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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, DC 20549

FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15 (d) of

the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

December 2, 2008

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported)

CITIZENS HOLDING COMPANY

(Exact name of the registrant as specified in its charter)

MISSISSIPPI (State or other

001-15375 (Commission File Number) 64-0666512 (IRS Employer

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| jurisdiction of incorporation) | Identification No.) |
|--|---------------------|
| | |
| 521 Main Street, Philadelphia, Mississippi | 39350 |
| (Address of principal executive office) | (Zip Code) |

(Registrant s telephone number, including area code)

(601) 656-4692

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:

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Item 7.01. Regulation FD Disclosure.

On December 2, 2008, Citizens Holding Company issued a press release announcing the declaration of a cash dividend of \$.20 per share of common stock for the fourth quarter of 2008. This press release is furnished as Exhibit 99.1 to this Form 8-K.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits
Exhibit 99.1 Press Release dated December 2, 2008

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.

CITIZENS HOLDING COMPANY

By: /s/ Robert T. Smith Robert T. Smith Treasurer and Chief Financial Officer

DATE: December 2, 2008

EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit

Number Description

99.1 Press Release dated December 2, 2008