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CALCULATION OF REGISTRATION FEE

Title of Each Class of Securities to Be Registered	Maximum Aggregate Offering Price(1)	Amount of Registration Fee(1)(2)
Equity Units of Assured Guaranty Ltd.	\$345,000,000	\$19,251
Stock Purchase Contracts of Assured Guaranty Ltd.		
Common Shares of Assured Guaranty Ltd.		
Debt Securities of Assured Guaranty US Holdings Inc.		
Guarantee of Debt Securities of Assured Guaranty US Holdings Inc. by Assured Guaranty Ltd.		

(1) Represents an aggregate amount of \$172.5 million of Equity Units offered hereby (including Equity Units that may be purchased by the underwriters pursuant to their option to purchase additional Equity Units to cover overallocments), and an aggregate amount of \$172.5 million of common shares (including common shares that may be purchased by the underwriters pursuant to their option to purchase additional common shares), for which consideration will be received upon settlement of the Stock Purchase Contracts.

(2) The filing fee is calculated in accordance with Rule 457(r) under the Securities Act of 1933.

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PROSPECTUS SUPPLEMENT
(To prospectus dated June 16, 2009)

3,000,000 Equity Units
(Initially Consisting of 3,000,000 Corporate Units)

Assured Guaranty Ltd.
Assured Guaranty US Holdings Inc.

The Equity Units will each have a stated amount of \$50 and will initially be in the form of Corporate Units, each of which consists of a purchase contract issued by us and, initially, a 1/20, or 5%, undivided beneficial ownership interest in \$1,000 principal amount of senior notes due June 1, 2014, issued by Assured Guaranty US Holdings Inc., which we refer to as the "notes." We will fully and unconditionally guarantee all payments on the notes.

The purchase contract will obligate you to purchase from us, no later than June 1, 2012, for a price of \$50 in cash, the following number of our common shares, subject to anti-dilution adjustments:

if the "applicable market value" of our common shares, which is the average closing price of our common shares over the 20-trading day period ending on the third trading day prior to June 1, 2012, equals or exceeds \$12.93, 3.8685 of our common shares;

if the applicable market value is less than \$12.93 but greater than \$11.00, a number of our common shares having a value, based on the applicable market value, equal to \$50; and

if the applicable market value is less than or equal to \$11.00, 4.5455 of our common shares.

The notes will initially bear interest at a rate of 8.50% per year, payable, initially, quarterly. The notes will be remarketed as described in this prospectus supplement. Following a successful remarketing, the interest rate on the notes will be reset and interest may become payable semi-annually if Assured Guaranty US Holdings Inc. so elects. In addition, following a successful remarketing, Assured Guaranty US Holdings Inc. may modify certain terms of the notes as described in this prospectus supplement.

You can create Treasury Units from Corporate Units by substituting Treasury securities for the notes, and you can recreate Corporate Units by substituting notes for the Treasury securities comprising a part of the Treasury Units.

Your ownership interest in a note or, if substituted for it, the Treasury securities or the applicable ownership interest in the Treasury portfolio, as the case may be, will be pledged to us to secure your obligation under the related purchase contract.

If there is a successful remarketing during the "period for early remarketing" described in this prospectus supplement, the notes comprising a part of the Corporate Units will be replaced by the Treasury portfolio described in this prospectus supplement.

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Neither the Corporate Units, the Treasury Units nor the notes will be listed on any national securities exchange. Our common shares are traded on the New York Stock Exchange under the symbol "AGO." The last reported sale price of our common shares on June 18, 2009 was \$11.09 per share.

Concurrently with this offering, we are offering 38,500,000 common shares (or 44,275,000 common shares if the underwriters exercise their overallotment option in full) pursuant to a separate prospectus supplement and accompanying prospectus. This Equity Units offering is not contingent upon the common shares offering, and the common shares offering is not contingent upon this equity units offering.

Investing in our Equity Units involves risks. See "Risk Factors" beginning on page S-32 of this prospectus supplement.

	Per Unit	Total
Public offering price	\$ 50.00	\$ 150,000,000
Underwriting discounts and commissions	\$1.50	\$4,500,000
Proceeds, before expenses, to Assured Guaranty Ltd	\$ 48.50	\$ 145,500,000

The underwriters may also purchase up to an additional 450,000 Equity Units at the public offering price less the underwriting discounts and commissions within a 13-day period beginning on (and including) the initial date of issuance of the Equity Units in order to cover overallotments, if any.

Neither the Securities and Exchange Commission nor any other regulatory body has approved or disapproved these securities or determined if this prospectus supplement or the accompanying prospectus is truthful or complete. Any representation to the contrary is a criminal offense. The securities are not being offered in any jurisdiction where the offer is not permitted.

The Equity Units will be ready for delivery in book-entry form only through The Depository Trust Company on or about June 24, 2009.

Sole Book-Running Manager

Merrill Lynch & Co.

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The date of this prospectus supplement is June 18, 2009.

You should rely only on the information contained or incorporated by reference in this prospectus supplement and the accompanying prospectus. We have not, and the underwriters have not, authorized anyone to provide you with different information. We are not making an offer to sell these securities in any jurisdiction where the offer or sale is not permitted. You should assume that the information contained or incorporated by reference in this prospectus supplement and the accompanying prospectus is accurate as of the date on the front of this prospectus supplement only. Our business, financial condition, results of operations and prospects may have changed since that date.

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ABOUT THIS PROSPECTUS SUPPLEMENT

This document is comprised of two parts. The first part is this prospectus supplement, which describes the specific terms of this offering of Equity Units and also adds to and updates information contained in the accompanying prospectus and the documents incorporated by reference into this prospectus supplement and the accompanying prospectus. The second part, the accompanying prospectus, gives more general information, some of which may not apply to this offering. If the description of the offering varies between this prospectus supplement and the accompanying prospectus, you should rely on the information contained in this prospectus supplement.

You should rely only on information contained in this prospectus supplement, the accompanying prospectus and the documents incorporated by reference herein and therein. We have not, and the underwriters have not, authorized anyone to provide you with information that is different. The information in this prospectus supplement and the accompanying prospectus may only be accurate as of the date of this prospectus supplement.

It is important for you to read and consider all information contained or incorporated by reference into this prospectus supplement and the accompanying prospectus in making your investment decision. You should also read and consider the information in the documents to which we have referred you in "Where You Can Find More Information" in this prospectus supplement.

We have obtained consent from the Bermuda Monetary Authority for the issue and transfer of our common shares to and between persons regarded as non-residents in Bermuda for exchange control purposes, provided our common shares remain listed on an appropriate stock exchange, which includes the New York Stock Exchange, Inc. Issues and transfers of common shares to any person regarded as resident in Bermuda for exchange control purposes may require the specific prior approval from the Bermuda Monetary Authority. In addition, this prospectus supplement and the accompanying prospectus will be filed with the Registrar of Companies in Bermuda in accordance with Bermuda law. The Bermuda Monetary Authority and Registrar of Companies accept no responsibility for the financial soundness of any proposal or for the correctness of any of the statements made or opinions expressed in this prospectus supplement.

Any person who, directly or indirectly, becomes a holder of at least 10 per cent., 20 per cent., 33 per cent., or 50 per cent. of the common shares must notify the Bermuda Monetary Authority in writing within 45 days of becoming such a holder or 30 days from the date they have knowledge of having such a holding, whichever is later. The Bermuda Monetary Authority may, by written notice, object to such a person if it appears to the Bermuda Monetary Authority that the person is not fit and proper to be such a holder. The Bermuda Monetary Authority may require the holder to reduce its holding of common shares in the Company and direct, among other things, that voting rights attaching to the common shares shall not be exercisable. A person that does not comply with such a notice or direction from the Bermuda Monetary Authority will be guilty of an offence.

For so long as we have as a subsidiary an insurer registered under the Insurance Act (Bermuda), the Bermuda Monetary Authority may at any time, by written notice, object to a person holding 10 per cent. or more of our common shares if it appears to the Bermuda Monetary Authority that the person is not or is no longer fit and proper to be such a holder. In such a case, the Bermuda Monetary Authority may require the shareholder to reduce its holding of common shares in us and direct, among other things, that such shareholder's voting rights attaching to the common shares shall not be exercisable. A person who does not comply with such a notice or direction from the Bermuda Monetary Authority will be guilty of an offence.

References in this prospectus supplement and the accompanying prospectus to "Assured Guaranty," "Assured," "we," "us," "our" and the "Company," refer to Assured Guaranty Ltd. and, unless the context otherwise requires or unless otherwise stated, its subsidiaries. References in this prospectus supplement and the accompanying prospectus to "Assured Guaranty US Holdings" or "AGUSH" refer to Assured Guaranty US Holdings Inc. and, unless the context otherwise requires or unless otherwise stated, its subsidiaries.

