

RENAISSANCERE HOLDINGS LTD  
Form 8-K  
July 11, 2005  
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): July 11, 2005

RenaissanceRe Holdings Ltd.

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(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Bermuda  
(State or other jurisdiction  
of incorporation)

34-0-26512  
(Commission File  
Number)

98-014-1974  
(IRS Employer  
Identification  
No.)

Renaissance House  
8-20 East Broadway, Pembroke  
Bermuda  
(Address of principal executive offices)

HM 19  
(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (441) 295-4513

Not Applicable

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(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

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:

- Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
- Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Item 8.01. Other Events.

On July 11, 2005, RenaissanceRe Holdings Ltd. (the "Company") issued a press release, which is attached as Exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K and is incorporated herein by reference.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(c) Exhibits.

The following exhibits are filed as part of this report:

| Exhibit # | Description  |
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| 99.1      | Copy of the Company's press release, issued July 11, 2005. |

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SIGNATURES

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

RENAISSANCERE HOLDINGS LTD.

Date: July 11, 2005

By: /s/ Stephen H. Weinstein

Name: Stephen H. Weinstein  
Title: General Counsel, Corporate  
Secretary & Chief Compliance Officer

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