attached hereto shall not be deemed to be "filed" for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, nor shall it be deemed incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933, except as shall be expressly set forth by specific reference in such filing.

#### Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

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(d) Exhibits:

99.1 Text of a press release by the Registrant dated February 24, 2011.

#### SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, hereunto duly authorized.

OCWEN FINANCIAL CORPORATION (Registrant)

Date: February 24, 2011

By: /s/ John Van Vlack

John Van Vlack

Executive Vice President, Chief Financial Officer and Chief Accounting Officer (On behalf of the Registrant and as its principal financial officer)



# **Ocwen Financial Corporation®**

#### FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

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#### OCWEN REPORTS NET INCOME OF \$9.9 MILLION FOR Q4 2010 AND \$38 MILLION FOR FULL YEAR 2010

Atlanta, GA – (February 24, 2011) Ocwen Financial Corporation ("Ocwen" or the "Company") (NYSE:OCN) today reported net income for the twelve months ended December 31, 2010 of \$38.0 million or \$0.36 per share, compared with net income of \$0.3 million or \$0.00 per share in 2009. 2010 net income includes the reversal of a \$9.1 million valuation allowance for income tax expense.

For the fourth quarter of 2010 Ocwen reported net income of \$9.9 million compared to net income of \$9.4 million for the fourth quarter of 2009. Pre-tax income from continuing operations was \$15.2 million for the fourth quarter of 2010 versus \$20.2 million for the fourth quarter of 2009.

Fourth quarter 2010 pre-tax income from continuing operations was affected by:

- Non-recurring transaction related expenses for the HomEq servicing acquisition of \$17.5 million consisting primarily of \$14.6 million in
  Occupancy and Equipment expense from writing-off leasehold improvements and establishing a reserve for the discounted future rent and lease
  termination fees on the two HomEq facilities which were acquired and closed in 2010 and severance and WARN Act compensation of \$2.6 million.
- Interest expense of \$1.2 million representing incremental amortization of up-front fees and original issue discount on the Senior Secured Term Loan related to the partial prepayment of this loan in 2010.

#### FOURTH QUARTER BUSINESS PERFORMANCE HIGHLIGHTS

- Reduced servicing advances by \$237.0 million, or 10.1%.
- Completed 19,999 loan modifications of which 20% were HAMP modifications which exceeded the upper end of guidance of 16,000 to 19,000.
- Made a \$135.0 million voluntary prepayment on the Senior Secured Term Loan which along with the mandatory repayments reduced the outstanding balance to \$197.5 million as of December 31, 2010. (Additional voluntary prepayments of \$162.5 million were made subsequent to year-end.)

"Ocwen remains very pleased with our acquisition of HomEq as revenues are ramping up as expected and both delinquency rates and advances are dropping" said Ron Faris, President and CEO. In addition, we completed the transition in 2010 at a cost of \$52.6 million, which was below our previous estimate of \$56.0 million, and we do not expect any material expenses for the HomEq legacy platform beyond 2010. We were able to complete 19,999 loan modifications in the fourth quarter of 2010, tying a previous quarterly record, which along with a reduction in the number of newly delinquent loans helped contribute to the \$237 million decline in servicing advances. We take great pride in our ongoing leadership in completing sustainable loan modifications that help more families keep their homes." Faris added.

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Chairman Bill Erbey stated "Our strong cash flow generation enabled us subsequent to year-end 2010 to repay all but \$35 million of the \$350 million Senior Secured Term Loan. Ocwen has sufficient liquidity to repay this loan in full and once completed will save the \$9.3 million in interest and amortization incurred on this loan in the fourth quarter of 2010. However, it was important to leave a small amount of the Senior Secured Term Loan outstanding to maintain the accordion feature which provides financing flexibility should we acquire a significant portfolio. We substantially reduced non-core assets to less than \$50 million excluding the non-recourse assets for the four securitization trusts that we now include on our balance sheet."

#### Servicing

In comparison to the fourth quarter of 2009, revenue was 57% higher, and the total of unpaid principal balance serviced increased from \$50.0 billion at December 31, 2009 to \$73.9 billion at December 31, 2010.

