# 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

**November 10, 2020** Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported)

# ICC Holdings, Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Pennsylvania

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

**1-681903** (Commission File Number) 81-3359409 (IRS Employer Ident. No.)

**225 20th Street, Rock Island, Illinois** (Address of principal executive offices)

**61201** (Zip Code)

(309) 793-1700

Registrant's telephone number, including area code

N/A

(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:

□ Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)

□ Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)

□ Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))

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

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act of 1933 (17 CFR §230.405) or Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (17 CFR §240.12b-2).

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If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act.

Securities registered pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Act:

Title of each class	Trading Symbol(s)	Name of each exchange on which registered
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	ICCH	The NASDAQ Stock Market LLC

#### Item 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On November 10, 2020, ICC Holdings, Inc. issued a press release containing financial information regarding its results of operations and financial condition for the period ended September 30, 2020. A copy of the press release is furnished as part of this Current Report on Form 8-K and is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1.

## Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits:

<u>99.1</u> Press release, dated November 10, 2020.

## **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.

ICC HOLDINGS, INC.

Dated: November 10, 2020

By: /s/ Arron K. Sutherland

Arron K. Sutherland President, Chief Executive Officer and Director

## Exhibit Number

Description

<u>99.1</u> Press release, dated November 10, 2020.



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## ICC Holdings, Inc. Reports 2020 Third Quarter and Nine Months Results

## FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE: 11/10/2020

Rock Island, IL – November 10, 2020 – ICC Holdings, Inc. (NASDAQ: ICCH) (the Company), parent company of Illinois Casualty Company, a regional, multi-line property and casualty insurance company focusing on the food and beverage industry, today reported preliminary, unaudited results for the third quarter and nine months ended September 30, 2020.

## THIRD QUARTER AND NINE MONTHS ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2020 - FINANCIAL RESULTS

Net earnings totaled \$404,000 or \$0.13 per share, for the third quarter of 2020, compared to a net loss of \$14,000, or \$0.00 per share, for the third quarter of 2019. For the nine months ended September 30, 2020, the Company reported a net loss of \$787,000, or \$0.26 per share, compared to net earnings of \$717,000, or \$0.24 per share, for the same period in 2019. Additionally, book value per share increased 8.3% to \$20.66 at September 30, 2020, from \$19.08 at September 30, 2019.

Direct premiums written decreased by \$1,771,000, or 10.9%, to \$14,534,000 for the third quarter of 2020 from \$16,305,000 for the same period in 2019. For the nine months ended September 30, 2020, direct premiums written decreased by \$4,109,000, or 8.5%, to \$44,240,000 from \$48,349,000 for the same period in 2019. Net premiums earned decreased by 8.4% to \$12,533,000 for the third quarter of 2020, from \$13,680,000 for the same period in 2019. Net premiums earned decreased by 5.9% to \$36,922,000 for the nine months ended September 30, 2020, from \$39,220,000 for the same period in 2019. These results were due to policy exposure decreases resulting from state mandated shutdowns of restaurants and taverns and increased reinstatement costs associated with the civil unrest and protests occurring in Minneapolis, MN and the greater Chicago area in Illinois.

For the third quarter of 2020, the Company ceded to reinsurers \$2,344,000 of earned premiums, compared to \$2,392,000 of earned premiums for the third quarter of 2019. For the nine months ended September 30, 2020, the Company ceded earned premiums of \$7,905,000, compared to \$7,665,000 for the same period in 2019.

Net realized investment losses net of other-than-temporary impairment losses were \$59,000 for the third quarter of 2020, compared to gains of \$141,000 for the same period in 2019. For the nine months ended September 30, 2020, net realized investment losses net of other-than-temporary impairment losses were \$402,000, compared to gains of \$741,000 for the same period in 2019.

Net investment income increased by \$90,000, or 11.1%, to \$901,000 for the third quarter of 2020, as compared to \$811,000 for the same period in 2019. For the nine months ended September 30, 2020, net investment income increased \$238,000, or 9.9%, to \$2,645,000, from \$2,407,000 for the same period in 2019.

Losses and settlement expenses decreased by \$746,000, or 7.8%, to \$8,863,000 for the third quarter of 2020, from \$9,609,000 for the same period in 2019. Losses and settlement expenses decreased by \$2,203,000, or 7.8%, to \$25,914,000 for the nine months ended September 30, 2020, from \$28,117,000 for the same period in 2019. The primary driver for the year-to-date decrease in claims expenses was insureds' business closures during the first, second and a portion of the third quarter as a result of COVID-19 stay-at-home state mandates. As of September 30, 2020, the Company has received 1,283 claims for business interruption related to COVID-19. Although a few court cases involving other carriers have sided with policyholders in their claims for coverage for these losses, the Company does not anticipate that property claims of this nature will be found to trigger coverage under its policy language, and therefore does not anticipate being required to make any loss payments.

Policy acquisition costs and other operating expenses decreased by \$11,000, or 0.2%, to \$4,722,000 for the third quarter of 2020 from \$4,733,000 for the same period in 2019. Policy acquisition costs and other operating expenses decreased by \$800,000, or 5.5% to \$13,742,000 for the nine months ended September 30, 2020, from \$14,542,000 for the same period in 2019.