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FORWARD-LOOKING STATEMENTS

This prospectus supplement and the accompanying prospectus, and the documents incorporated herein by reference, may contain "forward looking statements" within the meaning of Section 27A of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the "Securities Act"), and Section 21E of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act"). These forward-looking statements may include forward-looking statements which reflect Assured's current views with respect to future events and financial performance. These statements include forward-looking statements both with respect to us specifically and the insurance and reinsurance industries in general. Statements which include the words "expect," "intend," "plan," "believe," "project," "anticipate," "may," "will," "continue," "further," "seek" and similar words or statements of a future or forward-looking nature identify forward-looking statements for purposes of the federal securities laws or otherwise. All forward-looking statements address matters that involve risks and uncertainties. These risks and uncertainties include, but are not limited to, economic, competitive, legal, governmental and technological factors. Accordingly, there are or will be important factors that could cause Assured's actual results to differ materially from those indicated in these statements. We believe that these factors include the following:

downgrades of the financial strength ratings assigned by the major rating agencies to any of our insurance subsidiaries at any time, which has occurred in the past;

downgrades of the transactions we insure;

our inability to execute our business strategy;

reduction in the amount of reinsurance facultative cessions or portfolio opportunities available to us;

contract cancellations;

developments in the world's financial and capital markets that adversely affect our loss experience, the demand for our products, our access to capital, our unrealized (losses) gains on derivative financial instruments or our investment returns;

more severe or frequent losses associated with our insurance products, or changes in our assumptions used to estimate loss reserves and unrealized (losses) gains on derivative financial instruments;

impact of market volatility on the marking to market on our contracts written in CDS form;

changes in regulation or tax laws applicable to us, our subsidiaries or customers;

governmental actions;

natural or man-made catastrophes;

dependence on customers;

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decreased demand for our insurance or reinsurance products or increased competition in our markets;

loss of key personnel;

technological developments;

the effects of mergers, acquisitions and divestitures;

changes in accounting policies or practices;

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changes in the credit markets, segments thereof or general economic conditions, including the overall level of activity in the economy or particular sectors, interest rates, credit spreads and other factors;

other risks and uncertainties that have not been identified at this time; and

management's response to these factors.

The foregoing review of important factors should not be construed as exhaustive, and should be read in conjunction with the other cautionary statements that are included in Assured's periodic reports filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "SEC"). We undertake no obligation to update publicly or review any forward-looking statement, whether as a result of new information, future developments or otherwise.

If one or more of these or other risks or uncertainties materialize, or if Assured's underlying assumptions prove to be incorrect, actual results may vary materially from what we projected. Any forward-looking statements you read in this prospectus supplement, in the accompanying prospectus, or in the documents incorporated by reference reflect Assured's current views with respect to future events and are subject to these and other risks, uncertainties and assumptions relating to Assured's operations, results of operations, growth strategy and liquidity.

For these statements, we claim the protection of the safe harbor for forward-looking statements contained in Section 27A of the Securities Act and Section 21E of the Exchange Act.

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PROSPECTUS SUPPLEMENT SUMMARY

This summary highlights basic information about Assured Guaranty, Assured Guaranty US Holdings and this offering. Because it is a summary, it does not contain all of the information that you should consider before investing in the Equity Units. You should read this entire prospectus supplement, the accompanying prospectus and the documents that we have filed with the SEC that are incorporated herein by reference, including the financial statements and notes thereto, carefully before making an investment decision.

Assured Guaranty Ltd.

Assured Guaranty Ltd. is a Bermuda based holding company that provides, through its operating subsidiaries, credit enhancement products to the public finance, structured finance and mortgage markets. Credit enhancement products are financial guaranty or other types of financial support, including credit derivatives, that improve the credit of underlying debt obligations. A derivative is a financial instrument whose characteristics and value depend upon the characteristics and value of an underlying security or commodity. We apply our credit expertise, risk management skills and capital markets experience to develop insurance, reinsurance and derivative products that meet the credit enhancement needs of our customers. We market our products directly and through financial institutions, serving the U.S. and international markets.

Our principal operating subsidiaries are Assured Guaranty Corp. ("AGC") and Assured Guaranty Re Ltd. ("AG Re").

AGC is a Maryland-domiciled insurance company and provides insurance and reinsurance of investment-grade financial guaranty exposures and credit default swap ("CDS") transactions.

AG Re is incorporated under the laws of Bermuda and is licensed as a Class 3B Insurer and a Long-Term Insurer under the Insurance Act 1978 and related regulations of Bermuda. AG Re indirectly owns the entire share capital of Assured Guaranty Re Overseas Ltd. ("AGRO"). AG Re and AGRO underwrite financial guaranty and residential mortgage reinsurance. AG Re and AGRO write business as direct reinsurers of third-party primary insurers and as reinsurers/retrocessionaires of certain affiliated companies.

Assured Guaranty Ltd. has four principal business segments: (1) financial guaranty direct, which includes transactions whereby we provide an unconditional and irrevocable guaranty that indemnifies the holder of a financial obligation against non-payment of principal and interest when due, and could take the form of a credit derivative; (2) financial guaranty reinsurance, which includes agreements whereby we are a reinsurer and agree to indemnify a primary insurance company against part or all of the loss which the latter may sustain under a policy it has issued; (3) mortgage guaranty, which includes mortgage guaranty insurance and reinsurance whereby we provide protection against the default of borrowers on mortgage loans; and (4) other, which includes lines of business in which we are no longer active.

Our principal operating subsidiaries have the following insurance financial strength ratings:

	S&P	Moody's	Fitch
Assured Guaranty Corp.	AAA (Stable)	Aa2 (Under review for possible downgrade)	AA (Rating Watch Evolving)
Assured Guaranty Re Ltd.	AA (Stable)	Aa3 (Under review for possible downgrade)	AA- (Rating Watch Evolving)

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Our total financial guaranty net par outstanding as of March 31, 2009 was \$237.2 billion, diversified across public finance and structured finance exposures. A breakdown of net par outstanding as of March 31, 2009 by type of business is as follows:

	March 31, 2009			
	Financial Guaranty Direct Net Par Outstanding	Financial Guaranty Reinsurance Net Par Outstanding	Consolidated Net Par Outstanding	% of Total
	(dollars in millions)			
U.S. public finance	\$ 45,548	\$ 81,616	\$ 127,164	53.6%
U.S. structured finance	63,695	8,421	72,116	30.4
International	26,327	11,568	37,896	16.0
 Total net par outstanding	 \$ 135,570	 \$ 101,606	 \$ 237,176	 100.0%

Our net earned premiums for the year ended December 31, 2008 were \$261.4 million compared with \$159.3 million for the year ended December 31, 2007. Our net earned premiums for the three months ended March 31, 2009 were \$148.4 million compared with \$46.8 million for the three months ended March 31, 2008. Our net income for the year ended December 31, 2008 was \$68.9 million compared to a loss of \$303.3 million for the year ended December 31, 2007. Our net income for the three months ended March 31, 2009 was \$85.5 million compared to a net loss of \$169.2 million for the three months ended March 31, 2008. Our shareholders' equity as of March 31, 2009 was \$2.0 billion, or \$22.48 per common share, compared to \$1.9 billion at December 31, 2008, or \$18.63 per common share. Effective January 1, 2009, we adopted FAS No. 163, "Accounting for Financial Guarantee Insurance Contracts" ("FAS 163"). As a result of the adoption of FAS 163, net premiums earned and losses and loss adjustment expenses are not comparable between 2008 and 2009.

We believe we are in a strong market position due to our high quality insured portfolio and limited exposure to troubled asset classes. As a highly rated and well capitalized insurer, we continue to see significant demand for our guarantee. For the five months ended May 31, 2009, we have guaranteed 794 U.S. public finance new issue transactions totaling \$15.2 billion of par. This represents approximately 10.6% of total U.S. public finance new issue volume during this period, an increase of 4.8% over the five months ended May 31, 2008. We will continue to review opportunities to take advantage of current market conditions, including reinsurance of portfolios of risks and acquiring portfolios of risks, in each case meeting our strict underwriting and pricing criteria.

In November 2008, we entered into a purchase agreement (as amended, the "Purchase Agreement") with Dexia Holdings, Inc. ("Dexia Holdings") and Dexia Crédit Local S.A., to acquire (the "Acquisition") Financial Security Assurance Holdings Ltd. ("FSAH"), the parent company of, among others, Financial Security Assurance Inc. ("FSA"), a financial guaranty insurer. FSAH's ultimate parent is Dexia SA ("Dexia"). For more information concerning FSAH, see "Financial Security Assurance Holdings Ltd." and "The Business of Financial Security Assurance Holdings Ltd."

For more information concerning Assured's business, see "The Business of Assured Guaranty Ltd."

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Assured Guaranty US Holdings Inc.

Assured Guaranty US Holdings Inc. was formed as a holding company to hold the shares of AGC and AG Financial Products Inc. It is a wholly owned subsidiary of Assured Guaranty and was formed under the laws of the State of Delaware in February 2004. Its principal executive offices are at 1325 Avenue of the Americas, New York, New York, and its telephone number is (212) 974-0100.

Financial Security Assurance Holdings Ltd.

FSAH, through its insurance company subsidiaries, provides financial guaranty insurance on public finance obligations in domestic and international markets. Historically, FSAH also provided financial guaranty insurance on asset-backed obligations. In August 2008, FSAH announced that it would cease insuring asset-backed obligations and instead participate exclusively in the global public finance financial guaranty business. In addition, prior to November 2008, FSAH issued FSA-insured guaranteed investment contracts ("GICs") and other investment agreements, as well as medium term notes ("MTNs") to municipalities and other market participants through its financial products ("Financial Products") segment.

