NATIONAL SECURITY GROUP IN Form 8-K January 20, 2006 SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMI		
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549		
FORM 8-K		
CURRENT REPORT		
PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF	F THE SECURITIES	
EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934		
Date of Report (Date of earliest event report THE NATIONAL SECURITY GROUP, IN (Exact name of registrant as specified in its ch	īC.	
Delaware (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)	0-18649 (Commission File Number)	63-1020300 (IRS Employer Identification No.)
661 East Davis Street Elba, Alabama 36323 (Address of principal executive offices)		36323 (Zip Code)
Registrant s telephone number, including area	a code: (334) 897-2273	
N/A (Former name or former address, if changed si	ince last report)	
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0	Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Item 8.01. Other Events

On January 19, 2006, 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

99.1 Press release, dated January 19, 2006, issued by The National Security Group, Inc.

SIGNATURE

Dated: January 19, 2006

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.

By: /s/ Brian R. McLeod Brian R. McLeod

Chief Financial Officer

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EXHIBIT 99.1

661 East Davis Street

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PRESS RELEASE

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

For Additional Information: Contact M.L. Murdock Chief Operational Officer @ (334) 897-2273 Ext. 238.

THE NATIONAL SECURITY GROUP, INC.

DECLARES CASH DIVIDEND

ELBA, ALABAMA (JANUARY 19, 2006)...THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE NATIONAL SECURITY GROUP, INC., DECLARED A QUARTERLY DIVIDEND OF \$.22 PER SHARE. THIS REPRESENTS AN ANNUAL INDICATED DIVIDEND RATE OF \$.88 PER SHARE. THIS CASH DIVIDEND IS PAYABLE ON FEBRUARY 28, 2006 TO SHAREHOLDERS OF RECORD FEBRUARY 2, 2006. WITH ITS HOME OFFICE IN ELBA, ALABAMA, THE NATIONAL SECURITY GROUP, INC. IS AN INSURANCE HOLDING COMPANY. COMPANY SHARES ARE TRADED ON THE NASDAQ NATIONAL MARKET UNDER THE SYMBOL NSEC.