Edgar Filing: EMC INSURANCE GROUP INC - Form 8-K

EMC INSURANCE GROUP INC Form 8-K October 09, 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): October 8, 2007

EMC INSURANCE GROUP INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Iowa0-1095642-6234555(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)(Commission File Number)(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:

- o Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
- o Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
- o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Edgar Filing: EMC INSURANCE GROUP INC - Form 8-K

Item 7.01 Regulation FD Disclosure.

On October 8, 2007, EMC Insurance Group Inc. issued the following press release:

EMC INSURANCE GROUP INC. ANNOUNCES

THIRD QUARTER 2007 EARNINGS CALL

DES MOINES, Iowa (October 8, 2007) EMC Insurance Group Inc. (Nasdaq/NGS:EMCI) (the Company) today announced that third quarter 2007 earnings information will be released to the media before the opening of regular market hours on November 6, 2007. The third quarter earnings release and financial supplement will be available on the Company s website (www.emcinsurance.com) at that time.

The Company will hold an earnings teleconference call at 11:00 a.m. eastern daylight time on November 6, 2007 to allow securities analysts, shareholders and other interested parties the opportunity to hear management discuss the Company s quarterly results as well as its expectations for the remainder of 2007. Dial-in information for the call is toll-free 1-877-407-0782 (International: 1-201-689-8567). The event will be archived and available for digital replay through November 20, 2007. The replay access information is toll-free 1-877-660-6853 (International: 1-201-612-7415). A webcast of the teleconference will be presented by Vcall and can be accessed at http://www.InvestorCalendar.com or from the Company s investor relations page atwww.emcinsurance.com. The archived webcast will be available for one year. A transcript of the teleconference will also be available on the Company s website soon after the completion of the teleconference.

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 groups in Iowa and among the top 60 insurance groups nationwide based on premium volume. For more information, visit our website.

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 scurrent 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.

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.

Edgar Filing: EMC INSURANCE GROUP INC - Form 8-K

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.

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

October 9, 2007