FSAH's principal operating subsidiary has the following insurance financial strength ratings:

	S&P	Moody's	Fitch
Financial Security Assurance, Inc.	AAA (Negative)	Aa3 (Under review for possible downgrade)	AA+ (Negative Credit Watch)

FSAH's total financial guaranty net par outstanding was \$417.3 billion as of March 31, 2009. A breakdown of net par outstanding as of March 31, 2009 by type of business is as follows:

	March 31, 2009	
	Net Par	% of
	Outstanding	Total
	(dollars in millions)	
U.S. public finance	\$ 293,968	70.4%
U.S. structured finance	77,179	18.5
International	46,159	11.1
Total net par outstanding	\$ 417,306	100.0%

FSAH's net premiums earned for the year ended December 31, 2008 were \$376.6 million compared with \$317.8 million for the year ended December 31, 2007. FSAH's net premiums earned for the three months ended March 31, 2009 were \$78.5 million compared with \$72.9 million for the three months ended March 31, 2008. FSAH's net loss for the year ended December 31, 2008 was \$8,443.2 million compared to a loss of \$65.7 million for the years ended December 31, 2007. FSAH's net income for the three months ended March 31, 2009 was \$11.5 million compared with a net loss of \$421.6 million for the three months ended March 31, 2008. FSAH's shareholders' equity as of March 31, 2009 was \$2.3 billion. Effective January 1, 2009, FSAH adopted FAS 163. As a result of the adoption of FAS 163, net premiums earned and losses and loss adjustment expenses are not comparable between 2008 and 2009.

For more information concerning FSAH's business, see "The Business of Financial Security Assurance Holdings Ltd."

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Acquisition of Financial Security Assurance Holdings Ltd.

In November 2008, we entered into the Purchase Agreement pursuant to which we will acquire FSAH from Dexia Holdings in exchange for the issuance of up to 44,567,901 Assured common shares, or approximately 25.6% of our outstanding common shares after giving effect to the Acquisition and the Concurrent Common Share Offering (as defined below), and \$361 million in cash. Under the Purchase Agreement, we are required to pay \$8.10 per Assured common share in cash in lieu of any Assured common shares that would result in the 44,567,901 Assured common shares otherwise issuable to Dexia Holdings under the Purchase Agreement exceeding 24.9% of our outstanding common shares after giving effect to such issuance and the issuance of common shares in the Concurrent Common Share Offering. Based upon the public offering price of \$11.00 per share in the Concurrent Common Share Offering, we would be required to pay Dexia Holdings approximately \$9.9 million in cash in lieu of issuing approximately 1.2 million Assured common shares. In addition, under the Purchase Agreement, we may elect to pay \$8.10 per Assured common share in cash in lieu of up to 22,283,951 Assured common shares that we would otherwise deliver to Dexia Holdings as part of the purchase price. Dexia Holdings has agreed that the voting power with respect to the Assured common shares owned by it will be reduced to less than 9.5% of the total voting power of all Assured common shares outstanding. We intend to finance the cash portion of the Acquisition and the payment of cash to Dexia Holdings in lieu of 22,283,951 Assured common shares with the net proceeds of this offering and the Concurrent Common Share Offering. See "Use of Proceeds."

The Acquisition represents a unique opportunity for Assured to create the premier financial guaranty company by combining the talent, capacity, financial resources and relationships of Assured and FSAH. We believe the combination of Assured and FSAH will also enhance our financial strength and enhance our competitive position in the market. Through the acquisition of FSAH, we will increase our gross unearned premium reserves by \$4.0 billion (prior to the impact of purchase accounting adjustments) and our financial guaranty net par outstanding by \$417.3 billion, in each case as of March 31, 2009.

Prior to November 2008, FSAH, through its Financial Products subsidiaries (the "Financial Products Companies"), offered FSA-insured GICs and other investment agreements, including MTNs. In connection with the Acquisition, FSAH will transfer to a subsidiary of Dexia Holdings the ownership interests in the Financial Products Companies that it holds. The Financial Products Companies include (a) three FSAH subsidiaries that issued GICs (collectively, the "GIC Issuers"), (b) FSAH's subsidiary FSA Asset Management LLC ("FSAM"), which invests the proceeds of the GICs issued by the GIC Issuers, and (c) FSA Global Funding Limited ("FSA Global"), a variable interest entity that engages in the MTN business. The GIC Issuers and FSAM together constitute the "GIC Subsidiaries." Even though FSAH will no longer own the Financial Products Companies after the Acquisition, FSA's guarantees of the GICs and MTNs and other guarantees related to FSA's MTN and Leveraged Tax Lease Businesses (as defined below) generally will remain in place. In February 2009, Dexia entered into several agreements that transferred credit and liquidity risks of the GIC operations to Dexia (the "February 2009 Risk Transfer Transaction"). In connection with the Acquisition, Dexia and/or certain of its affiliates will enter into agreements assuming the remaining credit and liquidity risks associated with FSAH's former Financial Products business. See "Description of the Acquisition Financial Products Agreements."

The Acquisition is subject to customary closing conditions, including receipt of regulatory approvals in the United States and foreign countries. All of these conditions, other than those that, by their nature, are to be satisfied at the closing, have been satisfied or waived. We expect to close the Acquisition on or about July 1, 2009.

For more information concerning the Acquisition, see "Description of the Acquisition."

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Business Strategy

Our objective is to build long-term shareholder value by achieving strong growth in book value per share through the following:

Exercising strict underwriting discipline. We have underwriting standards designed to protect our company against credit losses. We have exercised discipline in new business written through the credit cycle, including limiting exposure to higher risk asset classes such as certain types of residential mortgage-backed securities ("RMBS"). We constantly review our underwriting standards to reflect current global economic conditions and their impact on the municipal and structured finance markets, seeking to amend and/or strengthen our criteria where necessary.

Conduct direct business through dual operating platforms. Following the Acquisition, we will write direct financial guarantee business through our two operating subsidiaries, AGC and FSA. These dual platforms will allow us to capitalize on the well established franchise of each company and allow us to provide investors with increased capacity and greater risk diversification. We will however, operate through a common infrastructure and risk management framework to create maximum operating efficiencies.

Capitalizing on the strong market position of our direct financial guaranty business. Following the acquisition of FSAH, we expect to be the largest writer of financial guarantees in the market. Our acquisition of FSAH will bring expanded relationships and experience, especially in the municipal finance and international infrastructure sectors. We intend to capitalize on our leading market position, as shown in the five months ended May 31, 2009, where we have guaranteed \$15.2 billion of U.S. public finance new issue transactions, representing approximately 85% of the total insured U.S. public finance new issue volume during this period. We believe we are uniquely positioned to expand our direct financial guaranty business as financial markets stabilize and new issue volumes increase.

Utilize significant reinsurance market position to enhance strategic flexibility. We intend to maintain our significant financial guaranty reinsurance presence and leverage our position to enhance our operating flexibility in the market. While our treaty business has ceased due to lack of new business generation by other financial guaranty companies, we will seek opportunities to write new business in domestic and international markets that capitalizes on our efficient delivery of credit enhancement, including supporting new capacity which may be formed in the market over time. We will continue to review opportunities to take advantage of current market conditions, including reinsurance of portfolios of risks which meet our underwriting and pricing criteria.

Proactive loss mitigation. We continuously monitor trends and changes in our financial guaranty portfolio to detect deterioration in credit quality and to enable us to take remedial actions to minimize losses in transactions which perform below our expectations. In cases where there is a potential source of loss, we intend to aggressively pursue all sources of recovery from third parties.

Maintaining our commitment to financial strength. We recognize the importance of our excellent financial strength ratings and intend to write business in a manner consistent with maintaining the highest possible ratings for AGC and AG Re. We seek to maintain our financial strength through disciplined risk selection, prudent operating and financial leverage and a conservative investment posture. The Acquisition furthers this strategy by strengthening our balance sheet and enhancing our capital position.

Utilize capital efficiently. We rigorously monitor rating agency capital adequacy requirements to appropriately deploy capital to optimize the execution of our business plan and our return on capital.

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Recent Developments

Moody's Ratings On May 20, 2009, Moody's Investors Service ("Moody's") placed under review for possible downgrade the Aa2 insurance financial strength rating of AGC, as well as the ratings of other entities within the Assured group. In its public announcement of the rating action, Moody's stated that this action reflects its view that despite recent improvements in Assured's market position, the expected performance of Assured's insured portfolio particularly the mortgage-related risks has substantially worsened. At the same time, Moody's also placed the Aa3 insurance financial strength ratings of FSA and its affiliated insurance operating companies on review for possible downgrade. In its public announcement of the rating action, Moody's cited its growing concerns about FSA's business and financial profile as a result of further deterioration in FSA's US mortgage portfolio and the related adverse effect on its capital adequacy, profitability, and market traction. In both press releases, Moody's noted that it has taken a more negative view of mortgage-related exposures in light of worse-than-expected performance trends, and recognized the continued susceptibility of the insured portfolio to the weak economic environment. Moody's also commented that the deterioration in the insured portfolios could have negative implications for the companies' franchise values, profitability and financial flexibility given the likely sensitivity of those business attributes to its capital position. Moody's also noted that the market dislocation caused by the declining financial strength of financial guaranty insurers may alter the competitive dynamics of the industry by encouraging the entry of new participants or the growth of alternative forms of execution.

