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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

POST-EFFECTIVE AMENDMENT NO. 3 TO FORM S-8

REGISTRATION STATEMENT UNDER THE SECURITIES ACT OF 1933

INVACARE CORPORATION

(Exact name of Registrant as specified in its charter)

Ohio
(State or other Jurisdiction of
Incorporation or Organization)

One Invacare Way Elyria, Ohio 44035 (Address of Principal Executive Offices, including Zip Code)

INVACARE CORPORATION 2003 PERFORMANCE PLAN

(Full Title of the Plan)

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of agent for service)

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a large accelerated filer, an accelerated filer, a non-accelerated filer, a smaller reporting company, or an emerging growth company. See the definitions of "large accelerated filer," "accelerated filer," "small reporting company" and "emerging growth company" in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act. (Check One):

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Large accelerated filer b

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

Emerging growth company o

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(I.R.S. Employer

Identification Number)

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 7(a)(2)(B) of the Securities Act. o

EXPLANATORY NOTE

This Post-Effective Amendment No. 3 to Registration Statement on Form S-8 ("Post-Effective Amendment") is filed in order to deregister certain common shares, without par value ("Common Shares"), issuable under the Invacare Corporation 2003 Performance Plan, as amended (the "2003 Plan"), which Common Shares were registered under a Registration Statement on Form S-8 (File No. 333-161109) filed by Invacare Corporation (the "Registrant") with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "Commission") and effective on August 6, 2009 (the "Prior Registration Statement").

On May 23, 2013, the Registrant filed a Post-Effective Amendment No. 1 to the Prior Registration Statement for the purpose of deregistering 660,337 Common Shares that were previously available for awards under the 2003 Plan and that were carried forward for issuance under the Company's 2013 Equity Compensation Plan, as amended (the "2013 Plan"). On December 21, 2016, the Registrant filed a Post-Effective Amendment No. 2 to the Prior Registration Statement for the purpose of deregistering 2,325,365 Common Shares that were forfeited or remained unpurchased or undistributed upon termination or expiration of awards under the 2003 Plan and that became available for issuance under the 2013 Plan.

At the Annual Meeting of Shareholders of the Registrant held on May 17, 2018, the Registrant's shareholders approved the Invacare Corporation 2018 Equity Compensation Plan (the "2018 Plan"), which provides, among other things, that Common Shares available for awards under the 2013 Plan upon shareholder approval of the 2018 Plan, and any Common Shares covered by an award under the 2013 Plan or the 2003 Plan that are forfeited or remain unpurchased or undistributed upon termination or expiration of the award, shall become available for issuance under the 2018 Plan. As of May 17, 2018, there were 1,225,176 Common Shares that were forfeited or remained unpurchased or undistributed upon termination or expiration of awards under the 2003 Plan, that are now available for issuance under the 2018 Plan, of which 14,298 Common Shares were registered under the Prior Registration Statement (such shares, the "Carried Forward Shares").

The Registrant is concurrently filing a separate Registration Statement on Form S-8 to register for issuance under the 2018 Plan (1) the Carried Forward Shares and (2) 1,800,000 additional Common Shares. This Post-Effective Amendment is hereby filed to reflect that, following the date hereof, the Carried Forward Shares may not be issued under the 2003 Plan, and to deregister 14,298 Carried Forward Shares under the Prior Registration Statement, constituting all of the remaining Common Shares formerly registered under the Prior Registration Statement.

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, 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. 3 to Form S-8 Registration Statement to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized, in the City of Elyria, State of Ohio, on this 22nd day of May, 2018.

INVACARE CORPORATION

/s/

Kathleen By:

Leneghan Kathleen

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Leneghan Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, this Post-Effective Amendment No. 3 to Form S-8 Registration Statement has been signed below by the following persons in the capacities indicated as of May 22, 2018.

Signature Title

/s/ Matthew E. Monaghan Matthew E. Monaghan

Chairman, President and Chief Executive Officer (Principal Executive Officer)

/s/ Kathleen P. Leneghan

Kathleen P. Leneghan

Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer (Principal Financial and Accounting

Officer)

/s/ Susan H. Alexander

Susan H. Alexander

Director

/s/ Barbara W. Bodem

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/s/ Marc M. Gibeley

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/s/ Clifford D. Nastas Clifford D. Nastas

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/s/ Baiju R. Shah Baiju R. Shah Director

/s/ Petra Danielsohn-Weil Director

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