CHUBB CORP Form S-8 September 24, 2010

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Registration No. 333-\_\_\_\_

# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

# FORM S-8 REGISTRATION STATEMENT UNDER THE SECURITIES ACT OF 1933

#### **The Chubb Corporation**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**New Jersey** 

13-2595722

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)

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

15 Mountain View Road Warren, New Jersey 07059

(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

**Capital Accumulation Plan of The Chubb Corporation** 

(Full title of the Plan)

Maureen A. Brundage

**Executive Vice President and General Counsel** 

**The Chubb Corporation** 

15 Mountain View Road Warren, New Jersey 07059

(Name and Address of agent for service)

(908) 903-2000

(Telephone number, including area code, for agent for service)

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 b

Accelerated filer o

Non-accelerated filer o (Do not check if a smaller reporting

Smaller reporting company o

company)

#### CALCULATION OF REGISTRATION FEE

|                      |            |                | Proposed  |              |
|----------------------|------------|----------------|-----------|--------------|
|                      |            | Proposed       | maximum   |              |
|                      | Amount     | maximum        | aggregate |              |
| Title of securities  | to be      | offering       | offering  | Amount of    |
| to be registered (1) | registered | price per unit | price     | registration |

fee

Common Stock, par value \$1.00 per share 2,000,000 shares \$57.76(2) \$115,520,000 \$8,236.58

#### (1) This

Registration

Statement on

Form S-8 also

covers

(i) pursuant to

Rule 416(a)

under the

Securities Act

of 1933, as

amended (the

Securities Act ),

any additional

shares of

common stock

of The Chubb

Corporation

( Common

Stock ) that

become issuable

under the

Capital

Accumulation

Plan of The

Chubb

Corporation (the

Plan ) by reason

of any stock

dividend, stock

split, or other

similar

transaction and

(ii) pursuant to

Rule 416(c)

under the

Securities Act,

an indeterminate

amount of

interests to be

offered or sold

pursuant to the

Plan.

#### (2) Estimated

pursuant to Rule

457(c) and Rule

457(h) under the

Securities Act,

solely for the purpose of computing the registration fee, based on the average of the high and low prices reported for a share of Common Stock on the New York Stock Exchange on September 21, 2010.

#### **EXPLANATORY NOTE**

This Registration Statement is being filed for the purpose of registering an additional 2,000,000 shares of common stock of The Chubb Corporation ( Common Stock ) to be sold pursuant to the Capital Accumulation Plan of The Chubb Corporation (the Plan ). In accordance with Section E of the General Instructions to Form S-8, the Registration Statement on Form S-8 previously filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the Commission ) relating to the Plan (Registration Statement No. 333-135011) is incorporated by reference herein.

#### **PART II**

#### INFORMATION REQUIRED IN THE REGISTRATION STATEMENT

#### Item 3. Incorporation of Documents by Reference.

The following documents filed by The Chubb Corporation (the Registrant ) with the Commission pursuant to the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the Exchange Act ), and the Plan are incorporated by reference in this Registration Statement:

- a. The Registrant s Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2009;
- b. All other reports filed by the Registrant pursuant to Sections 13(a) or 15(d) of the Exchange Act since the end of the fiscal year covered by the annual report referred to in a. above;
- c. The description of the Common Stock contained in the Registrant s Form 8-A filed February 2, 1984, including any amendments or supplements thereto; and
- d. The Plan s Annual Report on Form 11-K for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2009. All documents subsequently filed by the Registrant with the Commission pursuant to Sections 13(a), 13(c), 14 or 15(d) of the Exchange Act prior to the filing of a post-effective amendment that indicates that all securities offered hereby have been sold or which deregisters all such securities then remaining unsold, shall be deemed to be incorporated by reference in this Registration Statement and to be part hereof from the date of filing of such documents.

Any statement contained in a document incorporated or deemed to be incorporated by reference herein shall be deemed to be modified or superseded for purposes of this Registration Statement to the extent that a statement contained herein (or in any other subsequently filed document which also is incorporated or deemed to be incorporated by reference herein) modifies or supersedes such statement. Any such statement so modified or superseded shall not be deemed, except as so modified or superseded, to constitute a part of this Registration Statement.

#### Item 8. Exhibits.

An Exhibit Index, containing a list of all exhibits filed with this Registration Statement, is included on page E-1.

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#### **SIGNATURES**

**The Registrant.** Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the Securities Act ), the Registrant certifies that it has reasonable grounds to believe that it meets all of the requirements for filing on Form S-8 and has duly caused this Registration Statement to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized, in the City of Warren, New Jersey on September 24, 2010.

#### THE CHUBB CORPORATION

/s/ W. Andrew Macan
By: W. Andrew Macan
Vice President and Secretary

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

| Signatures           | Title  | Date               |
|----------------------|--|--------------------|
| /s/ John D. Finnegan | Chairman, President and Chief<br>Executive Officer (Principal    | September 24, 2010 |
| John D. Finnegan     | Executive Officer)   |                    |
| /s/ Richard G. Spiro | Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer (Principal  | September 24, 2010 |
| Richard G. Spiro     | Financial Officer)   |                    |
| /s/ John J. Kennedy  | Senior Vice President and Chief<br>Accounting Officer (Principal | September 24, 2010 |
| John J. Kennedy      | Accounting Officer) 4  |                    |

Signatures Title Date /s/ \* Director September 24, 2010 Zoë Baird /s/ \* Director September 24, 2010 Sheila P. Burke /s/ \* Director September 24, 2010 James I. Cash, Jr. /s/ \* Director September 24, 2010 Martin G. McGuinn /s/ \* Director September 24, 2010 Lawrence M. Small /s/ \* Director September 24, 2010 Jess Soderberg /s/ \* Director September 24, 2010 Daniel E. Somers /s/ \* Director September 24, 2010 Karen Hastie Williams /s/ \* Director September 24, 2010 James M. Zimmerman /s/ \* Director September 24, 2010 Alfred W. Zollar \* By: /s/ W. Andrew Macan

W. Andrew Macan, Attorney-in-Fact

**The Plan.** Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act, the Retirement Investment Committee of the Plan has duly caused this Registration Statement to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereto duly authorized, in the City of Warren, New Jersey on September 24, 2010.

CAPITAL ACCUMULATION PLAN OF THE CHUBB CORPORATION

By: /s/ Steven M. Versaggi Steven M. Versaggi Chairman of Retirement Investment Committee

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## Index to Exhibits

| Exhibit No. | Description of Exhibit   |
|-------------|--|
| 23          | Consent of Ernst & Young LLP (filed herewith).   |
| 24          | Powers of Attorney for the directors of The Chubb Corporation in their capacity as directors (filed herewith). |
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