MERCHANTS GROUP INC Form 8-K February 01, 2007

## 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 (Date of earliest event reported)

February 1, 2007

#### MERCHANTS GROUP, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

1-9640

16-1280763

(Commission File Number)

(IRS Employer Identification No.)

250 Main Street, Buffalo, New York 14202 (Address of principal executive offices)

(716) 849-3333

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report.)

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 (*see* General Instruction A.2. below):

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

#### **Item 7.01**

#### **Regulation FD Disclosure**

A copy of a press release issued by Merchants Group, Inc., dated February 1, 2007, announcing the approval of its proposed merger is furnished herewith as Exhibit 99.1.

#### Item 9.01

#### **Financial Statements and Exhibits**

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**Exhibits** 

99.1 Press Release, dated February 1, 2007, of Merchants Group, Inc.

#### **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.

MERCHANTS GROUP, INC.

(Registrant)

Date: February 1, 2007 By: /s/ Thomas E. Kahn

Thomas E. Kahn

Chairman of the Board

## **EXHIBIT INDEX**

Exhibit	
<u>Number</u>	<u>Description</u>
99 1	Press Release, dated February 1, 2007, of Merchants Group, Inc.