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): August 4, 2010

MAIDEN HOLDINGS, LTD.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Bermuda

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

001-34042

(Commission File Number)

98-0570192

(IRS Employer Identification No.)

131 Front Street, Hamilton HM12, Bermuda

(Address of principal executive offices and zip code)

(441) 292-7090

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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:

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- o Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
- o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Item 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On August 4, 2010, Maiden Holdings, Ltd. issued a press release announcing its results of operations for the second quarter ended June 30, 2010. A copy of the press release is hereby furnished to the Commission and incorporated by reference herein as Exhibit 99.1.

Item 8.01 Other Events.

On August 4, 2010, Maiden Holdings, Ltd. also issued a press release announcing a quarterly cash dividend of \$0.065 per share of common stock payable on October 15, 2010 to shareholders of record as of October 1, 2010. A copy of the press release is hereby filed with the Commission and incorporated by reference herein as Exhibit 99.2.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits

Exhibit <u>No.</u>	Description
99.1	Press Release of Maiden Holdings, Ltd., dated August 4, 2010.
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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: August 4, 2010

MAIDEN HOLDINGS, LTD.

By: /s/ Lawrence F. Metz

Lawrence F. Metz Senior Vice President, General Counsel and Secretary

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Maiden Holdings, Ltd. Reports Second Quarter Net Income of \$18.6 Million and Operating Earnings of \$21.2 Million

Book Value of \$10.31 per Share Up 7.2% Since Year-End 2009

Second Quarter 2010 Financial Highlights

- Net income of \$18.6 million up 14.7% from second quarter 2009; EPS of \$0.26
 - Results include \$1.0 million, or \$0.01 per share, of non-recurring acquisition costs
- Record net operating earnings $^{(1)}$ of \$21.2 million compared with \$14.0 million in second quarter of 2009; Operating EPS $^{(1)}$ of \$0.30
- Income from operations totaled \$29.9 million up 21.4% from second quarter 2009
- Net earned premium of \$283.8 million increased 26.8% from second quarter of 2009
- Net investment income of \$18.9 million up 24.9% from second quarter 2009
- Annualized return on equity of 10.4% and operating return on equity⁽¹⁾ of 11.9%
- Combined ratio of 96.3% compared with 96.4% in the second quarter of 2009
- · GMAC International Insurance Services, Ltd. transaction expected to close by end of third quarter

HAMILTON, Bermuda - Maiden Holdings, Ltd. (Nasdaq: MHLD) today reported second quarter 2010 net income of \$18.6 million, up 15% from \$16.3 million in the second quarter of 2009. Earnings per diluted share of \$0.26 increased 13% from \$0.23 in the second quarter of 2009. Operating earnings ⁽¹⁾ for the quarter totaled \$21.2 million, or \$0.30 per diluted share, compared with \$14.0 million, or \$0.20 per diluted share in the second quarter of 2009.

For the first half of 2010, net income totaled \$32.2 million, up 9.7% from the first half of 2009. Earnings per diluted share of \$0.46 increased 9.5% from \$0.42 in the first half of 2009. Operating earnings (1) for the first half of 2010 of \$37.4 million, or \$0.53 per diluted share, compared with \$30.8 million, or \$0.44 per diluted share in the first half of 2009.

"We continued to strengthen the overall earnings power of Maiden Holdings in the second quarter, and delivered both increased investment income and solid underwriting performance." said Art Raschbaum, President and CEO of Maiden Holdings, Ltd. "We grew operating earnings by over fifty percent compared with the second quarter of last year, reflecting an increase of over twenty-five percent in both earned premium and investment income. At the same time, we maintained our commitment to strong underwriting and pricing discipline as evidenced by this quarter's combined ratio of 96.3 percent. Importantly, consistent with Maiden's strategy of producing stable underwriting results by focusing on lower volatility business and de-emphasizing catastrophic risk, we have avoided losses from the large industry events such as the Chilean earthquake and the Deepwater Horizon oil spill."

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Raschbaum continued, "These positive results reflect continued underwriting discipline in a competitive market and the benefit of strong relationships across our platform in both the U.S and Bermuda, including strategic relationships such as our recent partnership with ACAC. We continue to leverage our competitive strengths which include our highly efficient operating platform, our specialist approach to serving the needs of regional and specialty insurers, and the exceptional reinsurance security provided by our unique collateral trust."

