SELECTIVE INSURANCE GROUP INC Form 8-K December 02, 2010

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)

December 2, 2010

SELECTIVE INSURANCE GROUP, INC. (Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

New Jersey 001-33067

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

(Commission File Number)

22-2168890 (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

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

07890 (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:

- "Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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- "Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Section 5 – Corporate Governance and Management

Item 5.02. Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.

(b) Departure of Certain Officer

Richard F. Connell, Senior Executive Vice President and Chief Administrative Officer of Selective Insurance Group, Inc. (the "Company"), has decided to retire from the Company effective April 1, 2011. A copy of the press release dated December 2, 2010 announcing Mr. Connell's retirement is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1.

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 December 2, 2010

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: December 2, 2010 By: /s/ Michael H. Lanza

Michael H. Lanza

Executive Vice President and General

Counsel

EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit Description

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