Fitch Ratings On May 4, 2009, Fitch Ratings ("Fitch") downgraded the debt and insurer financial strength ratings of Assured Guaranty and its subsidiaries. Fitch's insurer financial strength ratings for AGC and Assured Guaranty (UK) Ltd. ("AG UK") are now AA (rating watch evolving), down from AAA (stable), while the insurer financial strength ratings for AG Re is AA- (rating watch evolving), down from AA (stable). Fitch cited Assured's exposures to mortgage-related and collateralized debt obligations of trust preferred securities as creating pressure on Assured's capital position. On May 11, 2009, Fitch lowered the rating of FSA to AA+ (negative credit watch). Fitch reported that the downgrade of FSA to AA+ was attributable to FSAH's credit exposure to the AA+ rating of the Kingdom of Belgium in connection with the separation of the Financial Products operations from FSA.

Favorable Litigation Settlement Assured Guaranty's subsidiary, Assured Guaranty Mortgage Insurance Company ("AGMIC"), reinsured a private mortgage insurer under a mortgage insurance stop loss excess of loss reinsurance agreement covering the reinsured's aggregate mortgage guaranty insurance losses in excess of a \$25 million retention and subject to a \$95 million limit. In April 2008, AGMIC notified the reinsured it was terminating the agreement because of the reinsured's breach of terms. This matter went to arbitration and on June 4, 2009, the arbitration panel issued a Final Interim Award with respect to this agreement in which the majority of the panel concluded that the reinsured breached a covenant in the agreement. AGMIC and the reinsured reached an agreement in principle on June 10, 2009 to settle the matter in full in exchange for a payment by AGMIC to the reinsured of \$10 million, which resolves all disputes between the parties and concludes all remaining rights and obligations of the parties under the Agreement, subject to the execution of a final settlement agreement.

Investing in our Equity Units includes risks. See "Risk Factors" beginning on page S-32 of this prospectus supplement.

Our principal executive officers are located at 30 Woodbourne Avenue, Hamilton HM 08, Bermuda, and our telephone number is (441) 299-9375. Our Internet website address is www.assuredguaranty.com. The information on or connected to our website is not incorporated by reference into this prospectus supplement or the accompanying prospectus, and you should not consider them to be a part of this prospectus supplement or the accompanying prospectus.

Table of Contents**Summary Historical Financial Data of Assured Guaranty Ltd.**

The following table sets forth summary historical financial data for Assured. The audited financial data have been derived from Assured's audited financial statements. The interim financial data have been derived from Assured's unaudited financial statements and include, in the opinion of Assured's management, all adjustments (consisting only of normal recurring accruals) necessary for a fair presentation of the financial data. The results for the three-month periods do not necessarily indicate the results to be expected for the full year.

You should read the following information in conjunction with Assured's financial statements and notes thereto and the other financial information included or incorporated by reference in this prospectus supplement and the accompanying prospectus.

	Three Months Ended March 31,		Year Ended December 31,				
	2009	2008	2008	2007	2006	2005	2004
	(unaudited)		(dollars in millions, except per share amounts)				
Statement of Operations Data:							
Net earned premiums(1)	\$ 148.4	\$ 46.8	\$ 261.4	\$ 159.3	\$ 144.8	\$ 139.4	\$ 98.7
Net investment income	43.6	36.6	162.6	128.1	111.5	96.8	94.8
Net realized investment (losses) gains	(17.1)	0.6	(69.8)	(1.3)	(2.0)	2.2	12.0
Realized gains and other settlements on credit derivatives	20.6	27.6	117.6	74.0	73.9	57.1	(13.1)
Unrealized gains (losses) on credit derivatives	27.0	(259.6)	38.0	(670.4)	11.8	4.4	137.4
Other income	20.6	8.5	43.4	8.8	0.4	0.2	0.8
Total revenues	243.1	(139.4)	553.2	(301.6)	340.4	300.3	330.5
Loss and loss adjustment expenses (recoveries)(1)	79.8	55.1	265.8	5.8	11.3	(63.9)	(48.2)
Profit commission expense	0.3	1.2	1.3	6.5	9.5	12.9	15.5
Acquisition costs	23.4	11.9	61.2	43.2	45.2	45.4	49.7
Other operating expenses	32.3	28.6	83.5	79.9	68.0	59.0	67.8
Other expense	1.4	0.7	5.7	2.6	2.5	3.7	1.6
Interest expense	5.8	5.8	23.3	23.5	13.8	13.5	10.7
Total expenses	143.0	103.4	440.9	161.4	150.4	70.7	97.2
Income (loss) before provision (benefit) for income taxes	100.1	(242.8)	112.3	(463.0)	190.0	229.6	233.3
Provision (benefit) for income taxes	14.6	(73.6)	43.4	(159.8)	30.2	41.2	50.5
Net income (loss)	\$ 85.5	\$ (169.2)	\$ 68.9	\$ (303.3)	\$ 159.7	\$ 188.4	\$ 182.8
Earnings (loss) per share:(2)							
Basic	\$ 0.94	\$ (2.09)	\$ 0.78	\$ (4.38)	\$ 2.15	\$ 2.51	\$ 2.42
Diluted	\$ 0.93	\$ (2.09)	\$ 0.77	\$ (4.38)	\$ 2.13	\$ 2.50	\$ 2.42
Dividends per share	\$ 0.045	\$ 0.045	\$ 0.18	\$ 0.16	\$ 0.14	\$ 0.12	\$ 0.06
Balance sheet data (end of period):							
Investments and cash	\$3,812.3	\$3,317.0	\$3,643.6	\$3,147.9	\$2,469.9	\$2,256.0	\$2,157.9
Prepaid reinsurance premiums	23.7	17.5	18.9	13.5	4.5	9.5	11.8
Total assets	5,588.3	4,062.0	4,555.7	3,762.9	2,931.6	2,689.8	2,689.0
Unearned premium reserves	2,153.3	1,014.2	1,233.7	887.2	631.0	524.6	507.2
Reserves for losses and loss adjustment expenses	222.6	177.7	196.8	125.6	115.9	117.4	217.2
Long-term debt	347.2	347.2	347.2	347.1	347.1	197.3	197.4
Total liabilities	3,562.7	2,569.4	2,629.5	2,096.4	1,280.8	1,028.3	1,161.4
Accumulated other comprehensive (loss) income	1.8	51.6	2.9	56.6	41.9	45.8	79.0
Shareholders' equity	2,025.6	1,492.7	1,926.2	1,666.6	1,650.8	1,661.5	1,527.6

(1)

In May 2008, the Financial Accounting Standards Board issued FAS 163, which requires that we recognize a claim liability prior to an event of default (insured event) when there is evidence that credit deterioration has occurred in an insured financial obligation. FAS 163 also clarifies the methodology to be used for financial guaranty premium revenue recognition and claim liability measurement, as well as requiring expanded disclosures about risk management activities. The provisions of FAS 163 related to premium revenue recognition and claim liability measurement are effective for financial

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statements issued for fiscal years beginning after December 15, 2008, and all interim periods within those fiscal years. Earlier application of these provisions was not permitted. As a result of the adoption of FAS 163, net premiums earned and loss and loss adjustment expenses are not comparable between 2008 and 2009 periods. The expanded risk management activity disclosure provisions of FAS 163 were effective for the third

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quarter of 2008 and were included in the Company's consolidated financial statements for those periods. FAS 163 will be applied to all existing and future financial guaranty insurance contracts written by the Company. FAS 163 mandates the accounting changes proscribed by the statement be recognized by the Company as a cumulative effect adjustment to retained earnings as of January 1, 2009. The impact of adopting FAS 163 on the Company's balance sheet was included in the Company's Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for the period ended March 31, 2009, which is incorporated herein by reference.

(2)

Effective January 1, 2009, the Company adopted FSP EITF 03-6-1, "Determining Whether Instruments Granted in Share-Based Payment Transactions Are Participating Securities" ("FSP"), which clarifies that share-based payment awards that entitle their holders to receive nonforfeitable dividends or dividend equivalents before vesting should be considered participating securities and shall be included in the calculation of basic and diluted earnings per share ("EPS"). Upon retrospective adoption of the FSP, Assured decreased previously reported basic loss per share by \$0.02 and \$0.08 for the three months ended March 31, 2008 and the year ended December 31, 2007, respectively, and decreased previously reported basic EPS by \$0.03, \$0.04 and \$0.02 for the years ended December 31, 2006, 2005 and 2004, respectively. Upon retrospective adoption of the FSP, Assured decreased previously reported diluted loss per share by \$0.02 and \$0.08 for the three months ended March 31, 2008 and the year ended December 31, 2007, respectively, and decreased previously reported diluted EPS by \$0.02, \$0.03 and \$0.02 for the years ended December 31, 2006, 2005 and 2004, respectively. There was no impact on both previously reported basic and diluted EPS for 2008.

