Registration No. 333-

## UNITED STATES

### SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

# FORM S-8

## **REGISTRATION STATEMENT UNDER THE SECURITIES ACT OF 1933**

## PATRICK INDUSTRIES, INC.

(Exact name of Registrant as specified in its charter)

Indiana (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)

35-1057796 (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

107 West Franklin Street, P.O. Box 638 Elkhart, IN 46515 (574) 294-7511 (Address, including zip code, and telephone number, including area code, of Registrant's principal executive offices)

PATRICK INDUSTRIES, INC. 2009 OMNIBUS INCENTIVE PLAN (Full title of the Plan)

Andy L. Nemeth **Executive Vice President-Finance and Chief Financial Officer** 107 West Franklin Street, P.O. Box 638 Elkhart, IN 46515 Telephone: (574) 294-7511 (Name, address, including zip code, and telephone number,

including area code, of Registrant's agent for service)

Copy to: Robert A. Schreck, Jr., P.C. McDermott Will & Emery LLP 227 West Monroe Street Chicago, IL 60606 Telephone: (312) 372-2000

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 □ Accelerated filer □ Non-accelerated filer

Smaller reporting company  $\square$ 

### CALCULATION OF REGISTRATION FEE

Share Purchase Rights (4)				
	750,000	\$3.05	\$2,287,500	\$164

- (1) In addition, the number of shares available for issuance under the Patrick Industries, Inc. 2009 Omnibus Incentive Plan (the "2009 Plan") include shares subject to outstanding awards under the Registrant's 1987 Stock Option Program, as amended and restated (the "Prior Plan") and shares that were available for future awards under the Prior Plan as of October 19, 2009, all of which were previously registered under Registrant's Registration Statement on Form S-8 (SEC No. 333-145717).
- (2) Pursuant to Rule 416 under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the "Securities Act"), this Registration Statement shall also cover any additional shares of Common Stock which may become issuable pursuant to the antidilution provision of the 2009 Plan.
- (3) Estimated solely for purposes of computing the registration fee pursuant to Rule 457(c) and (h) under the Securities Act on the basis of the average of the high and low sales prices of the Common Stock reported on The Nasdaq Global Market on March 25, 2010.
- (4) Prior to the occurrence of certain events, the Preferred Share Purchase Rights will not be evidenced separately from the Common Stock.

### PART I

### **INFORMATION REQUIRED IN THE SECTION 10(a) PROSPECTUS**

Information required by Part I to be contained in the Section 10(a) prospectus is omitted from this Registration Statement in accordance with Rule 428 under the Securities Act, as amended, and the Note to Part I of Form S-8.

# PART II

## INFORMATION REQUIRED IN THE REGISTRATION STATEMENT

#### Item 3. Incorporation of Documents by Reference.

The Registrant hereby incorporates by reference into this Registration Statement the following documents previously filed with the SEC:

- (a) The Registrant's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2009, filed with the SEC on March 30, 2010;
- (b) The Registrant's current report on Form 8-K filed with the SEC on January 4, 2010; and

(c) The description of the Registrant's Common Stock and the Preferred Share Purchase Rights contained in a Registration Statement on Form 8-A filed with the SEC on April 3, 1996 pursuant to Section 12 of the Exchange Act.

All documents subsequently filed by the Registrant pursuant to Sections 13(a), 13(c), 14 and 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (the "Exchange Act"), prior to the filing of a post-effective amendment which indicates that all securities offered hereby have been sold or which deregisters all securities then remaining unsold, shall be deemed to be incorporated by reference to this Registration Statement and to be a part hereof from the date of filing such documents.

Any statement contained in a document incorporated or deemed to be incorporated by reference herein shall be deemed to be modified or superseded for purposes of this Registration Statement to the extent that a statement contained herein or in any other subsequently filed document which is also deemed to be incorporated by reference herein modifies or supersedes such statement. Any such statement so modified or superseded shall not be deemed, except as so modified or superseded, to constitute a part of this Registration Statement.

### Item 4. Description of Securities.

Not applicable.

### Item 5. Interests of Named Experts and Counsel.

Not applicable.

#### Item 6. Indemnification of Directors and Officers.

The Registrant's Articles of Incorporation provide that it shall indemnify its directors and officers to the fullest extent permitted by the Indiana Business Corporation Law. The Registrant's By-laws require the company to indemnify its directors and officers and such provisions require it, among other things, (i) to indemnify officers and directors against certain liabilities that may arise by reason of their status or service as directors or officers provided such persons acted in good faith and in a manner reasonably believed to be in the best interests of the Registrant and, with respect to any criminal action, had no cause to believe their conduct was unlawful; (ii) to advance the expenses actually and reasonably incurred by its officers and directors as a result of any proceeding against them as to which they could be indemnified, and (iii) to obtain directors' and officers' insurance if available on reasonable terms. The Registrant maintains directors' and officers' liability insurance covering all directors and officers of the Registrant gaainst claims arising from the performance of their duties. There is no action or proceeding pending or, to our knowledge, threatened which may result in a claim for indemnification by any director, officer, employee or agent.