Total assets increased by 10.4% from \$163,004,000 at December 31, 2019 to \$179,984,000 at September 30, 2020. Our investment portfolio, which consists of fixed income securities, common stocks, preferred stock, property held for investment, and other invested assets, increased by 11.7% from \$111,768,000 at December 31, 2019, to \$124,848,000 at September 30, 2020.

#### THIRD QUARTER AND NINE MONTHS ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2020 - FINANCIAL RATIOS

The Company's losses and settlement expense ratio (defined as losses and settlement expenses divided by net premiums earned) was 70.7% and 70.2% in the third quarter and nine months ended September 30, 2020, respectively, compared with 70.2% and 71.7% in the same periods of 2019, respectively.

The expense ratio (defined as the amortization of deferred policy acquisition costs and underwriting and administrative expenses divided by net premiums earned) was 37.7% and 37.2% in the third quarter and nine months ended September 30, 2020, respectively, compared to 34.6% and 37.1% in the same periods of 2019, respectively.

The Company's GAAP combined ratio (defined as the sum of the losses and settlement expense ratio and the expense ratio) was 108.4% and 107.4% in the third quarter and nine months ended September 30, 2020, respectively, compared to 104.8% and 108.8% in the same periods of 2019, respectively.

#### MANAGEMENT COMMENTARY

"The third quarter generated positive earnings per share despite challenging economic conditions impacting the food and beverage industry. The Company's equity investments experienced a surge in unrealized gains, and, even with the derecho windstorm event moving across the Midwest in August, we managed to hold net losses down.

"Despite the premium challenges associated with COVID-19, the loss and settlement ratio has improved year over year. Due to continued cost cutting measures the Company has maintained a consistent expense ratio. This has led to a 1.4% improvement in the year-to-date combined ratio.

"Second quarter's civil unrest combined with third quarter's derecho windstorm contributed to effective utilization of the Company's 2020 reinsurance program. We ceded \$7.9 million of earned premium and in return received claims coverage of \$11.6 million.

"The Company's accelerated expansion into Arizona has proven to be a positive strategic move, with related written premiums offsetting a good portion of premium lost due to the impact of the unprecedented COVID-19 pandemic. The Company continues streamlining its operational processes and implementing initiatives that will allow future profitable growth in our niche," stated Arron Sutherland, President and Chief Executive Officer.

### ABOUT ICC HOLDINGS, INC.

ICC Holdings, Inc. is a vertically integrated company created to facilitate the growth, expansion, and diversification of its subsidiaries in order to maximize value to its stakeholders. The group of companies consolidated under ICC Holdings, Inc. engages in diverse, yet complementary business activities, including property and casualty insurance, real estate, and information technology.

The Company's common shares trade on the NASDAQ Capital Market under the ticker symbol "ICCH". For more information about ICC Holdings, visit <a href="http://ir.iccholdingsinc.com">http://ir.iccholdingsinc.com</a>.

### FORWARD-LOOKING STATEMENTS

This press release, and oral statements made regarding the subjects of this release, contains forward-looking statements, within the meaning of the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995, or the Reform Act, which may include, but are not limited to, statements regarding the Company's, plans, objectives, expectations, and intentions and other statements contained in this press release that are not historical facts, including statements identified by words such as "believe," "plan," "seek," "expect," "intend," "estimate," "anticipate," "will," and similar expressions. All statements addressing operating performance, events, or developments that the Company expects or anticipates will occur in the future, including statements relating to revenue and profit growth; future responses to and effects of the COVID-19 pandemic, including their effects on our business operations and claims activity; new theories of liability; judicial, legislative, regulatory and other governmental developments; litigation tactics and developments; product and segment expansion; regulatory approval in connection with expansion; and market share, as well as statements expressing optimism or pessimism about future operating results, are forward-looking statements within the meaning of the Reform Act. The forward-looking statements are based on management's current views and assumptions regarding future events and operating performance, and are inherently subject to significant business, economic, and competitive uncertainties and contingencies and changes in circumstances, many of which are beyond the Company's control. The statements in this press release are made as of the date of this press release, even if subsequently made available by the Company on its website or otherwise. The Company does not undertake any obligation to update or revise these statements to reflect events or circumstances occurring after the date of this press release.

Although the Company does not make forward-looking statements unless it believes it has a reasonable basis for doing so, the Company cannot guarantee their accuracy. The foregoing factors, among others, could cause actual results to differ materially from those described in these forward-looking statements. For a list of other factors which could affect the Company's results, see the Company's filings with the Securities and Exchange Commission, "Item 7. Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations," including "Forward-Looking Information," set forth in the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2019. No undue reliance should be placed on any forward-looking statements.

