

MEADOWBROOK INSURANCE GROUP INC

Form S-4MEF

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As filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on
July 25, 2008

Registration No. 333-_____

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549
FORM S-4**

**REGISTRATION STATEMENT
Under the Securities Act of 1933**

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

6331

(Primary Standard Industrial Classification Code Number)

Michigan

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or
organization)

38-2626206

(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

26255 American Drive, Southfield, Michigan 48034-5178, (248) 358-1100

(Address, including zip code and telephone number, including area code,
of registrant's principal executive offices)

**Robert S. Cubbin, President and Chief Executive Officer
Meadowbrook Insurance Group, Inc.**

**26255 American Drive
Southfield, Michigan 48034-5178
(248) 358-1100**

(name, address, including zip code, and telephone number, including area code, of agent for service)

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Approximate date of commencement of proposed sale of securities to the public: As soon as practicable after this Registration Statement becomes effective and all other conditions to the proposed merger described herein have been satisfied or waived.

If the securities being registered on this form are being offered in connection with the formation of a holding company and there is compliance with General Instruction G, check the following box.

If this form is filed to register additional securities for an offering pursuant to Rule 462(b) under the Securities Act, check the following box and list the Securities Act registration statement number of the earlier effective registration statement for the same offering. **333-150186**

If this form is a post-effective amendment filed pursuant to Rule 462(d) under the Securities Act, check the following box and list the Securities Act registration statement number of the earlier effective registration statement for the same offering.

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a large accelerated filer, an accelerated filer, a non-accelerated filer or a smaller reporting company. See the definitions of large accelerated filer, accelerated filer and smaller reporting company in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act. (Check one):

Large accelerated filer o Accelerated filer p Non-accelerated filer o
 (Do not check if a smaller reporting company) Smaller reporting company o

CALCULATION OF REGISTRATION FEE

Title of Each Class of Securities to be Registered	Amount to be Registered(1)	Proposed Maximum Offering Price Per Share(2)	Proposed Maximum Aggregate Offering Price(2)	Amount of Registration Fee(3)
Common stock, \$0.01 par value	1,921,074 shares	\$ 18.15	\$ 140,364,791	\$ 5,516.34

(1) Represents the estimated maximum number of additional shares to be issued pursuant to the agreement and plan of merger dated as of February 20, 2008, as amended, between Meadowbrook Insurance Group, Inc., a Michigan corporation, and ProCentury Corporation, an Ohio corporation. Also includes an equal number of rights to purchase shares of Registrant's Series A Preferred Stock, which rights are not (a) separable from the shares of common stock; or (b) presently exercisable. Meadowbrook

has previously
registered
19,333,993
shares of its
common stock
pursuant to the
Registration
Statement on
Amendment
No. 1 to Form
S-4 filed on
May 27, 2008
(Registration
No. 333-150186)
and declared
effective by the
Commission on
May 28, 2008.

- (2) Estimated solely
for the purpose of
calculating the
registration fee
pursuant to Rule
457(f) of
Regulation C
under the
Securities Act of
1933, as
amended.
 - (3) The registration
fee was
previously paid to
the Commission.
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Consent of Bodman LLP

Consent of Baker & Hostetler LLP

Consent of Friedman, Billings, Ramsey & Co., Inc.

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EXPLANATORY NOTE

This Registration Statement is being filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission pursuant to General Instruction K of Form S-4 and Rule 462(b) of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, for the sole purpose of registering an additional 1,921,074 shares of the Registrant's common stock, \$0.01 par value per share, for issuance in connection with the merger of ProCentury Corporation with and into MBKPC Corp., a wholly-owned subsidiary of the Registrant. Registrant previously registered 19,333,993 shares of its common stock pursuant to a currently effective Registration Statement on Amendment No. 1 to Form S-4 (Registration No. 333-150186). The number of shares originally registered represented the estimated maximum number of shares of the Registrant's common stock to be issuable upon the completion of the merger based on the number of common shares of ProCentury outstanding, or reserved for issuance under various plans, immediately prior to the merger and the exchange of common shares of ProCentury for the Registrant's common stock pursuant to the formula set forth in the Agreement and Plan of Merger dated as of February 20, 2008, as amended. The number of shares of the Registrant's common stock issuable upon the completion of the merger is now estimated to be higher than originally anticipated due to the requirement in the merger agreement that the value of the cash to be received by holders of outstanding ProCentury shares in the merger be equal to 45% of the total value of the merger consideration and the aggregate value of Registrant's common stock to be received by holders of outstanding ProCentury shares in the merger be equal to 55% of the total value of the merger consideration. As a result of the decrease in the per share price of Registrant's common stock from the date of original filing of the Registration Statement on Form S-4 on April 11, 2008, Registrant is registering the additional 1,921,074 shares of its common stock to ensure that the aggregate value of Registrant's common stock to be received by holders of outstanding ProCentury shares in the merger is equal to 55% of the total value of the merger consideration. The maximum aggregate value of the Registrant's shares to be exchanged in the merger does not exceed the Proposed Maximum Aggregate Offering Price appearing on the facing page of the original Registration Statement on Form S-4 filed on April 11, 2008 (\$140,364,791).

INCORPORATION OF DOCUMENTS BY REFERENCE

This Registration Statement incorporates by reference the contents of our Registration Statement on Form S-4, Registration No. 333-150186, including all amendments, supplements and exhibits thereto and all information incorporated by reference therein. Additional opinions and consents required to be filed with this Registration Statement are listed on the Index to Exhibits attached to and filed with this Registration Statement.

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SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, the registrant has duly caused this registration statement to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized, in the City of Southfield, State of Michigan, on July 25, 2008.

MEADOWBROOK INSURANCE GROUP,
INC.

By /s/ Robert S. Cubbin
Robert S. Cubbin
President and Chief Executive Officer
(Principal Executive Officer)

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, this Registration Statement has been signed on July 25, 2008, by the following persons in their capacities and on the dates indicated.

Signature	Title	Date
/s/ Robert S. Cubbin Robert S. Cubbin	President, Chief Executive Officer and Director (Principal Executive Officer)	July 25, 2008
/s/ Karen M. Spaun Karen M. Spaun	Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer (Principal Financial and Accounting Officer)	July 25, 2008
** Merton J. Segal	Director (Chairman)	July 25, 2008
Joseph S. Dresner	Director	July 25, 2008
** Hugh W. Greenberg	Director	July 25, 2008
** Florine Mark	Director	July 25, 2008
** Robert H. Naftaly	Director	July 25, 2008
** David K. Page	Director	July 25, 2008

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Director

July 25, 2008

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Signature	Title	Date
** Bruce E. Thal	Director	July 25, 2008
** Herbert Tyner	Director	July 25, 2008
** Signed pursuant to Power of Attorney		

By: /s/ Robert S. Cubbin
Robert S. Cubbin

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Exhibit Number	Description
5.1	Opinion of Howard & Howard Attorneys, P.C. regarding the validity of Meadowbrook Insurance Group, Inc. common stock to be issued in the merger.
23.1	Consent of Ernst & Young LLP.
23.2	Consent of KPMG LLP.
23.3	Consent of Howard & Howard Attorneys, P.C. (included in Exhibit 5.1).
23.4	Consent of Bodman LLP.
23.5	Consent of Baker & Hostetler LLP.
23.6	Consent of Friedman, Billings, Ramsey & Co., Inc.
24.1	Power of Attorney (previously filed).