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Summary Historical Financial Data of Financial Security Assurance Holdings Ltd.

The following table sets forth summary historical financial data for FSAH. The annual financial data have been derived from FSAH's audited financial statements. The interim financial data have been derived from FSAH's unaudited financial statements and include, in the opinion of FSAH's management, all adjustments (consisting only of normal recurring adjustments and entries required to record the February 2009 Risk Transfer Transaction) necessary for a fair presentation of the financial data. The results for the three-month periods do not necessarily indicate the results to be expected for the full year. Furthermore, FSAH's financial statements for the periods prior to December 31, 2008 include FSAH's GIC operations, which were the subject of the February 2009 Risk Transfer Transaction and FSAH's other Financial Products businesses which we are not acquiring.

You should read the following information in conjunction with FSAH's financial statements and notes thereto and other financial information included or incorporated by reference into this prospectus supplement and the accompanying prospectus.

Table of Contents**Summary Historical Financial Data of Financial Security Assurance Holdings Ltd.**

	As of and for the Period Ended							
	March 31,		December 31,					
	2009	2008	2008	2007	2006	2005	2004	
	(Unaudited)		(dollars in millions)					
Summary of Operations:								
Revenue								
Net premiums earned(1)	\$ 78.5	\$ 72.9	\$ 376.6	\$ 317.8	\$ 301.5	\$ 314.9	\$ 325.9	
Net investment income from general investment portfolio	62.1	64.8	264.2	236.7	218.9	200.8	172.1	
Net interest income from financial products segment	34.4	208.8	647.4	1,079.6	858.2	487.9	194.7	
Realized gains (losses) and other settlements on credit derivatives	(45.8)	36.2	126.9	102.8	87.2	89.2	69.1	
Net unrealized (losses) gains on credit derivatives	573.2	(489.1)	(745.0)	(642.6)	31.8	11.1	56.4	
Net realized and unrealized gains (losses) on derivative instruments	(180.5)	430.8	1,424.5	62.8	131.4	(183.6)	272.9	
Expenses								
Losses and loss adjustment expenses(1)	350.9	300.4	1,877.7	31.6	23.3	25.4	20.6	
Foreign exchange (gains) losses from financial products segment	(16.6)	13.3	1.7	138.5	159.4	(189.8)	91.3	
Net interest expense from financial products segment	127.4	239.3	794.3	989.2	768.7	491.6	267.6	
Income (loss) before provision (benefit) for income taxes and equity in losses of unconsolidated subsidiaries	165.3	(685.4)	(9,315.5)	(181.9)	522.8	465.1	580.5	
Provision (benefit) for income taxes	153.7	(263.8)	(872.4)	(116.2)	150.7	126.9	110.6	
Net income (loss)	11.5	(421.6)	(8,443.2)	(65.7)	372.2	337.3	466.0	
Less: noncontrolling interest					(52.0)	11.2	87.4	
Net income (loss) of FSAH and subsidiaries	\$ 11.5	\$ (421.6)	\$ (8,443.2)	\$ (65.7)	\$ 424.2	\$ 326.1	\$ 378.6	
Balance Sheet Data (at end of period)								
Assets								
Cash	\$ 55.3	\$ 45.0	\$ 108.7	\$ 26.6	\$ 32.5	\$ 43.6	\$ 22.6	
General investment portfolio	5,872.3	5,684.2	5,935.5	5,191.9	4,872.4	4,595.5	4,281.8	
Financial products segment investment portfolio	805.0	16,157.8	10,302.0	19,213.2	17,537.1	14,002.0	9,546.7	
Assets acquired in refinancing transactions	182.8	213.5	166.6	229.3	337.9	467.9	749.2	
Note receivable from affiliate(2)	13,576.3							
Total assets	24,891.3	27,203.1	20,258.1	28,318.7	25,764.7	22,000.1	17,079.0	
Liabilities and shareholders' equity								
Deferred premium revenue	3,991.4	3,002.7	3,044.7	2,870.6	2,621.5	2,339.0	2,063.8	
Losses and loss adjustment expense reserve	2,017.7	526.3	1,779.0	274.6	228.1	205.7	179.9	
Financial products segment debt	14,180.3	20,888.9	16,432.3	21,400.2	18,349.7	14,947.1	10,444.1	
Notes payable	730.0	730.0	730.0	730.0	730.0	430.0	430.0	
Total liabilities	22,609.3	27,158.5	25,442.3	26,740.6	23,042.1	18,996.8	14,289.1	
Total shareholders' equity (deficit) of FSA Holdings and subsidiaries	2,281.7	44.3	(5,184.5)	1,577.8	2,722.3	2,822.9	2,611.3	
Noncontrolling interest	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	180.4	178.6	

Shareholders' equity (deficit)	2,282.0	44.6	(5,184.2)	1,578.1	2,722.6	3,003.3	2,789.9
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In May 2008, the Financial Accounting Standards Board issued FAS 163, which requires that FSAH recognize a claim liability prior to an event of default (insured event) when there is evidence that credit deterioration has occurred in an insured financial obligation. FAS 163 also clarifies the methodology to be used for financial guaranty premium revenue recognition and claim liability measurement, as well as requiring expanded disclosures about risk management activities. The provisions of FAS 163 related to premium revenue recognition and claim liability measurement are effective for financial statements issued for fiscal years beginning after December 15, 2008, and all interim periods within those fiscal years. Earlier application of these provisions was not permitted. As a result of the adoption of FAS 163, net premiums earned and loss and loss adjustment expenses are not comparable between 2008 and 2009 periods. The expanded risk management activity disclosure provisions of FAS 163 were effective for the third quarter of 2008 and were included in FSAH's consolidated financial statements for those periods. FAS 163 will be applied to all existing and future financial guaranty insurance contracts written

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by FSAH. FAS 163 mandates the accounting changes proscribed by the statement be recognized by FSAH as a cumulative effect adjustment to retained earnings as of January 1, 2009. The impact of adopting FAS 163 on FSAH's balance sheet was included in FSAH's Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for the quarter ended March 31, 2009 which is incorporated herein by reference.

(2)

The GIC Issuers, unlike FSAM, remain part of FSAH's consolidated financial statements, which means that the GICs issued to third parties and the GIC Issuers' note receivable from FSAM of \$13.6 billion (the "Note Receivable from Affiliate") represent the liabilities and assets of the GIC business in FSAH's consolidated financial statements. The Note Receivable from Affiliate is carried at net realizable value, which is periodically evaluated for impairment. Prior to February 24, 2009, the Note Receivable from Affiliate was eliminated in consolidation.

Table of Contents**Summary Unaudited Pro Forma Combined Condensed Financial Information**

The following summary unaudited pro forma combined condensed financial information of Assured has been prepared to assist you in your analysis of the financial effects of the Acquisition using the historical consolidated financial statements of Assured and FSAH.

This information is only a summary. You should read the unaudited pro forma combined condensed financial statements and other information and the accompanying notes that are included elsewhere in this prospectus supplement. You should also read the historical information and related notes of Assured and FSAH that are incorporated by reference into this prospectus supplement.

The following tables set forth summary unaudited pro forma combined condensed financial information of Assured giving effect to the Acquisition, using the acquisition method of accounting, as if the Acquisition had occurred on the dates indicated and after giving effect to the pro forma adjustments. The unaudited pro forma combined condensed balance sheet data as of March 31, 2009 give effect to the Acquisition as if the Acquisition had occurred on March 31, 2009. The unaudited pro forma combined condensed statements of operations data for the year ended December 31, 2008 and the three months ended March 31, 2009 give effect to the Acquisition as if the Acquisition had occurred on January 1, 2008. We are providing the unaudited pro forma combined condensed financial data for informational purposes only. It does not necessarily represent or indicate what the financial position and results of operations of Assured would actually have been had the Acquisition and other pro forma adjustments in fact occurred at the dates indicated. It also does not necessarily represent or indicate the future financial position or results of operations Assured will achieve after the Acquisition.

The pro forma adjustments reflect the payment of \$544.5 million in cash and issuance of 22,283,951 Assured common shares to Dexia Holdings. The pro forma adjustments assume funds for the \$544.5 million cash payment were obtained from the issuance of an additional 38,500,000 Assured common shares to the public at a purchase price of \$11.00 per share, the public offering price of our common shares in the Concurrent Common Share Offering, and the issuance of \$150 million of Equity Units.

The pro forma financial information does not reflect revenue opportunities and cost savings that we expect to realize after the Acquisition. We cannot give you any assurance with respect to the estimated revenue opportunities and operating cost savings that are expected to be realized as a result of the Acquisition. The pro forma financial information also does not reflect nonrecurring charges relating to integration activities or exit costs that may be incurred by Assured or FSAH in connection with the Acquisition.

	As of and for the three months ended March 31, 2009	For the year ended December 31, 2008
	(dollars in thousands, except per share amounts)	
Statement of Operations Data:		
Net earned premiums	\$ 263,632	\$ 796,671
Net (loss) income	237,287	(1,072,802)
(Loss) earnings per share		
Basic	\$ 1.55	\$ (7.17)
Diluted	\$ 1.55	\$ (7.17)
Balance Sheet Data (at end of period):		
Total assets	\$ 16,610,864	
Unearned premium reserves	7,465,338	
Reserves for losses and loss adjustment expenses	2,233,038	
Long-term debt	445,823	
Shareholders' equity	2,802,617	
Book value per share	\$ 18.57	

See Notes to the "Unaudited Pro Forma Combined Condensed Financial Statements."