Raschbaum added, "We remain on track to achieve our business objectives as we look toward the second half of the year and beyond and continue to focus on prudently growing the investment portfolio and investment income. We look forward to the enhanced revenue streams, greater diversity and longer-term opportunities we'll gain from the recently announced GMAC International Insurance Services, Inc. transaction. I'm very proud of the continued diligence of the entire Maiden team and the great progress we have made over the first half of the year toward continuing to strengthen and enhance our diversified relationship model and build enduring value for the long-term."

Shareholders' equity of \$724.8 million grew 7.1% from year end 2009 and book value per share (1) increased 7.2% to \$10.31 from \$9.62 at year end 2009.

The company expects the proposed GMAC International Insurance Services, Inc. transaction to close by the end of the third quarter.

Second Quarter 2010 Results:

Net written premium totaled \$313.1 million compared with \$238.4 million in the second quarter of 2009. Net earned premium of \$283.8 million increased 26.8% from \$223.8 million for the same period last year.

Net investment income of \$18.9 million grew 24.9% from \$15.1 million in the second quarter of 2009.

Loss and loss adjustment expenses of \$175.4 million rose \$24.3 million from \$151.1 million in the second quarter of 2009. Results reflected a loss ratio of 61.8% compared with 67.5% for the same period a year ago.

Commission and other acquisition expenses together with general and administrative expenses of \$97.9 million increased \$33.1 million from the year ago quarter and reflected a total expense ratio of 34.5% compared with 28.9%. General and administrative expenses for the quarter totaled \$9.5 million compared with \$7.1 million in the second quarter of 2009.

These results reflected a general and administrative expense ratio of 3.3% compared to 3.1% in the second quarter of 2009.

The combined ratio for the second quarter totaled 96.3% compared with 96.4% in the second quarter of 2009.

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Income from operations⁽¹⁾ of \$29.9 million increased \$5.3 million, or 21.4%, from \$24.6 million in the second quarter of 2009.

Total assets of \$2.8 billion increased 7.6% from \$2.6 billion from year end 2009. Total investable assets of \$2.2 billion which include total investments, cash, restricted cash, cash equivalents and a loan to a related party, increased \$67.5 million from year end 2009. Shareholders' equity totaled \$724.8 million up 7.1% from \$676.5 million at year end 2009.

During the second quarter of 2010, the Board of Directors declared a dividend of \$0.065 per share.

2010 Year-to-Date Results:

Net written premium of \$624.3 million increased 8.6% from \$574.9 million during the first half of 2009. Net earned premium of \$547.7 million grew 113.8 million, or 26.2%, from \$433.9 million for the same period last year.

Net investment income of \$36.5 million increased 24.1% from \$29.4 million in the first six months of 2009.

Loss and loss adjustment expenses of \$345.6 million rose \$48.3 million from \$297.3 million in the first half of 2009. Results reflected a loss ratio of 63.1% compared with 68.5% for the same period a year ago.

Commission and other acquisition expenses together with general and administrative expenses of \$183.9 million increased \$64.9 million from the first half of last year and reflected a total expense ratio of 33.6% compared with 27.4%. General and administrative expenses for the period totaled \$18.0 million compared with \$14.7 million. These results reflected a general and administrative expense ratio of 3.3% compared to 3.4% in the first half of 2009.

The combined ratio) for the second quarter totaled 96.7% compared with 95.9% in the first half of 2009.

Income from operations of \$55.5 million increased \$8.9 million, or 19.1%, from \$46.6 million in the first six months of 2009.

(1)Please see the Non-GAAP Financial Measures table at the end of this release for additional information on these non-GAAP financial measures and reconciliation of these measures to GAAP measures.

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Conference Call

Maiden CEO Art Raschbaum and CFO John Marshaleck will review these results tomorrow morning via teleconference and live audio webcast beginning at 10:00 a.m. AT (9:00 a.m. ET). To participate please access one of the following no later than 9:55 a.m. AT (8:55 a.m. ET):

1.877.734.5373 for U.S. callers

1. 973.200.3059 for callers outside the U.S.

Webcast: http://www.maiden.bm/presentations_conferences

A replay of the conference call will be available beginning at 1:00 p.m. AT (12:00 p.m. ET), August 5, 2010 through midnight on August 12, 2010. To listen to the replay please dial toll free: 1.800.642.1687 (U.S. callers) or toll 1.706.645.9291 (callers outside the U.S.) and enter the Passcode: 88058907; or access http://www.maiden.bm/presentations_conferences.

