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hereunder is not deemed to be "filed" for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, is not otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section and is not incorporated by reference into any filing under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, or the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, except as shall be expressly set forth by specific reference in such a filing.

SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, Platinum Underwriters Holdings, Ltd. has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

PLATINUM UNDERWRITERS
HOLDINGS, LTD.

By: /s/ Michael E. Lombardozzi

Michael E. Lombardozzi
Executive Vice President, General
Counsel and Secretary

Date: August 4, 2004

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| Exhibit Number ----- | Description ----- |
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| 99.1 | Press release dated August 4, 2004 |
| 99.2 | Financial Supplement |