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Issuer	Assured Guaranty Ltd., a Bermuda company.
Securities Offered	3,000,000 Equity Units (or 3,450,000 Equity Units if the underwriters exercise their overallotment option in full), each with a stated amount of \$50, and consisting of either Corporate Units or Treasury Units as described below. The Equity Units offered will initially consist of 3,000,000 Corporate Units (or 3,450,000 Corporate Units if the underwriters exercise their overallotment option in full).
Use of Proceeds	We intend to use \$363.8 million of the net proceeds of the Concurrent Common Share Offering to pay the cash purchase price for the Acquisition. We intend to use the remaining net proceeds from the Concurrent Common Share Offering and the net proceeds from this offering to pay cash in lieu of Assured common shares, including Excess Shares, that we would otherwise deliver as part of the purchase price for the Acquisition. See "Concurrent Offering of Common Shares" and "Use of Proceeds."
The Corporate Units	<p>Each Corporate Unit consists of a purchase contract and, initially, a 1/20, or 5%, undivided beneficial ownership interest in \$1,000 principal amount of Assured Guaranty US Holdings' senior notes due June 1, 2014, which we call the "notes." The notes will be issued in minimum denominations of \$1,000 and integral multiples thereof, except in certain limited circumstances. The notes underlying your Corporate Units will be owned by you, but initially will be pledged to us through the collateral agent to secure your obligations under the related purchase contracts. If the notes are successfully remarketed during the period for early remarketing described in this prospectus supplement, or if a special event redemption occurs prior to June 1, 2012, the notes underlying the Corporate Units will be replaced by the Treasury portfolio described in this prospectus supplement, and the Treasury portfolio underlying the Corporate Units will then be pledged to us through the collateral agent to secure your obligations under the related purchase contract.</p> <p>Holders of Corporate Units will be entitled to receive, quarterly in arrears on March 1, June 1, September 1 and December 1 of each year, commencing on September 1, 2009, cash distributions consisting of their pro rata share of interest payments on the notes (or distributions on the Treasury portfolio if the notes have been replaced by the Treasury portfolio).</p>
<i>The Purchase Contracts</i>	
Settlement Rate	Each purchase contract underlying an Equity Unit obligates the holder of the purchase contract to purchase, and obligates us to sell, on June 1, 2012, which we refer to

as the "purchase contract settlement date," for \$50 in cash,
a number of our newly issued common shares equal to the
"settlement rate."

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The settlement rate will be calculated as follows:

if the applicable market value (as defined below) of our common shares is equal to or greater than \$12.93, which we refer to as the "threshold appreciation price," the settlement rate will be 3.8685 of our common shares;

if the applicable market value of our common shares is less than the threshold appreciation price but greater than \$11.00, which we refer to as the "reference price," the settlement rate will be a number of our common shares equal to \$50 divided by the applicable market value; and

if the applicable market value of our common shares is less than or equal to the reference price, the settlement rate will be 4.5455 of our common shares.

The "applicable market value" of our common shares means the average of the closing price per common share on each of the 20 consecutive trading days ending on the third trading day immediately preceding the purchase contract settlement date. The reference price is the public offering price of our common shares in the Concurrent Common Share Offering. The threshold appreciation price represents a 17.5% appreciation over the reference price. The reference price, threshold appreciation price and settlement rate are subject to adjustment as described in this prospectus supplement.

Treasury Units

A Treasury Unit is a unit created from a Corporate Unit and consists of a purchase contract and a 1/20, or 5%, undivided beneficial interest in a zero-coupon U.S. Treasury security with a principal amount of \$1,000 that matures on May 31, 2012 (CUSIP No. 912820PR2), which we refer to as a "Treasury security." The Treasury security underlying the Treasury Unit will be owned by you, but will be pledged to us through the collateral agent to secure your obligations under the related purchase contract.

There will be no distributions in respect of the Treasury securities underlying the Treasury Units, but holders of the Treasury Units will continue to receive the scheduled quarterly interest payments on the notes that were released to them when they created the Treasury Units as long as they continue to hold the notes.

If, at the time the holder of a Corporate Unit wishes to substitute Treasury securities for the related notes, such Treasury securities have a yield that is less than zero, then, a Treasury Unit will instead be a unit created from a Corporate Unit and will consist of a purchase contract and a 1/20, or 5%, undivided beneficial interest in \$1,000 cash. The cash that is a component of the Treasury Unit will be owned by you, but will be pledged to us through the collateral agent to secure your obligations under the related purchase contract.

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Creating Treasury Units and Recreating Corporate Units

Subject to certain exceptions described in this prospectus supplement, each holder of Corporate Units will have the right, at any time on or prior to the seventh business day immediately preceding the purchase contract settlement date, to substitute Treasury securities with the same total principal amount as the aggregate principal amount of the underlying notes held by the collateral agent. Because Treasury securities and the notes are issued in integral multiples of \$1,000, holders of Corporate Units may make this substitution only in integral multiples of 20 Corporate Units. This substitution will create Treasury Units, and the notes will be released to the holder and be tradable separately from the Treasury Units.

In addition, subject to certain exceptions described in this prospectus supplement, each holder of Treasury Units will have the right, at any time on or prior to the seventh business day immediately preceding the purchase contract settlement date, to substitute notes having the same total principal amount as the aggregate principal amount of the related Treasury securities held by the collateral agent. Because Treasury securities and the notes are issued in integral multiples of \$1,000, holders of Treasury Units may make these substitutions only in integral multiples of 20 Treasury Units. This substitution will recreate Corporate Units, and the applicable Treasury securities will be released to the holder and be separately tradable from the Corporate Units.

Early Settlement of the Purchase Contracts

You can settle a purchase contract for cash prior to the purchase contract settlement date, subject to certain exceptions and conditions described under "Description of the Purchase Contracts Early Settlement" in this prospectus supplement. If a purchase contract is settled early, the number of our common shares to be issued per purchase contract will be the stated amount of \$50 divided by the threshold appreciation price, initially 3.8685 shares (subject to adjustment as described in this prospectus supplement).

In addition, upon the occurrence of a "fundamental change" as defined in this prospectus supplement, you will have the right, subject to certain exceptions and conditions described in this prospectus supplement, to accelerate and settle a purchase contract early at a "fundamental change settlement rate," which will depend on the stock price in such fundamental change and the date such fundamental change occurs, as described under "Description of the Purchase Contracts Early Settlement upon a Fundamental Change."

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Holders of Corporate Units may settle early only in integral multiples of 20 Corporate Units. If the Treasury portfolio has replaced the notes underlying the Corporate Units, holders of the Corporate Units may settle early only in integral multiples of 16,000 Corporate Units (or such other number of Corporate Units as may be determined by the remarketing agent upon a successful remarketing of notes if the reset effective date is not a regular quarterly interest payment date).

Holders of Treasury Units may settle early only in integral multiples of 20 Treasury Units.

Satisfying Your Payment Obligations under the Purchase Contracts

As a holder of Corporate Units or Treasury Units, you may satisfy your obligations under the purchase contracts as follows:

through early settlement of your purchase contracts in the manner described in this prospectus supplement;

unless the Treasury portfolio has replaced the notes underlying the Corporate Units, through separate cash settlement prior to the final three-business day remarketing period described below in the case of holders of Corporate Units, in the manner described in this prospectus supplement;

through the automatic application of the proceeds of the Treasury securities, in the case of a Treasury Unit, or proceeds from the Treasury portfolio if it has replaced the notes underlying the Corporate Units;

through exercise of the put right as described below if no successful remarketing has occurred and none of the above events has taken place; or

without any further action, upon the termination of the purchase contracts as a result of a bankruptcy, insolvency or reorganization involving Assured Guaranty (and not, for the avoidance of doubt, Assured Guaranty's subsidiaries).

If the Treasury securities you substitute for notes or your applicable ownership interest in the Treasury portfolio, as the case may be, produce proceeds at maturity that are less than the aggregate purchase price of the common shares to be issued pursuant to the purchase contracts underlying your Equity Units, you will be obligated to pay the amount of the deficiency. See "Description of the Purchase Contracts Deficiencies."

The Notes

Issuer Assured Guaranty US Holdings Inc.

Guarantor Assured Guaranty Ltd.

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Remarketing the Notes

Assured Guaranty US Holdings may, at its option, elect to remarket the notes underlying the Corporate Units on any remarketing date occurring during the period (which we call the "period for early remarketing") beginning on December 1, 2011 and ending on May 1, 2012, unless the notes have been previously redeemed in connection with a special event redemption or have been previously successfully remarketed. Any remarketing during this period will occur during one or more three-business day remarketing periods that consist of three sequential possible remarketing dates selected by Assured Guaranty US Holdings and will include the notes underlying the Corporate Units and other notes of holders that have elected to include those notes in the remarketing, as described below.

