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Form 6-K

REPORT OF FOREIGN PRIVATE ISSUER PURSUANT TO RULE 13a-16 OR 15d-16 UNDER THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the month of February 19, 2008

Commission File Number 001-15244

CREDIT SUISSE GROUP

(Translation of registrant s name into English)

Paradeplatz 8, P.O. Box 1, CH - 8070 Zurich, Switzerland

(Address of principal executive office)

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Introduction

This report is filed in relation to Credit Suisse Group s wholly-owned subsidiary, Credit Suisse. It contains information about Credit Suisse, which is attached as an exhibit to this Form 6-K and incorporated herein by reference. This Form 6-K is hereby incorporated by reference in Credit Suisse Group s Registration Statement on Form F-3 (file no. 333-132936).

Unless the context otherwise requires, references herein to Credit Suisse, the Group, we, us and our mean Credit Suisse Group and its consolidated subsidiaries and the term the Bank means Credit Suisse, the Swiss bank subsidiary of the Group, and its consolidated subsidiaries.

The Bank, a Swiss bank and joint stock corporation established under Swiss law, is a wholly-owned subsidiary of Credit Suisse Group. The Bank s registered head office is in Zurich, and it has additional executive offices and principal branches in London, New York, Hong Kong, Singapore and Tokyo.

Our independent registered public accounting firm has not completed its audit of our financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2007 and we have not finalized our annual report on Form 20-F for the period. Accordingly, such financial information is subject to completion of year-end audit procedures which may result in changes to that information, some of which could be material.

Forward-looking statements

This Form 6-K and the information incorporated by reference in this Form 6-K include statements that constitute forward-looking statements within the meaning of the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act. In addition, in the future Credit Suisse Group, the Bank and others on their behalf may make statements that constitute forward-looking statements.

When evaluating forward-looking statements, you should carefully consider the cautionary statement regarding forward-looking information, the risk factors and other information set forth in Credit Suisse Group s annual report on Form 20-F for the year ended December 31, 2006, and subsequent annual reports on Form 20-F filed by Credit Suisse Group or the Bank with the US Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC) and Credit Suisse Group s and the Bank s reports on Form 6-K furnished to or filed with the SEC, and other uncertainties and events.

Exhibits

No. Description

99.1 Free Writing Prospectus relating to \$2,000,000,000 5.750% Subordinated Notes due 2018.

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.

CREDIT SUISSE GROUP

(Registrant)

Date February 19, 2008

By /s/ Urs Rohner

General Counsel*

/s/ Charles Naylor

Head of Corporate Communications

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