FEDERATED NATIONAL HOLDING CO

Form 8-K

November 20, 2013

UNITED STATES

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the

Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report: November 20, 2013

(Date of earliest event reported)

FEDERATED NATIONAL HOLDING COMPANY

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Florida 0-2500111 65-0248866

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation) (Commission File (I.R.S. Employer Identification

Number) No.)

14050 N.W. 14th Street, Suite 180

Sunrise, FL 33323 (Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (954) 581-9993

NOT APPLICABLE

(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)

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[&]quot;Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Item 1.01 Entry into a Material Definitive Agreement.

On November 19, 2013, Federated National Holding Company (the "Company") entered into an underwriting agreement with Raymond James & Associates, Inc., as representative of the underwriters that are parties thereto (the "Underwriting Agreement"), pursuant to which the Company agreed to sell, and the underwriters agreed to purchase, 2,418,605 shares of the Company's common stock at a price to the public of \$10.75 per share and an underwriting discount of \$.645 per share, resulting in net proceeds to the Company before offering expenses of \$10.105 per share, or approximately \$24.4 million in aggregate net proceeds to the Company before estimated offering expenses. The Company is using the net proceeds from the offering for general working capital purposes, including as statutory capital in support of the Company's growth.

The foregoing description of the Underwriting Agreement is qualified in its entirety by reference to the Underwriting Agreement, a copy of which is filed herewith as Exhibit 1.1, and is incorporated by reference herein.

Item 8.01 Other Events.

On November 20, 2013, the Company issued a press release announcing the pricing of its common stock offering described above. A copy of the press release is attached to this Current Report on Form 8-K as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated herein by reference.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

- (d) Exhibits.
 - 1.1 Underwriting Agreement between Federated National Holding Company and Raymond James & Associates, Inc. and the other underwriters signatory thereto, dated November 19, 2013
 - 5.1 Opinion of Broad and Cassel
 - 23.1 Consent of Broad and Cassel (included as part of Exhibit 5.1)
 - 99.1 Federated National Holding Company Press Release dated November 20, 2013.

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.

FEDERATED NATIONAL HOLDING COMPANY

Date: November 20, 2013 By: /s/ Michael Braun

Name: Michael Braun

Title: Chief Executive Officer and President

EXHIBIT INDEX

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