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SCHEDULE 13G

Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

(Amendment No. ___)*

Maiden Holdings, Ltd.

(Name of Issuer)

Common Stock

(Title of Class of Securities)

G5753U112

(CUSIP Number)

July 16, 2009

(Date of Event which Requires Filing of this Statement)

Check the appropriate box to designate the rule pursuant to which this Schedule is filed:

- o Rule 13d-1(b)
- x Rule 13d-1(c)
- o Rule 13d-1(d)

 $The \ Reporting \ Persons \ have \ previously \ reported \ holdings \ of \ Common \ Stock \ of \ the \ Issuer \ on \ Schedule \ 13D.$

^{*} The remainder of this cover page shall be filled out for a reporting person's initial filing on this form with respect to the subject class of securities, and for any subsequent amendment containing information which would alter the disclosures provided in a prior cover page.

The information required in the remainder of this cover page shall not be deemed to be "filed" for the purpose of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 ("Act") or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section of the Act but shall be subject to all other provisions of the Act (however, *see* the Notes).

CUSIP NO	Э.	G5753U112		
1	Names of	ames of Reporting Persons.		
	I.R.S. Ider	ntification Nos. of above persons (entities only)		
	Trafelet C	apital Management, L.P.		
2	Check the	Appropriate Box if a Member of a Group (See Instructions)		
	(a) o			
	(b) X			
3	SEC Use Only			
4	Citizenship or Place of Organization.			
	Delaware			
		5 Sole Voting Power		
		0 shares		
		6 Shared Voting Power	•	
Num of Sh		3,594,814 shares, (5,581,242 shares as of the Filing Date)		
Benefi				
Owne	ed by	Refer to Item 4 below.		
Ea	nch	7 Sole Dispositive Power		
Repo		0 shares		
Person	Person With 8 Shared Dispositive Power			
		3,594,814 shares, (5,581,242 shares as of the Filing Date)		
		Refer to Item 4 below.		
9	Aggregate	Amount Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person	•	
	3,594,814	shares, (5,581,242 shares as of the Filing Date)		
		tem 4 below.		
10 Check if the Aggregate Amount in Row (9) Excludes Certain Shares (See Instructions) o N/A				
11	11 Percent of Class Represented by Amount in Row (9)*			
	5.11% (7.94% as of the Filing Date)			
	Refer to Item 4 below.			

12	Type of Reporting Person (See Instructions)
	PN (Limited Partnership)

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1 Names of		Reporting Persons.	
	I.R.S. Ider	ntification Nos. of above persons (entities only)	
	Trafelet & Company, LLC		
2	Check the Appropriate Box if a Member of a Group (See Instructions)		
	(a) o		
	(b) X		
3	SEC Use Only		
4	Citizenship or Place of Organization.		
	Delaware		
		E. Cala Wating Day and	
		5 Sole Voting Power	
		0 shares	
Nu	ımber	6 Shared Voting Power	
of S	Shares	3,594,814 shares, (5,581,242 shares as of the Filing Date)	
Bene	eficially		
Owi	ned by	Refer to Item 4 below.	
	Each	7 Sole Dispositive Power	
	orting on With	0 shares	
		8 Shared Dispositive Power	
		3,594,814 shares, (5,581,242 shares as of the Filing Date)	
	Refer to Item 4 below.		
9 Aggregate Amount Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person		Amount Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person	
	3,594,814	shares, (5,581,242 shares as of the Filing Date)	
	Refer to 1	Item 4 below.	
10 Check if the Aggregate Amount in Row (9) Excludes Certain Shares (See Instructions) o N/A			

Percent of Class Represented by Amount in Row (9)*

5.11% (7.94% as of the Filing Date)

Refer to Item 4 below.

