

**UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington, D.C. 20549

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**FORM 8-K**

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**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 22, 2008**

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**Donegal Group Inc.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**DE**  
(State or other jurisdiction  
of incorporation)

**0-15341**  
(Commission File Number)

**23-2424711**  
(IRS Employer Identification No.)

**1195 RIVER RD MARIETTA, PA**  
(Address of principal executive offices)

**17547**  
(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: **717-426-1931**

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(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 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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**Item 8.01. Other Events.**

On December 22, 2008 the Registrant issued a press release, a copy of which is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated herein by reference.

**Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

Exhibit 99.1. Press release dated December 22, 2008

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**SIGNATURE**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, the Registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

**Donegal Group Inc.**

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(Registrant)

**December 22, 2008**

**/s/ JEFFREY D. MILLER**

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(Date)

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Jeffrey D. Miller  
*Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer*

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## **Exhibit Index**

99.1 Press release dated December 22, 2008

## Donegal Group Inc. Declares Quarterly Dividend

MARIETTA, Pa., Dec. 22, 2008 (GLOBE NEWSWIRE) -- Donegal Group Inc. (Nasdaq:DGICA) (Nasdaq:DGICB) reported that its Board of Directors on December 18, 2008 declared a regular quarterly cash dividend payable February 16, 2009 of \$.105 per share of Class A common stock and \$.0925 per share of Class B common stock to stockholders of record as of the close of business on February 2, 2009.

Donegal Group Inc. is an insurance holding company whose insurance subsidiaries offer personal and commercial property and casualty lines of insurance in five Mid-Atlantic states (Delaware, Maryland, New Hampshire, New York and Pennsylvania), eight Southeastern states (Alabama, Georgia, Louisiana, North Carolina, South Carolina, Tennessee, Virginia and West Virginia) and six Midwestern states (Iowa, Nebraska, Ohio, Oklahoma, South Dakota and Wisconsin).

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