

Cloutier Guy
Form 4
November 16, 2010

FORM 4

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

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1(b).

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

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Cloutier Guy

(Last) (First) (Middle)

44 CHURCH STREET, P.O. BOX
HM2064

(Street)

HAMILTON, D0 HM 11

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol
AMERICAN SAFETY
INSURANCE HOLDINGS LTD
[ASI]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
11/16/2010

4. If Amendment, Date Original
Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

____ Director ____ 10% Owner
☒ Officer (give title below) ____ Other (specify
below) below)
Chief Actuary

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 Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	11/16/2010	11/16/2010	A	(A) or (D) Amount 5,621 (1) Price \$ 9.1	57,850	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)**

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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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8.
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (Right To Buy)	\$ 19.55					03/17/2012 ⁽²⁾ 03/17/2017	Common Stock	5,000 ⁽²⁾
Stock Option (Right To Buy)	\$ 17.95					03/01/2009 ⁽³⁾ 03/01/2018	Common Stock	2,500 ⁽³⁾
Stock Option (Right To Buy)	\$ 9.1					03/09/2010 ⁽⁴⁾ 03/09/2019	Common Stock	11,241 ⁽⁴⁾
Stock Option (Right To Buy)	\$ 14.34					03/05/2011 ⁽³⁾ 03/05/2020	Common Stock	10,941 ⁽³⁾

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Cloutier Guy 44 CHURCH STREET P.O. BOX HM2064 HAMILTON, D0 HM 11			Chief Actuary	

Signatures

Guy Cloutier
11/16/2010

 **Signature of
Reporting Person

 Date

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) Exercised portion of option granted on 3/9/2009.
- (2) Options awarded pursuant to the Company's 2007 Incentive Stock Option Plan. These options have a three-year vesting schedule, pursuant to which the shares underlying the options shall cliff vest on the 5th anniversary of the date of grant. The date shown is the date the first vested number of shares becomes/became exercisable.
- (3) Options awarded pursuant to the Company's 2007 Incentive Stock Option Plan. These options have a three-year vesting schedule, pursuant to which the shares underlying the options shall vest in one-third increments commencing one year after the date of grant. The date shown is the date the first vested number of shares becomes/became exercisable.
- (4) Options awarded pursuant to the Company's 2007 Incentive Stock Option Plan. These options have a three-year vesting schedule, pursuant to which the shares underlying the options shall vest in one-third increments commencing one year after the date of grant. The date shown is the date the first vested number of shares becomes/became exercisable. 5,621 options were exercised on 11/16/2010 of 16,862 originally issued.

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