Registration No.: 333-258394

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

POST-EFFECTIVE AMENDMENT NO. 1 TO FORM S-1
REGISTRATION STATEMENT UNDER
THE SECURITIES ACT OF 1933

Ponce Financial Group, Inc.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

Maryland (State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation or Organization)

6035 (Primary Standard Industrial Classification Code Number) 87-1893965 (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

2244 Westchester Avenue Bronx, NY 10462 (Address of Principal Executive Offices)

Carlos P. Naudon
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Smaller reporting company

Emerging growth company

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APPROXIMATE DATE OF COMMENCEMENT OF PROPOSED SALE TO THE PUBLIC:						
This Post-Effective Amendment No. 1 deregisters those securities that remain unsold hereunder as of the date hereof.						
If any of the securities being registered on this Form are to be offered on a delayed or continuous basis pursuant to Rule 415 under the Securities Act of 1933, check the following box:						
If this Form is filed to register additional shares for an offering pursuant to Rule 462(b) under the Securities Act, please 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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EXPLANATORY NOTE

This Post-Effective Amendment No. 1 (this "Post-Effective Amendment") to the Registration Statement on Form S-1 (File No. 333-258394), which was declared effective by the Securities and Exchange Commission on November 9, 2021 (as supplemented, the "Registration Statement"), is being filed to deregister the 913,284 unsold shares of common stock \$0.01 par value per share of Ponce Financial Group, Inc. registered under the Registration Statement as of the date hereof. The remaining 24,711,834 shares of common stock registered under the Registration Statement were issued pursuant to the offering as described therein.

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, the registrant has duly caused this registration statement to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized in the City of New York, State of New York on February 25, 2022.

PONCE FINANCIAL GROUP, INC.

By: /s/ Carlos P. Naudon

Carlos P. Naudon President and Chief Executive Officer (Duly Authorized Representative)

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, this registration statement has been signed by the following persons in the capacities and on the date indicated.

<u>Signatures</u>	<u>Title</u>	Date
/s/ Carlos P. Naudon Carlos P. Naudon	President, Chief Executive Officer and Director	February 25, 2022
/s/ Frank Perez Frank Perez	Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer	February 25, 2022
* Steven A. Tsavaris	Executive Chairman and Director	February 25, 2022
*	Director	February 25, 2022
James Demetriou *	Director	February 25, 2022
William Feldman	Director	February 25, 2022
Julio Gurman		•
Maria Alvarez	Director	February 25, 2022
* Nick Lugo	Director	February 25, 2022
*By: <u>/s/ Carlos P. Naudon</u> Name: Carlos P. Naudon		

Title: As attorney-in-fact