Type of Reporting Person (See Instructions)

OO (Limited Liability Company)

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1	Names of Reporting Persons.		
I	I.R.S. Ide	entification Nos. of above persons (entities only)	
1	Remy Tra	afelet	
2 (Check the	e Appropriate Box if a Member of a Group (See Instructions)	
((a) o		
((b) X	X.	
3 5	SEC Use Only		
4 (Citizensh	ip or Place of Organization.	
United S		rates	
		5 Sole Voting Power	
		0 shares	
Num	ber	6 Shared Voting Power	
of Sh	ares	3,594,814 shares, (5,581,242 shares as of the Filing Date)	
Benefi Owne		Refer to Item 4 below.	
Eac		7 Sole Dispositive Power	
Repor Person		0 shares	
		8 Shared Dispositive Power	
		3,594,814 shares, (5,581,242 shares as of the Filing Date)	
		Refer to Item 4 below.	
9	Aggregate	e Amount Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person	
3	3,594,814	4 shares, (5,581,242 shares as of the Filing Date)	
	Refer to	Item 4 below.	
10 (Check if t	the Aggregate Amount in Row (9) Excludes Certain Shares (See Instructions) o N/A	

11	Percent of Class Represented by Amount in Row (9)*
	5.11% (7.94% as of the Filing Date)
	Refer to Item 4 below.
12	Type of Reporting Person (See Instructions)
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Item 1.	Ю.	G3/33U112
	(a)	Name of Issuer
		Maiden Holdings, Ltd.
	(b)	Address of Issuer's Principal Executive Offices
		48 Par-la-Ville Road Suite 1141 Hamilton, HM 11 Bermuda
Item 2.		
	(a)	Name of Person Filing
		Trafelet Capital Management, L.P. Trafelet & Company, LLC Remy Trafelet
	(b)	Address of Principal Business Office or, if none, Residence
		590 Madison Ave 37th Floor New York, NY 10022
	(c)	Citizenship
		Trafelet Capital Management, L.P Delaware Trafelet & Company, LLC - Delaware Remy Trafelet - United States
	(d)	Title of Class of Securities
		Common Stock
	(e)	CUSIP Number G5753U112

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	(a)	0	Broker or dealer registered under section 15 of the Act (15 U.S.C. 780).	
	(b)	0	Bank as defined in section 3(a)(6) of the Act (15 U.S.C. 78c).	
	(c)	0	Insurance Company as defined in Section 3(a)(19) of the Act	
	(d)	0	Investment company registered under section 8 of the Investment Company Act of 1940 (15 U.S.C 80a-8).	
	(e)	0	An investment adviser in accordance with §240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(E);	
	(f)	0	An employee benefit plan or endowment fund in accordance with §240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(F);	
	(g)	0	A parent holding company or control person in accordance with §240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(G);	
	(h)	0	A savings associations as defined in Section 3(b) of the Federal Deposit Insurance Act (12 U.S.C. 1813);	
	(i)	0	A church plan that is excluded from the definition of an investment company under section 3(c)(14) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 (15 U.S.C. 80a-3);	
	(j)	0	Group, in accordance with §240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(J).	
Item 4. Ownership*** Provide the following information regarding the aggregate number and percentage of the class of securities of the issuer identified in Item 1.				
	(a)	Amount Beneficially Owned***		
		Trafelet Capital Management, L.P 3,594,814 shares, (5,581,242 shares as of the Filing Date)		
		Trafelet & Company, LLC - 3,594,814 shares, (5,581,242 shares as of the Filing Date)		
		Remy Trafelet - 3,594,814 shares, (5,581,242 shares as of the Filing Date)		
	(b)	Percent of Class		
		Trafelet Capital Management, L.P 5.11% (7.94% as of the Filing Date) Trafelet & Company, LLC - 5.11% (7.94% as of the Filing Date) Remy Trafelet - 5.11% (7.94% as of the Filing Date)		
	(c)	Number of shares as to which such person has:		
		(i)	sole power to vote or to direct the vote	

If this statement is filed pursuant to $\S\S240.13d-1(b)$ or 240.13d-2(b) or (c), check whether the person filing is a:

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 $\label{thm:continuous} Trafelet\ Capital\ Management,\ L.P.\ -0\ shares \\ Trafelet\ \&\ Company,\ LLC\ -0\ shares$

