Edgar Filing: Maiden Holdings, Ltd. - Form 8-A12B

Maiden Holdings, Ltd. Form 8-A12B November 25, 2015

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 8-A

FOR REGISTRATION OF CERTAIN CLASSES OF SECURITIES PURSUANT TO SECTION 12(b) OR (g) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

Maiden Holdings, Ltd.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Bermuda 98-0570192

(State of incorporation or organization) (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

131 Front Street, 2nd Floor Hamilton HM12 Bermuda

(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

Title of each class
to be so registered

Maiden Holdings, Ltd. 7.125% Non-Cumulative Preference Shares, Series C

Name of each exchange on which each class is to be registered

New York Stock Exchange LLC

If this form relates to the registration of a class of securities pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Exchange Act and is effective pursuant to General Instruction A.(c), check the following box. x

If this form relates to the registration of a class of securities pursuant to Section 12(g) of the Exchange Act and is effective pursuant to General Instruction A.(d), check the following box.

Securities Act registration statement file number to which this form relates: 333-207904 and 333-207904-01

Edgar Filing: Maiden Holdings, Ltd. - Form 8-A12B

Securities to be registered pursuant to Section 12(g) of the Act:

None (Title of class)

Item 1. Description of Registrants' Securities to be Registered.

For a description of the securities to be registered hereunder, reference is made to the information set forth under the heading "Description of the Series C Preference Shares" in the Registrant's Prospectus Supplement, dated November 18, 2015, to the Prospectus, dated November 9, 2015, which constitutes a part of the Registrant's Registration Statement on Form S-3 (File No. 333-207904), filed under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, which information is hereby incorporated herein by reference.

Item 2. Exhibits.

Exhibit

Memorandum of Association of Maiden Holdings, Ltd. (Incorporated by reference to the filing of such exhibit with the Registrant's Registration Statement on Form S-8 filed with the SEC on May 18, 2010 (File No. 333-166934)). Bye-laws of Maiden Holdings, Ltd. (Incorporated by reference to the filing of such exhibit with the Registrant's Registration Statement on Form S-1 initially filed with the SEC on September 18, 2007, subsequently amended and declared effective May 6, 2008 (File No. 333-146137)).

- Certificate of Designations of 7.125% Non-Cumulative Preference Shares, Series C (Incorporated by reference to the Current Report on Form 8-K of Maiden Holdings, Ltd. (File No. 001-34042), as filed with the SEC on November 25, 2015).
- Specimen 7.125% Non-Cumulative Preference Shares, Series C, share certificate (Incorporated by reference to the Current Report on Form 8-K of Maiden Holdings, Ltd. (File No. 001-34042), as filed with the SEC on November 25, 2015).

2

Edgar Filing: Maiden Holdings, Ltd. - Form 8-A12B

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of Section 12 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, the Registrant has duly caused this registration statement to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

Dated: November 25, 2015

Maiden Holdings, Ltd.

By:/s/ Lawrence F. Metz Lawrence F. Metz Senior Vice President, General Counsel and Secretary

3