Operating expense increased by \$28.6 million due to \$17.5 million in non-recurring transaction expenses related to the HomEq acquisition and to growth in our Servicing business. After adjusting for the non-recurring expenses, operating expenses increased by 36.4% over the fourth quarter of 2009.

Pre-tax income for Servicing was \$18.8 million in the fourth quarter of 2010. After adjusting for the one-time items affecting the Servicing segment in the fourth quarter of 2010, pre-tax income was \$37.5 million or 28.0% higher than in the fourth quarter of 2009. Excluding the interest expense on the Senior Secured Term loan that was almost fully repaid subsequent to the end of 2010, adjusted pre-tax income in Servicing would have been \$45.6 million or 56% higher due to growth in our servicing portfolio and unit cost reductions.

#### Loans and Residuals

Loans and Residuals incurred a loss from continuing operations before taxes of \$3.0 million as compared to a loss of \$2.1 million in the fourth quarter of 2009. The fourth quarter 2010 loss includes a \$2.1 million reduction in the valuation of performing loans as a result of changes in market conditions. The balance of assets in this segment was \$103.9 million at December 31, 2010. Excluding \$67.3 million in non-recourse assets associated with the four securitization trusts that we first included in our financial statement in 2010, our assets were \$36.6 million.

#### **Asset Management Vehicles**

The loss from continuing operations before taxes for Asset Management Vehicles was \$0.6 million as compared to a loss of \$1.8 million in the fourth quarter of 2009. The carrying value of our investment in Asset Management Vehicles was \$12.1 million at December 31, 2010.

#### Corporate

In the fourth quarter of 2010 losses from continuing operations before taxes were \$0.05 million compared to a pre-tax loss of \$5.3 million in the fourth quarter of 2009. The following items affected results in the quarter:

- Gain of \$6.0 million representing Ocwen's share of proceeds from the sale of three low income housing partnerships with no book value.
- Realized loss of \$4.0 million on the sale of all remaining Auction Rate Securities.

Ocwen Financial Corporation is a leading provider of residential and commercial loan servicing, special servicing and asset management services. Ocwen is headquartered in Atlanta, Georgia with offices in West Palm Beach and Orlando, Florida, and Washington DC and support operations in India and Uruguay. Utilizing advanced technology and world-class training and processes, we provide solutions that make our clients' loans worth more. Additional information is available at <a href="https://www.ocwen.com">www.ocwen.com</a>.

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This news release contains forward-looking statements within the meaning of Section 27A of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, and Section 21E of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, including, but not limited to, successful completion of the HomEq transaction, future liquidity and cost-effective resources in India. Forward-looking statements are not guarantees of future performance, and involve a number of assumptions, risks and uncertainties that could cause actual results to differ materially.

Important factors that could cause actual results to differ materially from those suggested by the forward-looking statements include, but are not limited to, the following: general economic and market conditions, prevailing interest or currency exchange rates, governmental regulations and policies, international political and economic uncertainty, availability of adequate and timely sources of liquidity, federal income tax rates, real estate market conditions and trends and the outcome of ongoing litigation as well as other risks detailed in Ocwen's reports and filings with the Securities and Exchange Commission, including Form 10-Q for the quarters ended March 31, 2010, June 30, 2010 and September 30, 2010 and its annual report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2010 to be filed on or before M arch 1, 2011. The forward-looking statements speak only as of the date they are made and should not be relied upon. Ocwen undertakes no obligation to update or revise the forward-looking statements.

#### Residential Servicing Statistics (Dollars in thousands)

	At or for the three months ended										
	December 31, 2010			September 30, 2010		June 30, 2010		March 31, 2010		December 31, 2009	
Total unpaid principal balance of loans and REO serviced	\$	73,886,391	\$	76,140,022	\$	55,244,576	\$	49,677,999	\$	49,980,077	
Non-performing loans and REO serviced as a % of total											
UPB (1)		27.3%		27.2%		26.2%		25.3%		25.6%	
Prepayment speed (average CPR)		13%		13%		13%		12%		15%	

<sup>(1)</sup> The increase in non-performing loans and REO serviced as a % of total UPB is due entirely to the acquisition of portfolios with higher delinquency rates. Non-performing loans exclude those serviced under special servicing agreements where we have no obligation to advance.

