

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>LYONS SIMCHA G</u>  (Last) (First) (Middle) <u>C/O MAIDEN HOLDINGS LTD.</u> <u>131 FRONT STREET, 2ND FLOOR</u>  (Street) <u>HAMILTON D0 HM12</u>  (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>Maiden Holdings, Ltd. [ MHLDD ]</u>	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director 10% Owner  Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) <u>06/01/2012</u>	

**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								36,505	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					
Options (right to buy)	\$10							(1)	07/03/2017	Common Stock	12,000	0	D	
Options (right to buy)	\$6.92							(2)	06/26/2008	Common Stock	6,000	0	D	
Options (right to buy)	\$5.11							(3)	05/31/2009	Common Stock	6,000	0	D	
Options (right to buy)	\$6.94							(4)	05/31/2020	Common Shares	6,000	0	D	
Options (right to buy)	\$9.4							(5)	05/31/2021	Common Shares	6,000	0	D	
Options (right to buy)	\$8.14	06/01/2012		A		6,000		(6)	05/31/2022	Common Shares	6,000	\$0	42,000	D

**Explanation of Responses:**

- The Stock Options fully vested on July 3, 2008.
- The Stock Options fully vested on June 26, 2009.
- The Stock Options fully vested on June 1, 2010.
- The Stock Options fully vested on June 1, 2011.
- The Stock Options fully vested on June 1, 2012.
- The Stock Options will vest on June 1, 2013.

/s/ Simcha G. Lyons

06/01/2012

\*\* 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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