Remy Trafelet -0 shares

(ii) shared power to vote or to direct the vote

Trafelet Capital Management, L.P. - 3,594,814 shares, (5,581,242 shares as of the Filing Date)

Trafelet & Company, LLC - 3,594,814 shares, (5,581,242 shares as of the Filing Date) Remy Trafelet - 3,594,814 shares, (5,581,242 shares as of the Filing Date)

(iii) sole power to dispose or to direct the disposition of

Trafelet Capital Management, L.P. - 0 shares Trafelet & Company, LLC - 0 shares Remy Trafelet - 0 shares

(iv) shared power to dispose or to direct the disposition of

Trafelet Capital Management, L.P. - 3,594,814 shares, (5,581,242 shares as of the Filing Date)
Trafelet & Company, LLC - 3,594,814 shares, (5,581,242 shares as of the Filing Date)
Remy Trafelet - 3,594,814 shares, (5,581,242 shares as of the Filing Date)

*** Shares reported herein are held by several private investment funds for which Trafelet Capital Management, L.P. serves as the investment manager. Trafelet & Company, LLC serves as the general partner of Trafelet Capital Management, L.P. and Remy Trafelet serves as managing member of Trafelet & Company, LLC. Each of the Reporting Persons disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares reported herein except to the extent of its or his pecuniary interest therein.

Item 5. Ownership of Five Percent or Less of a Class

If this statement is being filed to report the fact that as of the date hereof the reporting person has ceased to be the beneficial owner of more than five percent of the class of securities, check the following o.

Item 6. Ownership of More than Five Percent on Behalf of Another Person

Not applicable.

Item 7. Identification and Classification of the Subsidiary Which Acquired the Security Being Reported on By the Parent Holding Company

Not applicable.

Item 8. Identification and Classification of Members of the Group

Not applicable.

Item 9. Notice of Dissolution of Group

Not applicable.

Item 10. Certification

By signing below I certify that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the securities referred to above were not acquired and are not held for the purpose of or with the effect of changing or influencing the control of the issuer of the securities and were not acquired and are not held in connection with or as a participant in any transaction having that purpose or effect.

SIGNATURE

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, I certify that the information set forth in this Statement is true, complete and correct.

July 24, 2009

TRAFELET CAPITAL MANAGEMENT, L.P. By: Trafelet & Company, LLC, its General Partner

By: /s/ Remy Trafelet

Remy Trafelet, Managing Member

TRAFELET & COMPANY, LLC

By: <u>/s/ Remy Trafelet</u>

Remy Trafelet, Managing Member

REMY TRAFELET

By: <u>/s/ Remy Trafelet</u> Remy Trafelet, individually

JOINT FILING AGREEMENT

This Joint Filing Agreement, dated as of July 24, 2009, is by and among Trafelet Capital Management, L.P., Trafelet & Company, LLC, and Remy Trafelet (collectively, the "Filers").

Each of the Filers may be required to file with the United States Securities and Exchange Commission a statement on Schedule 13D and/or 13G with respect to shares of Common Stock of Maiden Holdings, Ltd. beneficially owned by them from time to time.

Pursuant to and in accordance with Rule 13(d)(1)(k) promulgated under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, the Filers hereby agree to file a single statement on Schedule 13D and/or 13G (and any amendments thereto) on behalf of each of the Filers, and hereby further agree to file this Joint Filing Agreement as an exhibit to such statement, as required by such rule.

This Joint Filing Agreement may be terminated by any of the Filers upon written notice or such lesser period of notice as the Filers may mutually agree.

Executed and delivered as of the date first above written.

TRAFELET CAPITAL MANAGEMENT, L.P. By: Trafelet & Company, LLC, its General Partner

By: <u>/s/ Remy Trafelet</u> Remy Trafelet, Managing Member

TRAFELET & COMPANY, LLC

By: <u>/s/ Remy Trafelet</u> Remy Trafelet, Managing Member

REMY TRAFELET

By: <u>/s/ Remy Trafelet</u> Remy Trafelet, individually