ASPEN INSURANCE HOLDINGS LTD Form 8-K May 03, 2011

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, DC 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): May 3, 2011
ASPEN INSURANCE HOLDINGS LIMITED

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Bermuda

001-31909

Not Applicable

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

(Commission File Number)

(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

Maxwell Roberts Building 1 Church Street Hamilton HM 11

Bermuda

(Address of principal executive offices)

(Zip Code)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code: (441) 295-8201

Not Applicable

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

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Section 5 Corporate Governance

Item 5.07 Submission of Matters to a Vote of Security Holders

On April 28, 2011, Aspen Insurance Holdings Limited held its annual general meeting. Proxies were solicited by our management in connection with our 2011 Annual General Meeting. The voting results are set out below and there were no broker non-votes.

(1) Proposal regarding the approval of the compensation of the Company s Named Executive Officers, as disclosed in our report on Form 10-K, filed on February 25, 2011, as part of the non-binding advisory vote for Say-On-Pay.

			Votes	Votes
		Votes For	Against	Abstained
Approval of Named Executive Officers	Compensation	59,339,451	3,432,301	1,155,270

(2) Proposal regarding the re-election of Messrs. Christopher O Kane, John Cavoores, Liaquat Ahamed, and Ms. Heidi Hutter and the election of Mr. Albert Beer as Class I directors of the Company until 2014.

		Votes
Nominee	Votes For	Withheld
Christopher O Kane	60,961,270	2,965,752
John Cavoores	60,961,279	2,965,743
Liaquat Ahamed	43,875,876	20,051,146
Heidi Hutter	61,686,231	2,240,791
Albert Beer	62,876,794	1,050,228

(3) Proposal regarding the Appointment of the Company s Independent Registered Public Accounting Firm. At the 2011 Annual General Meeting, the Shareholders voted to approve the appointment of KPMG Audit Plc (KPMG) as our independent registered public accounting firm for the fiscal year ending December 31, 2011, and have authorized the Company s Board of Directors through the Audit Committee to set their remuneration.

		Votes Against	Votes Abstained
	Votes For		
KPMG	63,633,589	287,683	5,750

(4) Proposal regarding the approval of the 2011 Share Incentive Plan

At the 2011 Annual General Meeting, the Shareholders voted to approve the 2011 Share Incentive Plan. The 2011 Share Incentive Plan was not approved.

		Votes	Votes
	Votes For	Against	Abstained
Approval of 2011 Share Incentive Plan	25,430,488	38,207,125	289,409

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SIGNATURES

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.

ASPEN INSURANCE HOLDINGS LIMITED

(Registrant)

Dated: May 3, 2011 By: /s/ Richard Houghton

Name: Richard Houghton Title: Chief Financial Officer

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