

PLATINUM UNDERWRITERS HOLDINGS LTD

Form 8-K

September 20, 2004

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**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) September 20, 2004

Platinum Underwriters Holdings, Ltd.
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Bermuda
(State or other jurisdiction of
incorporation or organization)

001-31341
(Commission File Number)

98-0416483
(IRS Employer
Identification No.)

**The Belvedere Building
69 Pitts Bay Road
Pembroke, Bermuda**
(Address of principal executive offices)

HM 08
(Zip Code)

(441) 295-7195
(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

N/A
(Former name or 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:

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Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))

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Item 7.01. Regulation FD Disclosure.

The slides attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1, which are incorporated in this Item 7.01 by reference thereto, will be utilized in presentations to analysts and investors during the week beginning Monday, September 20, 2004 and are furnished pursuant to Regulation FD.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(c) Exhibits.

Exhibit 99.1 Slides for presentation to analysts and investors.

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SIGNATURE

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

PLATINUM UNDERWRITERS HOLDINGS, LTD.

By: /s/ Michael E. Lombardozzi

Michael E. Lombardozzi
Executive Vice President,
General Counsel and Secretary

Date: September 20, 2004

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Description

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