

EMC INSURANCE GROUP INC
Form 8-K
May 29, 2007

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): May 25, 2007

EMC INSURANCE GROUP INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Iowa
(State or other jurisdiction of
incorporation)

0-10956
(Commission File Number)

42-6234555
(I.R.S. Employer
Identification No.)

717 Mulberry Street, Des Moines, Iowa
(Address of principal executive offices)

50309
(Zip Code)

(515) 345-2902
(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions:

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Item 7.01 Regulation FD Disclosure.

On May 25, 2007, EMC Insurance Group Inc. issued the following press release:

EMC INSURANCE GROUP INC. DECLARES

102nd CONSECUTIVE QUARTERLY DIVIDEND

DES MOINES, Iowa (May 25, 2007) On May 24, 2007 the Board of Directors of EMC Insurance Group Inc. (Nasdaq/NGS:EMCI) declared a quarterly dividend of seventeen (17) cents per share of common stock payable June 12, 2007 to shareholders of record as of June 5, 2007. This is the one hundred and second consecutive quarterly dividend paid since EMC Insurance Group Inc. became a publicly held company in February 1982.

EMC Insurance Group Inc., the publicly-held insurance holding company of EMC Insurance Companies, owns subsidiaries with operations in property and casualty insurance and reinsurance. EMC Insurance Companies is one of the largest property and casualty entities in Iowa and among the top 60 insurance entities nationwide based on premium volume. For more information, visit our website www.emcinsurance.com.

The Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995 provides issuers the opportunity to make cautionary statements regarding forward-looking statements. Accordingly, any forward-looking statement contained in this report is based on management's current beliefs, assumptions and expectations of the Company's future performance, taking into account all information currently available to management. These beliefs, assumptions and expectations can change as the result of many possible events or factors, not all of which are known to management. If a change occurs, the Company's business, financial condition, liquidity, results of operations, plans and objectives may vary materially from those expressed in the forward-looking statements. The risks and uncertainties that may affect the actual results of the Company include, but are not limited to the following: catastrophic events and the occurrence of significant severe weather conditions; the adequacy of loss and settlement expense reserves; state and federal legislation and regulations; changes in our industry, interest rates or the performance of financial markets and the general economy; rating agency actions and other risks and uncertainties inherent to the Company's business. Management intends to identify forward-looking statements when using the words believe, expect, anticipate, estimate, or similar expressions. Undue reliance should not be placed on these forward-looking statements.

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The information contained in this Current Report shall not be deemed to be filed for the purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (the Exchange Act) or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section, nor shall it be incorporated by reference into a filing under the Securities Act of 1933, or the Exchange Act, except as shall be expressly set forth by specific reference in such a filing.

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.

EMC INSURANCE GROUP INC.

Registrant

/s/ Bruce G. Kelley
Bruce G. Kelley
President & Chief Executive Officer

/s/ Mark E. Reese
Mark E. Reese
Senior Vice President and
Chief Financial Officer

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