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As filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on January 8, 2014 Registration No. 333 - 126875

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

PARK NATIONAL CORPORATION

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Ohio 31-1179518
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization) Identification No.)

50 North Third Street, Newark, Ohio
(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

43058-3500
(Zip Code)

Park National Corporation 2005 Incentive Stock Option Plan (Full title of the plan)

David L. Trautman

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Newark, Ohio 43055
(Name and address of agent for service)

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(740) 349-8451

(Telephone number, including area code, of 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.

Large accelerated filer ý Accelerated filer q

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

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EXPLANATORY NOTE

Park National Corporation, an Ohio corporation ("Park"), registered 1,500,000 of its common shares, without par value (the "Common Shares"), for issuance under the Park National Corporation 2005 Incentive Stock Option Plan pursuant to a Registration Statement on Form S-8 (Registration No. 333-126875), filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on July 26, 2005.

In connection with the approval by Park's shareholders of the Park National Corporation 2013 Long-Term Incentive Plan at the 2013 Annual Meeting of Shareholders of Park held on April 22, 2013, the Park National Corporation 2005 Incentive Stock Option Plan was terminated and Park will grant no further awards under the Park National Corporation 2005 Incentive Stock Option Plan.

This Post-Effective Amendment No. 1 is being filed to deregister all of the 1,500,000 Common Shares that have not been issued under the Park National Corporation 2005 Incentive Stock Option Plan.

Accordingly, Park hereby withdraws from registration under the Registration Statement on Form S-8 (Registration No. 333-126875), all of the 1,500,000 Common Shares that have not been and will not be issued under the Park National Corporation 2005 Incentive Stock Option Plan.

Item 8. Exhibits.	
(a) Exhibits:	
The following exhibit is filed with this Post-Effective Amendment No. 1 to Form S-8 Registration Statement:	
Exhibit No.	Description
24	Powers of Attorney of Executive Officers and Directors of Park National Corporation
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SIGNATURES

/s/Leon Zazworsky*

Leon Zazworsky

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 Form S-8 Registration Statement to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized, in the City of Newark, State of Ohio, on the 8th day of January, 2014.

PARK NATIONAL CORPORATION

By: /s/ David L. Trautman

David L. Trautman, Chief Executive Officer and President

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, this Registration Statement has been signed by the following persons in the capacities indicated on January 8, 2014.

Title Signature /s/ C. Daniel DeLawder Chairman of the Board and Director C. Daniel DeLawder /s/ David L. Trautman Chief Executive Officer, President and Director David L. Trautman (Principal Executive Officer) /s/ Brady T. Burt Chief Financial Officer, Secretary and Treasurer (Principal Financial Officer) Brady T. Burt /s/ Matthew R. Miller Chief Accounting Officer (Principal Accounting Matthew R. Miller Officer) /s/ Donna M. Alvarado* Director Donna M. Alvarado /s/ Maureen Buchwald* Director Maureen Buchwald /s/ Harry O. Egger* Director Harry O. Egger /s/ F. William Englefield IV* Director F. William Englefield IV /s/ Stephen J. Kambeitz* Director Stephen J. Kambeitz /s/ William T. McConnell* Director William T. McConnell /s/ Timothy S. McLain* Director Timothy S. McLain /s/ Dr. Charles W. Noble, Sr.* Director Dr. Charles W. Noble, Sr. /s/ John J. O'Neill* Director John J. O'Neill Robert E. O'Neill* Director Robert E. O'Neill /s/ Rick R. Taylor* Director Rick R. Taylor

Director

*The undersigned, by signing his name hereto, does hereby sign this Post-Effective Amendment No. 1 to Form S-8 Registration Statement on behalf of each of the directors of the Registrant identified above pursuant to Powers of Attorney executed by the directors identified above, which Powers of Attorney are filed with this Post-Effective Amendment No. 1 to Form S-8 Registration Statement as Exhibit 24.

By: /s/ David L. Trautman January 8, 2014

David L. Trautman, Chief Executive Officer and

President

INDEX TO EXHIBITS

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Powers of Attorney of Executive Officers and Directors of Park National Corporation (Filed

herewith)