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About Maiden Holdings, Ltd.

Maiden Holdings, Ltd. is a Bermuda-based holding company formed in 2007. Through our subsidiaries which are each A- rated (excellent) by A.M. Best, we are focused on providing non-catastrophic, customized reinsurance products and services, to small and mid-size insurance companies in the United States and Europe. As of March 31, 2010, the company had \$2.7 billion in assets and total capital of \$925 million including shareholders' equity of \$710 million.

Forward Looking Statements

This release contains "forward-looking statements" which are made pursuant to the safe harbor provisions of the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. The forward-looking statements are based on the Company's current expectations and beliefs concerning future developments and their potential effects on the Company. There can be no assurance that actual developments will be those anticipated by the Company. Actual results may differ materially from those projected as a result of significant risks and uncertainties, including non-receipt of the expected payments, changes in interest rates, effect of the performance of financial markets on investment income and fair values of investments, developments of claims and the effect on loss reserves, accuracy in projecting loss reserves, the impact of competition and pricing environments, changes in the demand for the Company's products, the effect of general economic conditions, adverse state and federal legislation, regulations and regulatory investigations into industry practices, developments relating to existing agreements, heightened competition, changes in pricing environments, and changes in asset valuations. Additional information about these risks and uncertainties, as well as others that may cause actual results to differ materially from those projected is contained in Item 1A. Risk Factors in the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2009 as updated in periodic filings with the SEC. The Company undertakes no obligation to publicly update any forward-looking statements, except as may be required by law.

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Maiden Holdings, Ltd. Balance Sheet (in thousands (000's), except per share data)

		5/30/2010 Jnaudited)		2/31/2009 (Audited)
Assets				
Fixed maturities, available-for-sale, at fair value (amortized cost \$1,576,293; \$1,623,382)	\$	1,633,906	\$	1,661,692
Other investments, at fair value (cost \$5,801; \$5,684)		5,677		5,549
Total investments		1,639,583		1,667,241
Cash and cash equivalents		179,063		107,396
Restricted cash and cash equivalents		168,396		144,944
Accrued investment income		13,643		11,405
Reinsurance balances receivable, net		271,199		208,495
Prepaid reinsurance		31,762		28,752
Losses recoverable on unpaid losses		12,144		11,984
Loan to related party		167,975		167,975
Deferred commission and other acquisition costs		196,912		172,983
Other assets		54,855		11,818
Intangible assets, net		48,380		51,284
Goodwill		52,617		52,617
Total Assets	\$	2,836,529	\$	2,636,894
Liabilities and Shareholders' Equity				
Liabilities				
Reserve for loss and loss adjustment expenses	\$	1,077,084	\$	1,006,320
Unearned premiums		664,685		583,478
Accrued expenses and other liabilities		83,843		60,044
Securities sold under agreements to repurchase, at contract value		70,972		95,401
Junior subordinated debt		215,156		215,125
Total Liabilities		2,111,740		1,960,368
Shareholders' Equity:				
Common shares		713		713
Additional paid-in capital		576,539		576,086
Accumulated other comprehensive income		57,489		32,747
Retained earnings		93,849		70,781
Treasury stock, at cost		(3,801)		(3,801)
Total Shareholders' Equity		724,789		676,526
Total Liabilities and Shareholders' Equity	\$	2,836,529	\$	2,636,894
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Dook value per chare	¢	10.31	\$	9.62
Book value per share	\$	10.31	Þ	9.02
Common shares outstanding		70,292,101		70,291,289

Maiden Holdings, Ltd. Income Statement (in thousands (000's), except per share data) (Unaudited)

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\$	334,784	\$	238,356	\$	662,166	\$	574,905	
\$	313,050	\$	238,356	\$	624,341	\$	574,905	
	(29,266)		(14,515)		(76,628)		(140,972)	
	283,784		223,841		547,713		433,933	
	18,875		15,113		36,456		29,372	
	535		1,534		847		(396)	
	303,194		240,488		585,016		462,909	
	175,354		151,057		345,639		297,345	
	88,447		57,664		165,843		104,295	
	9,484		7,133		18,036		14,667	
	273,285		215,854		529,518		416,307	
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\$	0.27	\$	0.23	\$	0.46	\$	0.43	
\$	0.26	\$	0.23	\$	0.46	\$	0.42	
\$	0.30	\$	0.20	\$	0.53	\$	0.45	
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Maiden Holdings, Ltd. Supplemental Financial Data - Segment Information (in thousands (000's)) (Unaudited)