## ICC Holdings, Inc. and Subsidiaries Condensed Consolidated Balance Sheets

		As of			
	September 30, 2020		Ι	December 31, 2019	
		(Unaudited)			
Assets					
Investments and cash:					
Fixed maturity securities (cost or amortized cost - \$96,725,639 at 9/30/2020 and \$88,348,415 at 12/31/2019)	\$	103,318,485	\$	92,087,572	
Common stocks at fair value		12,596,635		14,448,773	
Preferred stocks at fair value		1,638,453			
Other invested assets		1,779,060		877,900	
Property held for investment, at cost, net of accumulated depreciation of \$438,720 at 9/30/2020 and \$332,218 at 12/31/2019		5,515,676		4,353,713	
Cash and cash equivalents		6,598,640		6,626,585	
Total investments and cash		131,446,949		118,394,543	
Accrued investment income		719,389		646,504	
Premiums and reinsurance balances receivable, net of allowances for uncollectible amounts of \$100,000 at		/19,309		040,304	
9/30/2020 and 12/31/2019		22,737,615		22,368,526	
Ceded unearned premiums		839,718		822,818	
Reinsurance balances recoverable on unpaid losses and settlement expenses, net of allowances for		059,710		022,010	
uncollectible amounts of \$0 at 9/30/2020 and 12/31/2019		13,844,420		11,036,170	
Federal income taxes		717,862		192,559	
Deferred policy acquisition costs, net		5,267,470		5,269,256	
Property and equipment, at cost, net of accumulated depreciation of \$5,949,933 at 9/30/2020 and		5,207,470		3,203,230	
\$5,619,706 at 12/31/2019		2,851,235		3,033,348	
Other assets		1,559,179		1,239,794	
	\$	179,983,837	\$	163,003,518	
Total assets	Ψ	1/3,303,03/	Ψ	103,003,510	
Liabilities and Equity					
Liabilities:	ተ	61.042.244	¢	56 000 005	
Unpaid losses and settlement expenses	\$	61,943,244	\$	56,838,307	
Unearned premiums		29,921,669		30,392,817	
Reinsurance balances payable		728,674		374,998	
Corporate debt		15,097,960		3,475,088	
Accrued expenses		3,093,882		4,216,988	
Income taxes - deferred		214,674		39,213	
Other liabilities		950,858		1,324,273	
Total liabilities		111,950,961		96,661,684	
Equity:					
Common stock <sup>1</sup>		35,000		35,000	
Treasury stock, at cost <sup>2</sup>		(3,112,656)		(3,146,576)	
Additional paid-in capital		32,717,495		32,703,209	
Accumulated other comprehensive earnings, net of tax		5,208,657		2,953,936	
Retained earnings		35,821,408		36,608,750	
Less: Unearned Employee Stock Ownership Plan shares at cost <sup>3</sup>		(2,637,028)		(2,812,485)	
Total equity	¢.	68,032,876	<b>A</b>	66,341,834	
Total liabilities and equity	\$	179,983,837	\$	163,003,518	

<sup>1</sup>Par value \$0.01; authorized: 2020 – 10,000,000 shares and 2019 – 10,000,000 shares; issued: 2020 – 3,500,000 shares and 2019 – 3,500,000 shares; outstanding: 2020 – 3,030,522 and 2019 – 3,014,941 shares. <sup>2</sup>2020 – 205,775 shares and 2019 – 203,811 shares <sup>3</sup>2020 – 263,703 shares and 2019 – 281,248 shares

## ICC Holdings, Inc. and Subsidiaries Condensed Consolidated Statements of Earnings and Comprehensive Earnings (Unaudited)

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			32,458
	171,860		164,378
	13,816,122		14,539,389
	503,908		(27,066)
	99,919		(13,150)
5	403,989	\$	(13,916)
	440,838		703,220
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## ICC Holdings, Inc. and Subsidiaries Condensed Consolidated Statements of Earnings and Comprehensive Earnings (Unaudited)

	For the Nine-Months Ended September 30,		
	2020		2019
Net premiums earned	\$ 36,921,702	\$	39,219,882
Net investment income	2,644,900		2,406,965
Net realized investment (losses) gains	(402,320)		741,123
Net unrealized gains on equity securities	2,195		1,716,124
Other income (loss)	 82,934		(43,838)
Consolidated revenues	 39,249,411		44,040,256
Losses and settlement expenses	25,913,619		28,117,369
Policy acquisition costs and other operating expenses	13,741,725		14,541,986
Interest expense on debt	150,773		96,353
General corporate expenses	 471,616		444,829
Total expenses	 40,277,733		43,200,537
(Loss) earnings before income taxes	 (1,028,322)		839,719
Total income tax (benefit) expense	 (240,980)		122,796
Net (loss) earnings	\$ (787,342)	\$	716,923
Other comprehensive earnings, net of tax	 2,254,721		3,423,233
Comprehensive earnings	\$ 1,467,379	\$	4,140,156
Earnings per share:			
Basic:			
Basic net (loss) earnings per share	\$ (0.26)	\$	0.24
Diluted:			
Diluted net (loss) earnings per share	\$ (0.26)	\$	0.24
Weighted average number of common shares outstanding:			
Basic	3,023,794		3,004,887
Diluted	3,032,881		3,008,891