## Segment Results (Dollars in thousands) (UNAUDITED)

	Three months		Twelve	Twelve months		
For the periods ended December 31,	2010	2009	2010	2009		
Ocwen Asset Management						
Servicing						
Revenue	\$ 113,216	\$ 72,327	\$ 359,798	\$ 272,725		
Operating expenses	59,069	30,472	200,108	129,252		
Income from operations	54,147	41,855	159,690	143,473		
Other expense, net	(35,313)	(12,555)	(81,495)	(55,792)		
Income from continuing operations before taxes	18,834	29,300	78,195	87,681		
Loans and Residuals	-,	- ,	,	,		
Revenue	_	_	_	_		
Operating expenses	862	631	4,240	2,831		
Loss from operations	(862)	(631)	(4,240)	(2,831)		
Other income (expense), net	(2,124)	(1,427)	1,394	(6,290)		
Loss from continuing operations before taxes	(2,986)	(2,058)	(2,846)	(9,121)		
	(2,780)	(2,036)	(2,040)	(9,121)		
Asset Management Vehicles Revenue	166	422	696	1,851		
Operating expenses	596	578	2,099	3,108		
Loss from operations	(430)	(156)	(1,403)	(1,257)		
Other income (expense), net	(212)	(1,594)	606	(4,060)		
Loss from continuing operations before taxes	(642)	(1,750)	(797)	(5,317)		
Income from continuing operations before taxes	15,206	25,492	74,552	73,243		
Ocwen Solutions						
Mortgage Services						
Revenue	_	_	_	54,052		
Operating expenses	_	_	_	37,040		
Income from operations				17,012		
Other income, net	_	_	_	803		
Income from continuing operations before taxes				17,815		
Financial Services				17,013		
Revenue				40,293		
Operating expenses				45,002		
Loss from operations	_	_	_	(4,709)		
Other expense, net				(1,260)		
Loss from continuing operations before taxes				(5,969)		
Technology Products				20.221		
Revenue	_	_	_	28,331		
Operating expenses				18,638		
Income from operations		_	_	9,693		
Other expense, net				(103)		
Income from continuing operations before taxes				9,590		
Income from continuing operations before taxes		_	_	21,436		
Corporate Items and Other						
Revenue	275	385	1,416	1,066		
Operating expenses	2,883	4,942	30,791	16,308		
Loss from operations	(2,608)	(4,557)	(29,375)	(15,242)		
Other income (expense), net	2,561	(741)	(6,023)	13,824		
Loss from continuing operations before taxes	(47)	(5,298)	(35,398)	(1,418)		
operations outlier units	(.7)	(3,270)	(55,570)	(1,110)		
Corporate Eliminations	(20.1)	(20.0	(1.500)	(15.500)		
Revenue	(384)	(386)	(1,529)	(17,590)		
Operating expenses	(145)	(117)	(764)	(16,525)		
Loss from operations	(239)	(269)	(765)	(1,065)		
Other income, net	239	269	765	1,065		
Income (loss) from continuing operations before taxes						
Consolidated income from continuing operations before						
taxes	\$ 15,159	\$ 20,194	\$ 39,154	\$ 93,261		

