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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* SCHMITT KAREN						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Maiden Holdings, Ltd. [MHLD]										f Reporting able) (give title	g Perso	on(s) to Issu 10% Ow Other (s	ner
(Last) C/O MA	,	irst) ISURNACE CC	(Middle) OMPANY		. Date o	of Earlies 2014	t Tran	sactio	on (Mon	th/Da	ay/Year)			<u> </u>	below)	Please se	e Ren	below) narks	
6000 MIDATLANTIC DRIVE																			
(Street) MOUNT LAUREL NJ 08054				4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)										6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City)	(S	tate)	(Zip)																
		Tal	ble I - Non-	Derivat	ve Se	curitie	s Ac	cqui	ired, D	isp	osed	of, or B	enefi	cially	Owned				
Date				2. Transact Date Month/Day		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Yea		e, 1	Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 5)			4 and Securiti		s lly ollowing	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	: Direct I Indirect E str. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
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Restricted Common Shares 0				02/18/2	3/2014				A		6,845	5 ⁽¹⁾	A	\$ <mark>0</mark>	14,619			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/Yea	Code (Instr.		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exercisal Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)				e and 7. Title and Amo of Securities Underlying Deriv Security (Instr. 3		vative	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Numbe derivative Securities Beneficia Owned Following Reported Transactie (Instr. 4)	Ow For Oir Or (I)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
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Restricted Share Units	(2)	02/18/2014		A		57,996			(3)		(3)	Common Shares	57,9	96 ⁽⁴⁾	\$0	57,996		D	

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. These restricted shares were granted pursuant to the Amended and Restated 2007 Share Incentive Plan (the "Plan") and will vest 50% on January 1, 2015, and 50% on January 1, 2016.
- 2. 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.
- 3. 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.
- 4. The reporting person received restricted share units that shall vest based (i) 50% 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, 2014 to December 31, 2016, and (ii) 50% upon individual performance as evaluated by the Compensation Committee. The recipient received a target award of 28,998 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 57,996 units reported represent 200% of teh target award, which is the maximum number of units that may be earned.

Remarks:

PRESIDENT, MAIDEN REINSURANCE COMPANY and MAIDEN SPECIALTY INSURANCE COMPANY

<u>/s/ Karen Schmitt</u> <u>02/20/2014</u>

** 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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