SUMMIT FINANCIAL GROUP INC Form S-4/A July 03, 2008

As filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on July 3, 2008 Registration No. 33-146882

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

Post-Effective Amendment No. 1 to

FORM S-4 REGISTRATION STATEMENT UNDER THE SECURITIES ACT OF 1933

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SUMMIT FINANCIAL GROUP, INC. (Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)

West Virginia (State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation or Organization) 6711 (Primary Standard Industrial Classification Code Number) 55-0672148 (I. R. S. Employer Identification Number)

300 North Main Street Moorefield, West Virginia 26836 (304) 530-1000

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(Address, Including Zip Code, and Telephone Number, Including Area Code, of Registrant's Principal Executive Offices)

H. Charles Maddy, III Summit Financial Group, Inc. 300 N. Main Street Moorefield, West Virginia 26836 (304) 530-1000

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(Name, Address, Including Zip Code, and Telephone Number, Including Area Code, of Agent for Service)

with copies to:

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Approximate date of commencement of proposed sale to the public: Not applicable.

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If this Form is filed to register additional securities for an offering pursuant to Rule 462(b) under the Securities Act, check the following box and list the Securities Act registration statement number of the earlier effective registration statement for the same offering.

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If this Form is a post-effective amendment filed pursuant to Rule 462(d) under the Securities Act, check the following box and list the Securities Act registration statement number of the earlier effective registration statement for the same offering.

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 X

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

# DEREGISTRATION OF SECURITIES

Pursuant to a Registration Statement on Form S-4 (File No. 33-146882) (the "Registration Statement") filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "SEC") by Summit Financial Group, Inc. ("Summit") and declared effective by the SEC on February 12, 2008 at 1:45 p.m., Summit registered 712,809 shares of its common stock, par value \$2.50 per share, which represented the maximum number of shares issuable by Summit upon consummation of the proposed merger with Greater Atlantic Financial Corp. ("Greater Atlantic") under the Agreement and Plan of Reorganization by and between Summit and Greater Atlantic dated April 12, 2007, as amended December 6, 2007 (the "2007 Agreement")

On April 4, 2008, Summit ("Summit") terminated the 2007 Agreement pursuant to Section 9.01(c) which provides that either party may terminate the 2007 Agreement if it is not consummated by March 31, 2008. This Post-Effective Amendment No. 1 to the Registration statement is filed to deregister the 712,809 shares of Summit common stock, par value \$2.50 per share, because Summit terminated the 2007 Agreement and did not issue the shares.

### SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, the Registrant has duly caused this Post-Effective Amendment No. 1 to the Registration Statement on Form S-4 to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized, in the City of Moorefield, State of West Virginia, on July 3, 2008.

#### SUMMIT FINANCIAL GROUP, INC.

By:	/s/ H. Charles Maddy, III President and Chief Executive Officer
By:	/s/ Robert S. Tissue Senior Vice President, Chief Financial Officer

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, this Post-Effective Amendment No. 1 to the Registration Statement on Form S-4 has been signed by the following persons in the capacities and on the dates indicated.

Signatures	Title	
_* Oscar M. Bean	-	Director
Oscar M. Bean		
Frank A. Baer, III		Director
_* Dewey S. Bensenhaver, M.D.	-	Director
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_* James M. Cookman	-	Director
		Director
John W. Crites		
-* Patrick N. Frye	-	Director
_*	-	Director
James Paul Geary, II		
_* Thomas J. Hawse, III	-	Director
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Gary L. Hinkle		
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Gerald W. Huffman		
_*	_	Director
Duke A. McDaniel		
_*	_	Director
Ronald F. Miller		
	_	Director
G. R. Ours, Jr.		
_*	_	Director
Charles S. Piccirillo		

Signed pursuant to power of attorney dated October 27, 2007.

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