

MANULIFE FINANCIAL CORP

Form 6-K/A

March 03, 2005

**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, D.C. 20549**

**FORM 6-K/A**

**Amended Report of Foreign Issuer  
Pursuant to Rule 13a-16 or 15d-16 of  
the Securities Exchange Act of 1934**

For the month of March 2005

**MANULIFE FINANCIAL CORPORATION**

**200 Bloor Street East,  
North Tower 10  
Toronto, Ontario, Canada M4W 1E5  
(416) 926-3000**

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

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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

**Explanatory Note**

The enclosed amended pro forma combined statements of operations for Manulife Financial Corporation and John Hancock Financial Services, Inc. for the year ended December 31, 2003 and the nine months ended September 30, 2004 were filed with securities regulatory authorities in Canada in February 2005. The enclosed are being furnished to the Securities and Exchange Commission so that Manulife's disclosure record in the United States is consistent with its disclosure record in Canada.

**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, thereunto duly authorized.

MANULIFE FINANCIAL CORPORATION

Date: March 3, 2005

By: /s/ *Richard Lococo*

Name: Richard Lococo

Title: Senior Vice President and  
Deputy General Counsel

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**EXHIBIT INDEX**

<b>Exhibit</b>	<b>Description of Exhibit</b>
99.1	MFC-JHFS US GAAP unaudited pro forma combined statements of operations for the year ended December 31, 2003 and the nine months ended September 30, 2004, without auditor's compilation report.