Greenlight Capital Re, Ltd. Form 8-K May 13, 2008

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): May 12, 2008

GREENLIGHT CAPITAL RE, LTD.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

Cayman Islands

(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)

001-33493

(Commission File Number) N/A
(IRS Employer Identification No.) 802 West Bay Road
The Grand Pavilion
P.O. Box 31110
Grand Cayman, Cayman Islands
(Address of Principal Executive Offices) KY1-1205
(Zip Code)

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(345) 943-4573

(Registrant s Telephone Number, Including Area Code)

Not Applicable

(Former Name or Former 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 (see General Instruction A.2. below):

o Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425) o Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12) o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b)) o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Item 2.02. Results of Operations and Financial Condition

On May 12, 2008, Greenlight Capital Re, Ltd. issued a press release announcing its operating results for the first quarter ended March 31, 2008. A copy of the press release is attached as Exhibit 99.1 to this Form 8-K and incorporated herein by reference.

In accordance with general instruction B.2 to Form 8-K, the information set forth in this Item 2.02 (including Exhibit 99.1) shall be deemed furnished and not filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission for the purpose of Section 18 of the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, and shall not be incorporated by reference into any filing under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits

(d) Exhibits

99.1

Press release, dated May 12, 2008.

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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.

Dated: May 12, 2008

GREENLIGHT CAPITAL RE, LTD.

By:

/s/ Tim Courtis

Tim Courtis Chief Financial Officer