

XL CAPITAL LTD  
Form 8-K  
January 23, 2009

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

FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported):

January 23, 2009

XL Capital Ltd  
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Cayman Islands  
(State or other  
jurisdiction of  
incorporation)

1-10804  
(Commission File  
Number)

98-0191089  
(IRS Employer  
Identification No.)

XL House, One Bermudiana Road, Hamilton, Bermuda  
(Address of principal executive offices)

HM11  
(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (441) 292-8515

Not Applicable  
(Former name or former address, if changed since  
last report)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions (see General Instruction A.2. below):

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Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))



Item 8.01 Other Events.

On January 23, 2009, XL Capital Ltd issued the press release attached as Exhibit 99.1 and incorporated by reference herein.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits. The following exhibits are filed herewith:

Exhibit No. Description

99.1 Press Release (“XL Capital Ltd Announces Remarketing of 5.25% Senior Notes due 2011”) dated January 23, 2009.

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SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

Date: January 23, 2009

XL Capital Ltd

By: /s/ Kirstin Romann Gould  
Name: Kirstin Romann Gould  
Title: Executive Vice President,  
General Counsel and Secretary