For the three months ended June 30, 2010		versified insurance		AmTrust ıota Share		CAC ta Share		Total	
Net premiums written	\$	136,709	\$	109,123	\$	67,218	\$	313,050	
Net premiums earned		161,779		101,664		20,341		283,784	
Net losses and loss expenses		(99,218)		(63,423)		(12,713)		(175,354)	
Commissions and other acquisition costs		(48,386)		(33,090)		(6,971)		(88,447)	
General and administrative expenses		(5,726)		(598)		_		(6,324)	
Underwriting income	\$	8,449	\$	4,553	\$	657	\$	13,659	
Reconciliation to net income									
Net investment income and realized and unrealized investment gains (losses)								19,410	
Amortization of intangible assets								(1,452)	
Foreign exchange loss								(414)	
Subordinated debt interest expense								(9,116)	
Other operating expenses								(3,160)	
Net Income before income taxes							\$	18,927	
Net loss and loss expense ratio*		61.3%		62.4%		62.5%		61.8%	
Acquisition cost ratio**		29.9%		32.5%		34.3%		31.2%	
General and administrative expense ratio***		3.5%		0.6%		<u> </u>	_	3.3%	
Combined ratio****		94.7%		95.5 _%		96.8%		96.3%	
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Net premiums written		148,553				<u></u>	\$	238,356 223,841	
Net premiums written Net premiums earned		148,553 136,214		89,803 87,627		<u>—</u> — — — — — — — — — — — — — — — — — —	\$	238,356	
Net premiums written Net premiums earned Net losses and loss expenses		148,553 136,214 (94,570)		89,803 87,627 (56,487)		<u> </u>	\$	238,356 223,841 (151,057)	
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Combined ratio****

^{*} Calculated by dividing net losses and loss expenses by net earned premium.

^{**} Calculated by dividing commission and other acquisition expenses by net earned premium

^{***} Calculated by dividing general and administrative expenses by net earned premium.

^{****} Calculated by adding together net loss and loss expense ratio, acquisition cost ratio and general and administrative expense ratio.

Maiden Holdings, Ltd. Supplemental Financial Data - Segment Information (in thousands (000's)) (Unaudited)

	Dive	rsified	A	AmTrust	Α	CAC		
For the six months ended June 30, 2010		surance		ıota Share		ta Share		Total
Net premiums written	\$	304,623	\$	230,679	\$	89,039	\$	624,341
Net premiums earned	Ψ	312,959	Ψ	212,323	<u> </u>	22,431	Ψ	547,713
Net losses and loss expenses		(198,635)		(132,985)		(14,019)		(345,639)
Commissions and other acquisition costs		(88,900)		(69,238)		(7,705)		(165,843)
General and administrative expenses		(11,598)		(1,072)		(,,, 05)		(12,670)
Underwriting income	\$	13,826	\$	9,028	\$	707	\$	23,561
Reconciliation to net income								
Net investment income and realized and unrealized investment								
gains (losses)								37,303
Amortization of intangible assets								(2,904)
Foreign exchange loss								(1,567)
Subordinated debt interest expense								(18,231)
Other operating expenses								(5,366)
Net Income before income taxes							\$	32,796
Net income before income taxes							Ψ	32,730
Net loss and loss expense ratio*		63.5%		62.6%		62.5%		63.1%
Acquisition cost ratio**		28.4%		32.6%		34.3%		30.3%
General and administrative expense ratio***		3.7%		0.5%		—%		3.3%
Combined ratio****		95.6%		95.7%		96.8%		96.7%
Combined ratio		33.0 /0		33.7		<u> </u>		30.7
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For the six months ended June 30, 2009	Reir	nsurance	Q	uota Share	Que	ACAC ota Share		Total
Net premiums written		399,731		Quota Share 175,174			\$	574,905
Net premiums written Net premiums earned	Reir	399,731 253,884	Q	175,174 180,049	Que		\$	574,905 433,933
Net premiums written Net premiums earned Net losses and loss expenses	Reir	399,731 253,884 (183,585)	Q	175,174 180,049 (113,760)	Que		\$	574,905 433,933 (297,345)
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Net premiums written Net premiums earned Net losses and loss expenses Commissions and other acquisition costs General and administrative expenses Underwriting income Reconciliation to net income Net investment income and realized gain (loss)	Rein \$	399,731 253,884 (183,585) (45,172) (9,815)	Q \$	175,174 180,049 (113,760) (59,123) (1,061)	Quo \$			574,905 433,933 (297,345) (104,295) (10,876) 21,417
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Combined ratio****

^{*} Calculated by dividing net losses and loss expenses by net earned premium.

