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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
January 20, 2009
Form 8-K
NATIONAL SECURITY GROUP INC

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): January 16, 2009

#### THE NATIONAL SECURITY GROUP, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware 0-18649 63-1020300

(State or other jurisdiction of (Commission File Number) (IRS Employer Identification No.)

incorporation)

661 East Davis Street

Elba, Alabama 36323
(Address of principal executive offices)
36323
(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (334) 897-2273

N/A

(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:

O Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)

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O	Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange A	act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))	
Item 8.01. Other Events			
On January 19, 2009, The National Security Group, Inc. issued a press release declaring a quarterly dividend. A copy of this press release is attached as Exhibit 99.1 to this report and is incorporated herein by reference.			
Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits			
Exhibit No	Description of Document		
Press release, dated January 19, 2009, issued by The National Security Group, Inc.			
SIGNATURE			
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.			
		The National Security Group, Inc.	
Dated: January 20, 2009		By: /s/ Brian R. McLeod Brian R. McLeod	
		Chief Financial Officer	

Exhibit 99.1

The National Security Group, Inc.

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# PRESS RELEASE

### FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

For Additional Information: Contact Brian McLeod - Chief Financial Officer @ (334) 897-2273.

The National Security Group, Inc

**Declares Cash Dividend** 

ELBA, ALABAMA (January 19, 2009)...On January 16, 2009 the Board of Directors of The National Security Group, Inc. (NASDAQ:NSEC), declared a quarterly dividend of \$.15 per share. This represents an annual indicated dividend rate of \$.60 per share. This cash dividend is payable on February 27, 2009 to shareholders of record February 2, 2009. With its home office in Elba, Alabama, The National Security Group, Inc. is an insurance holding company. Company shares are traded on the NASDAQ Global Market under the symbol NSEC.