FORM 4

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## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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## IANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Maiden Holdings, Ltd. [ MHLD ]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  Director 10% Owner					
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O MAIDEN GLOBAL HOLDINGS, LTD. GROSVENOR HOUSE 7 HORSESHOE CRESCENT															Officer (give title below)  See Remain		be	Other (specif below) rks	
					4.										6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable				
(Street) BEACONSFIELD X0			HP9 1LJ											Line)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person  Form filed by More than One Reporting  Person					
(City) (State) (Zip)														1 010011					
		Та	ıble I - Noı	า-Deriง	/ati	ve S	ecuriti	es A	cquired,	Dis	posed (	of, or B	enefi	cially	Owned				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Trans Date (Month/I						2A. Deemed Execution Da if any (Month/Day/\		Code (Ins		4. Secur Dispose	ities Acquired (A) or d Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5		or 4 and 5)	Beneficial Owned Fo	s   I Ily   (	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
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			Table II -						quired, D ts, option						owned				
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Da if any (Month/Day/\)		ansa ode (	ction Instr.	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exercisabl Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			of Secur Underlyi	nderlying Derivative ecurity (Instr. 3 and		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficiall Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	Own Form Direct or In (I) (Ir		Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
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Options (right to buy)	\$7.53								12/01/2011 <sup>(1</sup>	1	1/30/2020	Common Shares	50,	,000		0		D	
Options (right to buy)	\$7.53								12/01/2011 <sup>(2</sup>	2) 1	1/30/2020	Common Shares	20,	,000		0		D	
Options (right to buy)	\$8.7								12/01/2012 <sup>(2</sup>	2) 1	1/30/2021	Common Shares	50,	,000		0		D	
Restricted Share Units	(3)								(4)		(4)	Common Shares	62,7	736 <sup>(5)</sup>		62,736		D	
Restricted Share Units	(3)								(4)		(4)	Common Shares	69,5	592 <sup>(6)</sup>		69,592		D	
Options (right to buy)	\$8.98	12/03/2012			A		50,000		12/01/2013 <sup>(2</sup>	2) 1	1/30/2022	Common	50,	,000	\$8.98	170,000		D	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. The Stock Options were granted pursuant to the Amended and Restated 2007 Share Incentive Plan (the "Plan") and will vest 33.3% on the one year anniversary of grant, 33.3% on the two year anniversary of grant, and 33.4% on the three year anniversary of grant.
- 2. The Stock Options were granted pursuant to the Plan and will vest 25% on the one year anniversary of grant, and 6.25% each quarter thereafter.
- 3. The restricted share units were issued pursuant to the Plan. Each restricted share unit represents a contingent right to receive one common share of the Registrant.
- 4. The restricted share units shall be settled in common shares or, at the discretion of the Compensation Committee, an amount in cash equal to the fair market value of the shares, and shall be settled shortly after the Committee certifies the attainment of performance goals (the "settlement date"), but in no event later than 2 1/2 months after the expiration of the performance period. The units are forfeited if the reporting person's employment is terminated prior to the settlement date. Certain special terms apply in the event of death, disability or a change of control.
- 5. The reporting person received restricted share units that shall vest based upon the achievement of performance criteria relating to return on equity, underwriting performance, revenue growth and operating expense during the performance period from January 1, 2011 to December 31, 2012. The recipient received a target award of 31,368 restricted share units, and 0 to 200% of such target award may vest depending upon the degree to which the performance targets are met. The 62,736 units reported represent 200% of the target award, which is the maximum number of units that may be earned.
- 6. The reporting person received restricted share units that shall vest based upon the achievement of performance criteria relating to return on equity, underwriting performance, revenue growth and operating expense during the performance period from January 1, 2012 to December 31, 2014. The recipient received a target award of 34,796 restricted share units, and 0 to 200% of such target award may vest depending upon the degree to which the performance targets are met. The 69,592 units reported represent 200% of the target award, which is the maximum number of units that may be earned.

## Remarks:

PRESIDENT, MAIDEN GLOBAL HOLDINGS, LTD.

/s/ Ronald M. Judd

12/05/2012

\*\* 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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