^{**} Calculated by dividing commission and other acquisition expenses by net earned premium

^{***} Calculated by dividing general and administrative expenses by net earned premium.

^{****} Calculated by adding together net loss and loss expense ratio, acquisition cost ratio and general and administrative expense ratio.

Maiden Holdings, Ltd. Non - GAAP Financial Measure (in thousands (000's), except per share data) (Unaudited)

	For the Three Months Ended June 30, 2010		For the Three Months Ended June 30, 2009		For the Six Months Ended June 30, 2010		For the Six Months Ended June 30, 2009
Reconciliation of net income to net operating							
earnings:							
Net income	\$	18,637	\$ 16,251	\$	32,206	\$	29,352
Add (subtract)							
Net realized investment (gains) losses		(535)	(1,534)		(847)		396
Foreign exchange and other losses (gains)		414	(2,404)		1,567		(2,191)
Amortization of intangible assets		1,452	1,675		2,904		3,239
Non-recurring general and administrative expenses							
relating to acquisition of GMAC International							
Insurance		981	-		981		-
Non-cash deferred tax charge		290	<u> </u>		590		<u>-</u>
Operating earnings (1)	\$	21,239	\$ 13,988	\$	37,401	\$	30,796
Operating earnings per common share:							
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Basic earnings per share	\$	0.30	\$ 0.20	\$	0.53	\$	0.45
Diluted earnings per share	\$	0.30	\$ 0.20	\$	0.53	\$	0.44
Reconciliation of net income to income from operations:							
Net income	\$	18,637	\$ 16,251	\$	32,206	\$	29,352
Add (subtract)							
Foreign exchange and other losses (gains)		414	(2,404)		1,567		(2,191)
Amortization of intangibles		1,452	1,675		2,904		3,239
Subordinated debt interest expense		9,116	9,112		18,231		16,202
Non-cash deferred tax charge		290	-		590		-
Income from operations (2)	\$	29,909	\$ 24,634	\$	55,498	\$	46,602

(1) Net operating earnings is a non-GAAP financial measure defined by the Company as net income excluding realized investment gains and losses, foreign exchange and other gains and losses, amortization of intangible assets, non-recurring general and administrative expenses relating to acquisition, and non-cash deferred tax charge and should not be considered as an alternative to net income. The Company's management believes that net operating earnings is a useful indicator of trends in the Company's underlying operations. The Company's measure of net operating earnings may not be comparable to similarly titled measures used by other companies.

(2) Income from Operations is a non-GAAP financial measure defined by the Company as net income excluding foreign exchange and other gains and losses, amortization of intangible assets, subordinated debt interest expense and non-cash deferred tax charge and should not be considered as an alternative to net income. The Company's management believes that income from operations is a useful measure of the Company's underlying earnings fundamentals based on its underwriting and investment income before financing costs. This income from operations enables readers of this information to more clearly understand the essential operating results of the Company. The Company's measure of income from operations may not be comparable to similarly titled measures used by other companies.

Maiden Holdings, Ltd. Announces Quarterly Dividend

HAMILTON, Bermuda - Maiden Holdings, Ltd. (Nasdaq: MHLD) today announced that the Board of Directors approved a quarterly cash dividend of \$0.065 per share of common stock. The dividend is payable on October 15, 2010 to shareholders of record as of October 1, 2010.

About Maiden Holdings, Ltd.

Maiden Holdings, Ltd. is a Bermuda-based holding company formed in 2007. Through our subsidiaries which are each A- rated (excellent) by A.M. Best, we are focused on providing non-catastrophic, customized reinsurance products and services, to small and mid-size insurance companies in the United States and Europe. As of March 31, 2010, the company had \$2.7 billion in assets and total capital of \$925 million including shareholders' equity of \$710 million.

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