#### SELECTIVE INSURANCE GROUP INC

Form 8-K August 20, 2009

## 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)

August 20, 2009

# SELECTIVE INSURANCE GROUP, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

New Jersey 001-33067 22-2168890 (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation) (Commission File Number) (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

40 Wantage Avenue, Branchville, New Jersey 07890 (Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code (973) 948-3000

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

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:

the registrant under any of the following provisions:	
[]	Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425) Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12) Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b)) Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

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#### Section 5 – Corporate Governance and Management

Item Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers;

5.02. Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.

#### (d) Election of Director

Effective August 18, 2009, the Board of Directors (the "Board") of Selective Insurance Group, Inc. (the "Company") elected Cynthia S. Nicholson to the Board of the Company to serve until the 2010 annual meeting of stockholders of the Company. The Board has not appointed Ms. Nicholson to any committees of the Board at this time.

A copy of the Company's press release announcing Ms. Nicholson's election to the Company's Board is attached as Exhibit 99.1 to this report and is incorporated herein by reference.

Section 9 – Financial Statements and Exhibits

Item 9.01.

Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits

99.1 Press Release of Selective Insurance Group, Inc. dated August 20, 2009

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#### **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.

SELECTIVE INSURANCE GROUP, INC.

Date: August 20, 2009 By: /s/ Michael H. Lanza

Michael H. Lanza

Executive Vice President and General Counsel

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Exhibit No. Description

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