### Item 7. Exemption from Registration Claimed.

Not applicable.

#### Item 8. Exhibits.

- 3.1 Articles of Incorporation of Patrick Industries, Inc. (incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 3.1 to Form 10-K filed on March 30, 2010).
- 3.2 Amended and Restated By-Laws of Patrick Industries, Inc. (incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 3.1 to Form 8-K filed on January 21, 2009).
- 4.1 Second Amended and Restated Registration Rights Agreement, dated as of December 11, 2008, by and among Patrick Industries, Inc., Tontine Capital Partners, L.P., Tontine Capital Overseas Master Fund, L.P. and the lenders party thereto (incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 10.3 to Form 8-K filed on December 15, 2008).
- 4.2 Patrick Industries, Inc. 2009 Omnibus Incentive Plan (incorporated herein by reference to Appendix A to the revised Definitive Proxy Statement on Schedule 14A filed on October 20, 2009).
- 5.1 Opinion of McDermott Will & Emery LLP.
- 10.1 Rights Agreement, dated March 21, 2006, by and between Patrick Industries, Inc. and National City Bank (incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 10.1 to Form 8-K filed on March 23, 2006).
- 10.2 Amendment No. 1 to Rights Agreement, dated May 18, 2007, by and between Patrick Industries, Inc. and National City Bank (incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 10.5 to Form 8-K filed on May 24, 2007).
- 10.3 Amendment No. 2 to Rights Agreement, dated March 12, 2008, between Patrick Industries, Inc. and National City Bank, as Rights Agent (incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 10.3 to Form 8-K filed on March 13, 2008).

- 23.1 Consent of Crowe Horwath LLP.
- 23.2 Consent of Ernst & Young LLP.
- 23.3 Consent of McDermott Will & Emery LLP (included in Exhibit 5.1).
- 24.1 Power of Attorney (filed as part of signature page).

#### Item 9. Undertakings

(a) The undersigned hereby undertakes:

- (1) To file, during any period in which offers or sales are being made, a post-effective amendment to this Registration Statement:
  - (i) To include any prospectus required by section 10(a)(3) of the Securities Act of 1933;

(ii) To reflect in the prospectus any facts or events arising after the effective date of the Registration Statement (or the most recent post-effective amendment thereof) which, individually or in the aggregate, represent a fundamental change in the information set forth in the Registration Statement. Notwithstanding the foregoing, any increase or decrease in volume of securities offered (if the total dollar value of securities offered would not exceed that which was registered) and any deviation from the low or high end of the estimated maximum offering range may be reflected in the form of prospectus filed with the SEC pursuant to Rule 424(b) if, in the aggregate, the changes in volume and price represent no more than a 20% change in the maximum aggregate offering price set forth in the "Calculation of Registration Fee" table in the effective Registration Statement; and

(iii) To include any material information with respect to the plan of distribution not previously disclosed in the Registration Statement or any material change to such information in the Registration Statement;

Provided, however, that paragraphs (a)(1)(i), (a)(1)(ii) and (a)(1)(iii) of this section do not apply if the information required to be included in a post-effective amendment by those paragraphs is contained in periodic reports filed with or furnished to the SEC by the Registrant pursuant to Section 13 or Section 15(d) of the Exchange Act that are incorporated by reference in the Registration Statement, or is contained in a form of prospectus filed pursuant to Rule 424(b) that is part of the Registration Statement.

(2) That, for the purpose of determining any liability under the Securities Act of 1933, each such post-effective amendment shall be deemed to be a new Registration Statement relating to the securities offered therein, and the offering of such securities at that time shall be deemed to be the initial bona fide offering thereof.

(3) To remove from registration by means of a post-effective amendment any of the securities being registered which remain unsold at the termination of the offering.

(b) The undersigned hereby undertakes that, for purposes of determining any liability under the Securities Act, each filing of the Registrant's annual report pursuant to Section 13(a) or Section 15(d) of the Exchange Act, (and, where applicable, each filing of an employee benefit plan's annual report pursuant to Section 15(d) of the Exchange Act, that is incorporated by reference in the Registration Statement shall be deemed to be a new Registration Statement relating to the securities offered therein, and the offering of such securities at that time shall be deemed to be the initial bona fide offering thereof.

(h) Insofar as indemnification for liabilities arising under the Securities Act may be permitted to directors, officers and controlling persons of the Registrant pursuant to the foregoing provisions, or otherwise, the Registrant has been advised that in the opinion of the SEC such indemnification is against public policy as expressed in the Securities Act and is, therefore, unenforceable. In the event that a claim for indemnification against such liabilities (other than the payment by the Registrant of expenses incurred or paid by a director, officer or controlling person of the Registrant in the successful defense of any action, suit or proceeding) is asserted by such director, officer or controlling person in connection with the securities being registered, the Registrant will, unless in the opinion of its counsel the matter has been settled by controlling precedent, submit to a court of appropriate jurisdiction the question whether such indemnification by it is against public policy as expressed in the Securities Act and will be governed by the final adjudication of such issue.

