**BOLZ JAMES A** Form 3 May 08, 2008

# FORM 3

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

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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES** 

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting

Person \*

BOLZ JAMES A

(Last) (First)

(Middle)

Statement

(Month/Day/Year)

05/06/2008

2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

Maiden Holdings, Ltd. [MHLD]

MAIDEN HOLDINGS. LTD., Â 48 PAR-LA-VILLE

ROAD, SUITE 1141

(Street)

4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

(Check all applicable)

Director

10% Owner

\_X\_\_ Officer Other (give title below) (specify below) See Remarks

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

5. If Amendment, Date Original

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person

Form filed by More than One

Reporting Person

HAMILTON. DOÂ HM 11

(City) (State) (Zip)

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)

2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned

(Instr. 4)

3. Ownership

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial

Ownership (Instr. 5) Form:

Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially

owned directly or indirectly.

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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security

(Instr. 4)

2. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** (Month/Day/Year)

3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security

5. Conversion or Exercise

Price of

6. Nature of Indirect Ownership Beneficial Ownership Form of (Instr. 5)

(Instr. 4)

Expiration Exercisable Date

Title

Amount or Number of

Security: Derivative Security Direct (D)

Derivative

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#### **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

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MAIDEN HOLDINGS, LTD.
48 PAR-LA-VILLE ROAD, SUITE 1141
HAMILTON, D0Â HM 11

# **Signatures**

/s/ James A. Bolz, Senior Vice President - Underwriting of Maiden Insurance Company,
Ltd.

05/06/2008

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

Date

# **Explanation of Responses:**

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(b)(v).
- \*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (1) The Stock Options were granted pursuant to the 2007 share incentive plan on October 23, 2007 and will vest 25% on October 23, 2008 and 6.25% each quarter thereafter.

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#### Remarks:

Title: Senior Vice President - Underwriting of Maiden Insurance Company, Ltd.

No securities are beneficially owned.

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