# OCWEN FINANCIAL CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS

## (Dollars in thousands, except share data) (UNAUDITED)

		Three months		Twelve months				
For the periods ended December 31,		2010		2009		2010		2009
Revenue								
Servicing and subservicing fees	\$	102,859	\$	62,635	\$	321,699	\$	264,467
Process management fees	Ψ.	9,572	Ψ.	9,710	Ψ	33,704	Ψ	108,082
Other revenues		842		403		4,978		8,179
Total revenue		113,273		72,748		360,381		380,728
Operating expenses								
Compensation and benefits		17,892		12,862		87,644		87,620
Amortization of mortgage servicing rights		9,352		6,485		31,455		32,228
Servicing and origination		2,095		2,376		6,851		38,653
Technology and communications		7,062		5,712		25,644		20,066
Professional services		5,316		4,428		42,837		26,200
Occupancy and equipment		19,407		3,929		32,924		18,985
Other operating expenses		2,141		714		9,119		11,902
Total operating expenses		63,265		36,506		236,474		235,654
Income from operations		50.008		36,242		123,907		145,074
Income from operations		30,008		30,242		123,907		143,074
Other income (expense)								
Interest income		2,352		2,375		10,859		8,786
Interest expense		(35,906)		(12,846)		(85,923)		(62,954)
Gain (loss) on trading securities		(4,010)		(2,159)		(7,968)		11,187
Loss on loans held for resale, net		(3,239)		(2,349)		(5,865)		(11,132)
Equity in earnings (losses) of unconsolidated entities		27		(1,325)		1,371		(2,933)
Other, net		5,927		256		2,773		5,233
Other expense, net		(34,849)		(16,048)		(84,753)		(51,813)
Income from continuing operations before taxes		15,159		20,194		39,154		93,261
Income tax expense		5,235		13,307		5,545		96,110
Income (loss) from continuing operations	_	9,924		6,887	_	33,609	_	(2,849)
Income from discontinued operations, net of taxes		),)2 <del>4</del>		2,488		4,383		3,121
Net income		9,924		9,375	_	37,992	_	272
Net loss (income) attributable to non-controlling interests				9,373				
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(OCN)	\$	9,921	\$	9,389	\$	37,984	\$	297
Basic earnings per share	Φ.	0.10	Φ	0.07	Ф	0.24	Φ.	(0.04)
Income (loss) from continuing operations	\$	0.10	\$	0.07	\$	0.34	\$	(0.04)
Income from discontinued operations	•		•	0.02	_	0.04	_	0.04
Net income attributable to OCN	\$	0.10	\$	0.09	\$	0.38	\$	
Diluted earnings per share								
Income (loss) from continuing operations	\$	0.09	\$	0.07	\$	0.32	\$	(0.04)
Inome from discontinued operations		_		0.02		0.04		0.04
Net income attributable to OCN	\$	0.09	\$	0.09	\$	0.36	\$	
Weighted average common shares outstanding								
Basic		100,610,141		99,871,247		100,273,121		78,252,000
Diluted		107,441,874		107,150,497		107,483,015		78,252,000
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# OCWEN FINANCIAL CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS (Dollars in thousands, except share data) (UNAUDITED)

	De	December 31, 2010		ecember 31, 2009
Assets				
Cash	\$	127,796	\$	90,919
Restricted cash – for securitization investors		727		,
Trading securities, at fair value:				
Auction rate		_		247,464
Subordinates and residuals		_		3,692
Loans held for resale, at lower of cost or fair value		25,803		33,197
Advances		184,833		145,914
Match funded advances		1,924,052		822,615
Loans, net – restricted for securitization investors		67,340		_
Mortgage servicing rights, net		193,985		117,802
Receivables, net		69,518		67,095
Deferred tax assets, net		138,716		132,683
Goodwill		12,810		_
Premises and equipment, net		5,475		3,325
Investments in unconsolidated entities		12,072		15,008
Other assets		158,282		89,636
Total assets	\$	2,921,409	\$	1,769,350
Liabilities and Equity				
Liabilities				
Match funded liabilities	\$	1,482,529	\$	465,691
Secured borrowings – owed to securitization investors		62,705		_
Lines of credit and other secured borrowings		246,073		55,810
Investment line		_		156,968
Servicer liabilities		2,492		38,672
Debt securities		82,554		95,564
Other liabilities		140,239		90,782
Total liabilities		2,016,592		903,487
Equity				
Ocwen Financial Corporation stockholders' equity				
Common stock, \$.01 par value; 200,000,000 shares authorized; 100,726,947 and 99,956,833				
shares issued and outstanding at December 31, 2010 and December 31, 2009, respectively		1,007		1,000
Additional paid-in capital		467,500		459,542
Retained earnings		445,456		405,198
Accumulated other comprehensive loss, net of income taxes		(9,392)		(129)
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Total Ocwen Financial Corporation stockholders' equity		904,571		865,611
Non-controlling interest in subsidiaries		246		252
Total equity		904,817		865,863
Total liabilities and equity	\$	2,921,409	\$	1,769,350