Haveron Patrick J Form 4 February 20, 2018

FORM 4

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

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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1(b).

(Last)

(City)

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Haveron Patrick J

> (First) (Middle)

C/O MAIDEN HOLDINGS. LTD., IDEATION HOUSE, 2ND FL, 94 PITTS BAY RD.

(State)

(Street)

(Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

Maiden Holdings, Ltd. [MHLD]

(Month/Day/Year) 02/17/2018

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

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10% Owner

Other (specify

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Applicable Line)

Director

X_ Officer (give title

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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

Issuer

below)

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		Table 1 Troit Delivative Securities Required, Disposed bi, of Deficiently Switch								
1.Title of	2. Transaction Date	2A. Deemed	3.	4. Securities Acquired		5. Amount of	6. Ownership	7. Nature of		
Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transactio	on(A) or Disposed of (D)			Securities	Form: Direct	Indirect	
(Instr. 3)		any	Code	4. Securities tion(A) or Dispose (D)) (Instr. 3, 4 and (A) V Amount (I) 3,163 (1) 12,630			Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial	
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		Owned	Indirect (I)	Ownership		
						Following	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)		
					()		Reported			
					(A)		Transaction(s)			
			$\alpha + \alpha$	A	or	ъ.	(Instr. 3 and 4)			
~			Code V		(D)	Price				
Common	02/17/2018		M		Δ	\$0	96,690	D		
Shares	02/11/2010		141	(1)	11	ΨΟ	70,070	Ъ		
				10 (00						
Common	02/19/2018		M	· ·	Α	\$ 0	109,320	D		
Shares	02/17/2010		141	(2)	<i>1</i> 1	ΨΟ	107,520	D		

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

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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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amo Underlying Secu (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	An or Nu of
Performance-based Restricted Share Units	(3)	02/19/2018		A	72,222	<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Common Shares	72

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Haveron Patrick J C/O MAIDEN HOLDINGS, LTD. IDEATION HOUSE, 2ND FL, 94 PITTS BAY RD. PEMBROKE, D0 HM08

See Remarks

Signatures

/s/ Patrick J. 02/20/2018 Haveron

**Signature of Date
Reporting Person

Explanation of Responses:

- * 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).
- (1) Acquisition of common shares resulting from the vesting of one-third of the restricted share units granted pursuant to the Amended and Restated 2007 Share Incentive Plan (the "Plan") to Mr. Haveron in February 2015.
- (2) Represents the vesting of performance based restricted share units granted pursuant to the Plan on February 21, 2015.
- (3) The restricted share units were issued pursuant to the Plan. Each restricted share unit represents a contingent right to receive one common share of the Registrant.
 - The restricted share units shall be settled in common shares or, at the discretion of the Compensation Committee, an amount in cash equal to the fair market value of the shares, and shall be settled shortly after the Committee certifies the attainment of performance goals (the
- (4) "settlement date"), but in no event later than 2 1/2 months after the expiration of the performance period. The units are forfeited if the reporting person's employment is terminated prior to the settlement date. Certain special terms apply in the event of death, disability or a change of control.
- (5) The reporting person received restricted share units that shall vest based (i) 50% upon the achievement of performance criteria relating to return on equity, underwriting performance, revenue growth and operating expense during the performance period from January 1, 2018 to December 31, 2020, and (ii) 50% upon individual performance as evaluated by the Compensation Committee. The recipient received a

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target award of 36,111 restricted share units, and 0 to 200% of such target award may vest depending upon the degree to which the performance targets are met. The 72,222 units reported represent 200% of the target award, which is the maximum number of units that may be earned.

Remarks:

President, Maiden Reinsurance Ltd.

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