On each remarketing date occurring during the period for early remarketing, the remarketing agent will use its reasonable efforts to obtain a price for the notes remarketed equal to approximately 100% of the purchase price for the remarketing Treasury portfolio described in this prospectus supplement plus the applicable remarketing fee. If the remarketing is successful, interest on the notes will be reset to the "reset rate" described below and, except with respect to notes that are not a part of Corporate Units the holders of which have elected to have their separate notes remarketed (as described below), a portion of the proceeds from the remarketing equal to the remarketing Treasury portfolio purchase price will be applied to purchase the remarketing Treasury portfolio. This Treasury portfolio will be substituted for the notes underlying the Corporate Units and will be pledged to us through the collateral agent to secure the Corporate Unit holders' obligations under the purchase contracts. When paid at maturity, an amount of the Treasury portfolio equal to the principal amount of the substituted notes will automatically be applied to offset the Corporate Unit holders' obligations to purchase our common shares under the purchase contracts on June 1, 2012. See "Description of the Purchase Contracts Remarketing" in this prospectus supplement.

If U.S. Treasury securities (or principal or interest strips thereof) that are to be included in a remarketing Treasury portfolio have a yield that is less than zero, then the cash proceeds from the remarketing (and not the U.S. Treasury securities) will be substituted for the notes that are components of the Corporate Units and will be pledged to us through the collateral agent to secure the Corporate Unit holders' obligation to purchase our common shares under the purchase contracts.

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If none of the remarketings occurring during a three-business day remarketing period results in a successful remarketing, the interest rate on the notes will not be reset, the notes will continue to be a component of Corporate Units and subsequent remarketings may, subject to the next paragraph, be attempted during one or more subsequent three-business day remarketing periods as described above.

You may notify the purchase contract agent on or prior to the seventh business day immediately preceding June 1, 2012 of your intention to pay cash in order to satisfy your obligations under the related purchase contracts, unless the notes have been successfully remarketed during the period for early remarketing. If you have not given such notification and the notes have not been successfully remarketed during the period for early remarketing, the notes will be remarketed during a three-business day remarketing period beginning on, and including, the fifth business day, and ending on, and including, the third business day, immediately preceding June 1, 2012. This three-business day remarketing period is referred to as the "final three-business day remarketing period" and we refer to the third business day immediately preceding June 1, 2012 as the "final remarketing date." In this remarketing, the remarketing agent will use its reasonable efforts to obtain a price for the notes equal to approximately 100% of the aggregate principal amount of the notes being remarketed plus the applicable remarketing fee. If the remarketing is successful, interest on the notes will be reset to the "reset rate" described below and, except for notes that are not part of Corporate Units whose holders have elected to have their separate notes remarketed, a portion of the proceeds from the remarketing equal to the aggregate principal amount of the notes being remarketed will automatically be applied to offset in full the Corporate Unit holders' obligations to purchase our common shares under the related purchase contracts on the purchase contract settlement date.

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If the notes have not been successfully remarketed on or prior to the final remarketing date, the interest rate on the notes will not be reset and holders of all notes will have the right to put their notes to us on the purchase contract settlement date at a put price equal to \$1,000 per note (\$50 per applicable ownership interest) plus accrued and unpaid interest. A holder of a note underlying a Corporate Unit will be deemed to have automatically exercised this put right unless such holder provides a written notice of an intention to settle the related purchase contract with cash as described in this prospectus supplement. Unless a Corporate Unit holder has settled the related purchase contracts with separate cash, such holder will be deemed to have elected to apply a portion of the proceeds of the put price equal to the principal amount of the notes underlying such Corporate Units against such holder's obligations to us under the related purchase contracts, thereby satisfying such obligations in full, and we will deliver to such holder our common shares pursuant to the related purchase contracts.

Election Not to Participate in the Remarketing

You may elect not to participate in any remarketing and to retain the notes underlying your Corporate Units by:

creating Treasury Units as described above; or

settling purchase contracts early as described above; or

in the case of the final three-business day remarketing period, notifying the purchase contract agent of your intention to pay cash to satisfy your obligation under the related purchase contracts on or prior to the seventh business day before the purchase contract settlement date and delivering the cash payment required under the purchase contracts to the collateral agent on or prior to the sixth business day before the purchase contract settlement date.

Whether or not you participate in the remarketing, upon a successful remarketing your notes will become subject to the modified provisions described under "Description of the Purchase Contracts Remarketing Early Remarketing."

Additional Notes

Assured Guaranty US Holdings Inc. may, without notice to or the consent of the then existing holders of the notes, issue additional notes ranking equally and ratably with the notes in all respects except for the issue price, issue date and the payment of interest accruing prior to the issue date of the additional notes or the first payment of interest following the issue date of the additional notes. The additional notes will be consolidated and form a single series with the notes and will have the same terms as to status, redemption or otherwise as the notes offered hereby.

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Interest

Interest on the notes will be payable, initially, quarterly in arrears at the rate of 8.50% per annum of the principal amount of the notes to, but excluding, the "reset effective date." The "reset effective date" will be:

in the case of a remarketing during the period for early remarketing, the third business day following the date on which a remarketing of the notes is successfully completed, unless the remarketing is successful within five business days of the next succeeding interest payment date in which case such interest payment date will be the reset effective date; or

in the case of a remarketing during the final three-business day remarketing period, the purchase contract settlement date.

Following a successful remarketing, the notes will bear interest at the "reset rate" described below from the reset effective date to, but excluding, June 1, 2014 or, if we elected to modify the stated maturity to a later date in connection with the successful remarketing, such later maturity date. If there is not a successful remarketing of the notes, the interest rate will not be reset and the notes will continue to bear interest at the initial interest rate, payable quarterly in arrears.

Prior to the reset effective date, interest payments will be payable quarterly in arrears on each March 1, June 1, September 1 and December 1, commencing on September 1, 2009. From the reset effective date, interest payments on all notes may be paid semi-annually in arrears on interest payment dates to be selected by Assured Guaranty US Holdings Inc. If no successful remarketing of the notes occurs, interest payments on all notes will remain payable quarterly in arrears on the original quarterly interest payment dates.

The Reset Rate

Unless a special event redemption has occurred, the reset rate on the notes will become effective on the reset effective date. The reset rate will be the interest rate determined by the remarketing agent as the rate the notes should bear in order for the notes underlying the Corporate Units to have an approximate aggregate market value on the remarketing date of:

100% of the Treasury portfolio purchase price plus the applicable remarketing fee, in the case of a remarketing prior to the final three-business day remarketing period; or

100% of the aggregate principal amount of the notes being remarketed plus the applicable remarketing fee, in the case of a remarketing during the final three-business day remarketing period.

The interest rate on the notes will not be reset if there is

not a successful remarketing. Any reset rate may not exceed the maximum rate, if any, permitted by applicable law.

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Maturity The initial maturity date of the notes will be June 1, 2014. Upon a successful remarketing of the notes, Assured Guaranty US Holdings may elect, without the consent of any of the holders, to modify the notes' stated maturity to any date later than June 1, 2014 and earlier than June 1, 2039. Such later maturity date, if any, will be selected on the remarketing date and will become effective on the reset effective date. If the notes are not successfully remarketed prior to June 1, 2012, the stated maturity of the notes will remain as June 1, 2014.

Redemption The notes are redeemable at Assured Guaranty US Holdings' option, in whole but not in part, upon the occurrence and continuation of a tax event or an accounting event, as such terms are defined in this prospectus supplement (collectively, a "special event"), at any time prior to the earlier of the date of a successful remarketing and the purchase contract settlement date, as described in this prospectus supplement under "Description of the Notes Optional Redemption Special Event." Following any such redemption of the notes, which we refer to as a "special event redemption," the redemption price for the notes that underlie the Corporate Units will be paid to the collateral agent who will purchase the special event Treasury portfolio and remit any remaining proceeds to the holders. Thereafter, the applicable ownership interests in the special event Treasury portfolio will replace the applicable ownership interests in the notes as a component of the Corporate Units and will be pledged to us through the collateral agent. Holders of the notes that do not underlie Corporate Units will receive the redemption price paid in such special event redemption in full. Other than in connection with a special event, the notes may not be redeemed by Assured Guaranty US Holdings prior to June 1, 2014.

Ranking The notes will rank equally with all of Assured Guaranty US Holdings' existing and future unsecured and unsubordinated obligations both before and after the remarketing. See "Description of the Assured Guaranty US Holdings Debt Securities and Assured Guaranty Guarantee" in the accompanying prospectus.

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Assured Guaranty Guarantee

We will fully and unconditionally guarantee all payments on the notes. The guarantee will be our unsecured obligation and will rank equally with all of our other unsecured and unsubordinated indebtedness. Since we are a holding company, our rights and the rights of our creditors, including you as a holder of the notes who would be a creditor of ours by virtue of our guarantee of the notes, and shareholders to participate in any distribution of the assets of any subsidiary upon the subsidiary's liquidation or reorganization or otherwise would be subject to prior claims of the subsidiary's creditors, except to the extent that we may be a creditor of the subsidiary. The right of our creditors, including you, to participate in the distribution of the stock owned by us in some of our subsidiaries, including our insurance subsidiaries, may also be subject to approval by insurance regulatory authorities having jurisdiction over the subsidiaries.

