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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * <u>SCHMITT KAREN</u> (Last) (First) (Middle) <u>C/O MAIDEN REINSURANCE COMPANY</u> <u>6000 MIDATLANTIC DRIVE</u> (Street) <u>MOUNT LAUREL NJ 08054</u> (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>Maiden Holdings, Ltd. [MHLTD]</u>	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) Please see Remarks
	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) <u>08/04/2011</u>	
4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)		

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Shares	08/04/2011		P		3,000	A	\$9.12	0	D	
Common Shares	08/05/2011		M		15,625	A	\$3.28	0	D	
Common Shares	08/05/2011		P		3,000	A	\$8.29	74,875	D	

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

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date						Title
Options (right to buy)	\$3.28	08/05/2011		M			15,625	(1)	11/12/2018	Common Stock	25,000	\$0	9,375	D	
Options (right to buy)	\$4.45							(1)	02/24/2019	Common Shares	75,000		0	D	
Options (right to buy)	\$7.25							(1)	03/04/2020	Common Shares	50,000		0	D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. The Stock Options were granted pursuant to the Amended and Restated 2007 Share Incentive Plan and will vest 25% on the one year anniversary of grant, and 6.25% each quarter thereafter.

Remarks:

PRESIDENT, MAIDEN REINSURANCE COMPANY and MAIDEN SPECIALTY INSURANCE COMPANY

/s/ Karen Schmitt

08/05/2011

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (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).

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