#### 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 Registration Statement to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized, in the City of Elkhart, State of Indiana, on March 30, 2010.

# PATRICK INDUSTRIES, INC.

By: <u>/s/ Andy L. Nemeth</u> Andy L. Nemeth Executive Vice President – Finance and Chief Financial Officer

KNOW ALL PERSONS BY THESE PRESENTS, that each person whose signature appears below hereby constitutes and appoints Todd M. Cleveland and Andy L. Nemeth, and each of them (each with full power to act alone), his true and lawful attorneys-in-fact and agents, with full power of substitution and resubstitution, for him and in his name, place and stead, in any and all capacities, to sign any and all amendments to this Registration Statement (in each case including, without limitation, any post-effective amendments), and to file the same, with all exhibits thereto, and other documents in connection therewith with the Securities and Exchange Commission, granting unto said attorneys-in-fact and agents, and each of them full power and authority to do and to perform each and every act and thing requisite and necessary to be done in and about the premises, as full and to all intents and purposes as he might or would do in person, hereby ratifying and confirming all that said attorneys-in-fact and agents or any of them, or their or his substitute, may lawfully do or cause to be done by virtue hereof.

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 the 30th day of March, 2010.

Signature	Title
/ <u>s/ Paul E. Hassler</u> Paul E. Hassler	Chairman of the Board
<u>/s/ Todd M. Cleveland</u> Todd M. Cleveland	President and Chief Executive Officer and Director (Principal Executive Officer)
<u>/s/ Andy L. Nemeth</u> Andy L. Nemeth	Executive Vice President-Finance and Chief Financial Officer and Director (Principal Financial Officer)
<u>/s/ Darin R. Schaeffer</u> Darin R. Schaeffer	Vice President, Corporate Controller, and Principal Accounting Officer
/ <u>s/ Terrence D. Brennan</u> Terrence D. Brennan	Director
<u>/s/ Joseph M. Cerulli</u> Joseph M. Cerulli	Director
/ <u>s/ Keith V. Kankel</u> Keith V. Kankel	Director
<u>/s/ Larry D. Renbarger</u> Larry D. Renbarger	Director
/ <u>s/ Walter E. Wells</u> Walter E. Wells	Director

March 30, 2010

Patrick Industries, Inc. 107 West Franklin Street Elkhart, Indiana 46515

Re: 2009 Omnibus Incentive Plan

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We have acted as counsel for Patrick Industries, Inc. (the "Company") in connection with the preparation and filing of a Registration Statement on Form S-8 (the "Registration Statement") for the registration under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, of 750,000 shares of the Company's Common Stock, without par value (the "Common Stock"), which may be issued pursuant to the Plan, together with 750,000 Preferred Share Purchase Rights which are currently attached to, and trade with, the Common Stock.

We have examined or considered:

- 1. A copy of resolutions duly adopted by the Board of Directors of the Company relating to the Plan; and
- 2. A copy of the Plan.

In addition to the examination outlined above, we have conferred with various officers of the Company and have ascertained or verified, to our satisfaction, such additional facts as we deemed necessary or appropriate for the purposes of this opinion.

Based on the foregoing, we are of the opinion that all legal and corporate proceedings necessary for the authorization, issuance and delivery of the shares of Common Stock under the Plan have been duly taken, and the related Common Stock, upon acquisition pursuant to the terms of the Plan, and the related Preferred Share Purchase Rights, will be duly authorized, legally and validly issued, fully paid and nonassessable.

We are admitted to the Bar in the state of Illinois. We express no opinion as to the laws of any jurisdiction other than (i) the Indiana Business Corporation Law, (ii) the laws of the state of Illinois, and (iii) the federal laws of the United States which in each case in our experience are generally applicable to transactions of this type.

We hereby consent to all references to our Firm in the Registration Statement and to the filing of this opinion by the Company as an Exhibit to the Registration Statement.

Very truly yours,

/s/ McDermott Will & Emery LLP

## Consent of Independent Registered Public Accounting Firm

We consent to the incorporation by reference in this Registration Statement on Form S-8 pertaining to the Patrick Industries, Inc. 2009 Omnibus Incentive Plan of our report dated March 30, 2010 on the consolidated financial statements of Patrick Industries, Inc., which report is included in the Form 10-K of Patrick Industries, Inc. for the year ended December 31, 2009.

/s/ Crowe Horwath LLP

Elkhart, Indiana March 30, 2010

# **Consent of Independent Registered Public Accounting Firm**

We consent to the incorporation by reference in the Registration Statement (Form S-8) pertaining to the Patrick Industries, Inc. 2009 Omnibus Incentive Plan of our report dated April 14, 2009, with respect to the consolidated financial statements of Patrick Industries, Inc. for the two years ended December 31, 2008 and 2007 included in its Annual Report (Form 10-K) for the year ended December 31, 2009 filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission.

/s/ Ernst & Young LLP

Grand Rapids, Michigan March 30, 2010