

NEFF RAYMOND MICHAEL

Form 3

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FORM 3**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
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response... 0.5**INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
SECURITIES**Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934,
Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section
30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting
Person *Â NEFF RAYMOND
MICHAEL

(Last) (First) (Middle)

MAIDEN HOLDINGS,
LTD.,Â 48 PAR-LA-VILLE
ROAD, SUITE 1141

(Street)

HAMILTON,Â D0Â HM 11

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Date of Event Requiring
Statement(Month/Day/Year)
05/06/20083. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading Symbol
Maiden Holdings, Ltd. [MHL D]4. Relationship of Reporting
Person(s) to Issuer5. If Amendment, Date Original
Filed(Month/Day/Year)

(Check all applicable)

☒ Director ☐ 10% Owner
☐ Officer ☐ Other
(give title below) (specify below)6. Individual or Joint/Group
Filing(Check Applicable Line)
☒ Form filed by One Reporting
Person
☐ Form filed by More than One
Reporting Person**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned**1. Title of Security
(Instr. 4)2. Amount of Securities
Beneficially Owned
(Instr. 4)3. Ownership
Form:
Direct (D)
or Indirect
(I)
(Instr. 5)4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial
Ownership
(Instr. 5)

Common Shares

50,000

D Â

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially
owned directly or indirectly.

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(Instr. 4)2. Date Exercisable and
Expiration Date
(Month/Day/Year)3. Title and Amount of
Securities Underlying
Derivative Security4. Conversion
or Exercise5. Ownership
Form of6. Nature of Indirect
Beneficial Ownership
(Instr. 5)

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Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	(Instr. 4)		Price of Derivative Security	Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)
		Title	Amount or Number of Shares		
Options (right to buy)	07/03/2017	Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	12,000	\$ 10	D

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
NEFF RAYMOND MICHAEL MAIDEN HOLDINGS, LTD. 48 PAR-LA-VILLE ROAD, SUITE 1141 HAMILTON, ONTARIO L8M 1H1	X			

Signatures

/s/ Raymond M. Neff,
Director

05/06/2008

____Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(b)(v).

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(1) The Stock Options were granted pursuant to the 2007 share incentive plan on July 3, 2007 and will vest 100% on July 3, 2008.

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