WISCONSIN ENERGY CORP Form S-8 POS August 19, 2009

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Registration No. 333-35800

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549 POST-EFFECTIVE AMENDMENT NO. 1 TO FORM S-8 REGISTRATION STATEMENT **UNDER THE SECURITIES ACT OF 1933** WISCONSIN ENERGY CORPORATION

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

WISCONSIN

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)

(I.R.S. Employer *Identification Number)*

39-1391525

231 West Michigan Street P.O. Box 1331 Milwaukee, Wisconsin

(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

53201

(Zip Code)

Wisconsin Gas Company Local No. 7-0018 Savings Plan

Wisconsin Gas Company **Employees Savings Plan** Hypro Corporation 401(k) and **Profit Sharing Plan**

Wisconsin Gas Company Local 7-0018-1 Savings Plan

Sta-Rite Industries Incentive Savings

SHURflo 401(k) Profit Sharing Plan

Plan (Full title of the plans)

Jeffrey West

Vice President and Treasurer 231 West Michigan Street

P.O. Box 1331

Milwaukee, Wisconsin 53201

(Name, address and telephone number, including area code, of agent for service)

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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 þ

Accelerated filer o

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

EXPLANTORY NOTE

Wisconsin Energy Corporation (WEC) filed a Registration Statement on Form S-8 on April 27, 2000 (Registration No. 333-35800) (the Registration Statement) to register 2,000,000 shares of WEC s common stock, par value \$.01 per share (along with an indeterminate amount of plan interests), for issuance pursuant to the (i) Wisconsin Gas Company Local No. 7-0018 Savings Plan; (ii) Wisconsin Gas Company Local 7-0018-1 Savings Plan; (iii) Wisconsin Gas Company Employees Savings Plan (collectively with the plans listed in (i) and (ii) above, the Wisconsin Gas Plans); (iv) Hypro Corporation 401(k) and Profit Sharing Plan; (v) Sta-Rite Industries Incentive Savings Plan; and (vi) SHURflo 401(k) Profit Sharing Plan (collectively with the plans listed in (iv) and (v) above, the Manufacturing Plans). The Wisconsin Gas Plans have been previously combined with the Wisconsin Energy Corporation Employee Retirement Savings Plan. In addition, WEC has previously disposed of the businesses related to the Manufacturing Plans and such disposition included the transfer of the Manufacturing Plans.

In accordance with the undertaking contained in the Registration Statement pursuant to Item 512 of Regulation S-K, this Post-Effective Amendment No. 1 to the Registration Statement is being filed to deregister and remove all of the previously registered shares of common stock of WEC that remain unsold under the Registration Statement as of the date hereof.

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, 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 Post-Effective Amendment No. 1 to the Registration Statement to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized, in the City of Milwaukee, State of Wisconsin, on August 19, 2009.

WISCONSIN ENERGY CORPORATION

By /s/ Gale E. Klappa
Gale E. Klappa, Chairman of the Board,
President and Chief Executive Officer

Statement has been signed below by the following persons in the capacities and on the dates indicated.

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, this Post-Effective Amendment No. 1 to the Registration

/s/ Gale E. Klappa August 19, 2009 Gale E. Klappa, Chairman of the Board, President and Chief Executive Officer and Director Principal Executive Officer /s/ Allen L. Leverett August 19, 2009 Allen L. Leverett, Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer Principal Financial Officer /s/ Stephen P. Dickson August 19, 2009 Stephen P. Dickson, Vice President and Controller Principal Accounting Officer /s/ John F. Bergstrom August 19, 2009 John F. Bergstrom, Director /s/ Barbara L. Bowles August 19, 2009 Barbara L. Bowles, Director /s/ Patricia W. Chadwick August 19, 2009 Patricia W. Chadwick, Director /s/ Robert A. Cornog August 19, 2009 Robert A. Cornog, Director /s/ Curt S. Culver August 19, 2009

Curt S. Culver, Director

/s/ Thomas J. Fischer August 19, 2009

Thomas J. Fischer, Director

/s/ Ulice Payne, Jr. August 19, 2009

Ulice Payne, Jr., Director

/s/ Frederick P. Stratton, Jr. August 19, 2009

Frederick P. Stratton, Jr., Director