Participation in a Remarketing for Holders of Separate Notes

Holders of notes that are not part of the Corporate Units may elect, in the manner described in this prospectus supplement, to have their notes remarketed by the remarketing agent along with the notes included in the Corporate Units. See "Description of the Notes Optional Remarketing." Such holders may also participate in any remarketing by recreating Corporate Units from their Treasury Units at any time prior to the first day of the restricted period described under "Description of the Equity Units Creating Treasury Units." Whether or not you participate in the remarketing, upon a successful remarketing your notes will become subject to the modified provisions described under "Description of the Purchase Contracts Remarketing Early Remarketing."

Put Right for Holders of Separate Notes

Holders of notes that are not part of a Corporate Unit may exercise their put right upon a failed final remarketing by providing written notice at least two business days prior to the purchase contract settlement date. The put price will be paid to such holder on the purchase contract settlement date.

U.S. Federal Income Tax Consequences

For a discussion of the material U.S. Federal income tax consequences relating to an investment in the Equity Units, see "Material Tax Considerations U.S. Federal Income Tax Consequences" below.

Risk Factors

You should carefully consider all of the information set forth and incorporated by reference in this prospectus supplement and the accompanying prospectus and, in particular, you should evaluate the specific factors set forth under "Risk Factors" beginning on page S-32 of this prospectus supplement before deciding whether to invest in the Equity Units.

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Concurrent Offering of Common Shares

Concurrently with this offering, we are offering (the "Concurrent Common Share Offering") 38,500,000 common shares (or 44,275,000 common shares if the underwriters exercise their overallotment option in full), in a public offering.

We estimate that the proceeds from the Concurrent Common Share Offering will be approximately \$403.9 million (\$464.6 million if the underwriters exercise their overallotment option in full), after deducting the underwriting discounts and commissions and estimated expenses of the offering.

The Concurrent Common Share Offering will be effected pursuant to a separate prospectus supplement. This prospectus supplement shall not be deemed an offer to sell or a solicitation of an offer to buy any of the common shares in the Concurrent Common Share Offering. We cannot assure you that the Concurrent Common Share Offering will be completed. The Concurrent Common Share Offering and this offering are not contingent upon each other.

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THE OFFERING EXPLANATORY DIAGRAMS

The following diagrams demonstrate some of the key features of the purchase contracts, applicable ownership interests in the notes, Corporate Units and Treasury Units, and the transformation of Corporate Units into Treasury Units and notes.

The following diagrams assume that the notes are successfully remarketed during the final three-business day remarketing period and the interest rate on the notes is reset on the purchase contract settlement date.

Purchase Contract

Corporate Units and Treasury Units both include a purchase contract under which the holder agrees to purchase our common shares on the purchase contract settlement date.

Notes:

- (1) If the applicable market value of our common shares is less than or equal to the reference price of \$11.00 (subject to adjustment), the number of our common shares to be delivered to a holder of an Equity Unit will be calculated by dividing the stated amount of \$50 by the reference price.
- (2) If the applicable market value of our common shares is between the reference price and the threshold appreciation price of \$12.93 (subject to adjustment), the number of our common shares to be delivered to a holder of an Equity Unit will be calculated by dividing

the stated amount of \$50 by the applicable market value.

(3)

If the applicable market value of our common shares is greater than or equal to the threshold appreciation price, the number of our common shares to be delivered to a holder of an Equity Unit will be calculated by dividing the stated amount of \$50 by the threshold appreciation price of \$12.93 (subject to adjustment).

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- (4) The reference price is the public offering price of our common shares in the Concurrent Common Share Offering.
- (5) The threshold appreciation price represents a 17.5% appreciation over the reference price.
- (6) Expressed as a percentage of the reference price. The "applicable market value" means the average of the closing price per common share on each of the 20 consecutive trading days ending on the third trading day immediately preceding the purchase contract settlement date, subject to anti-dilution adjustments and certain other modifications.

Corporate Units

A Corporate Unit consists of two components as described below:

The holder of a Corporate Unit owns the 1/20 undivided beneficial ownership interest in the note but will pledge it to us to secure the holder's obligation under the related purchase contract.

The foregoing analysis assumes the notes are successfully remarketed during the final three-business day remarketing period. If the remarketing were to be successful prior to such period, following the remarketing of the notes, the applicable ownership interests in the Treasury portfolio will replace the applicable ownership interest in notes as a component of the Corporate Unit and the reset rate would be effective three business days following the successful remarketing, unless the remarketing is successful within five business days of the next succeeding interest payment date in which case the reset rate would be effective on such interest payment date.

If the Treasury portfolio has replaced the notes as a result of a special event redemption prior to June 1, 2012, the applicable ownership interest in the Treasury portfolio will also replace the applicable ownership interest in the notes as a component of the Corporate Unit.

Notes:

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- (1) Each holder will own a 1/20, or 5%, undivided beneficial ownership interest in, and will be entitled to a corresponding portion of each interest payment payable in respect of, a \$1,000 principal amount note.
- (2) Notes will be issued in minimum denominations of \$1,000 and integral multiples thereof.

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Treasury Units

The holder owns the 1/20 ownership interest in the Treasury security that forms a part of the Treasury Unit but will pledge it to us through the collateral agent to secure the holder's obligations under the related purchase contract. Unless the purchase contract is terminated as a result of our bankruptcy, insolvency or reorganization or the holder recreates a Corporate Unit, the cash due on maturity of the Treasury security will be used to satisfy the holder's obligation under the related purchase contract.

Treasury Units can only be created with integral multiples of 20 Corporate Units.

The Notes

The notes have the terms described below⁽¹⁾:

Note:

- (1) Treasury Units may only be created in integral multiples of 20. As a result, the creation of 20 Treasury Units will release a \$1,000 principal amount note held by the collateral agent.

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Transforming Corporate Units into Treasury Units and Notes

Because the notes and the Treasury securities are issued in minimum denominations of \$1,000, holders of Corporate Units may only create Treasury Units in integral multiples of 20 Corporate Units.

To create 20 Treasury Units, a holder separates 20 Corporate Units into their two components 20 purchase contracts and a note and then combines the purchase contracts with a Treasury security that matures on May 31, 2012 (CUSIP No. 912820PR2).

The note, which is no longer a component of Corporate Units and has a principal amount of \$1,000, is released to the holder and is tradable as a separate security.

A holder owns the Treasury security that forms a part of the Treasury Units but will pledge it to us through the collateral agent to secure its obligations under the related purchase contract.

The Treasury security together with the 20 purchase contracts constitute 20 Treasury Units.

Following the successful remarketing of the notes prior to the final three-business day remarketing period or a special event redemption, the applicable ownership interests in the Treasury portfolio, rather than the note, will be released to the holder

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upon the transformation of Corporate Units into Treasury Units and will be tradable separately.

Prior to a successful remarketing of the notes or a special event redemption, the holder can also transform 20 Treasury Units and a \$1,000 principal note into 20 Corporate Units. Following that transformation, the Treasury security, which will no longer be a component of the Treasury Unit, will be released to the holder and will be tradable as a separate security.

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If the applicable ownership interest in the Treasury portfolio has replaced the notes underlying the Corporate Units, the transformation of Corporate Units into Treasury Units and the transformation of Treasury Units into Corporate Units can only be made in certain larger minimum amounts, as more fully described in this prospectus supplement.

Notes:

- (1) Each holder will own a 1/20, or 5%, undivided beneficial ownership interest in, and will be entitled to a corresponding portion of each interest payment payable in respect of, a \$1,000 principal amount note.
- (2) Notes will be issued in minimum denominations of \$1,000 and integral multiples thereof.
- (3) In connection with the successful remarketing of the notes, AGUSH may elect to modify the stated maturity of the notes to any date on or after June 1, 2014 and earlier than June 1, 2039.

Illustrative Remarketing Timelines

The following timeline is for illustrative purposes only and is not definitive. For purposes of this timeline, we assume that Assured Guaranty US Holdings has elected to remarket the aggregate principal amount of notes underlying the Corporate Units on the first day (which we refer to as "T" in the timeline) of a hypothetical three-business day remarketing period during the period for early remarketing beginning on, and including, December 1, 2011 and ending on, and including, May 1, 2012. This example assumes that the notes have not been previously redeemed in connection with a special event redemption or been previously successfully remarketed.

Date	Event
December 1, 2011	First business day of the period for early remarketing.
T-16 business days (10 business days prior to the remarketing announcement date)	Notice to Holders AGUSH will request, not later than 10 business days prior to the remarketing announcement date, that the depository notify its participants holding notes, Corporate Units and Treasury Units of the remarketing.
T-6 business days (6 business days prior to the first day of the three-business day remarketing period)	Remarketing Announcement Date AGUSH will announce any remarketing of the notes on such business day by causing a remarketing announcement to be published by making a timely release to any appropriate news agency, including Bloomberg Business News and the Dow Jones News Services.
T-5 business days (5 business days prior to the first day of the three-business day remarketing period)	Beginning of Optional Remarketing Election Period Holders of notes that do not underlie Corporate Units may elect to have their notes remarketed in the same manner and at the same price as notes constituting a part of Corporate Units by delivering their notes along with a notice of this election to the custodial agent.

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Date	Event
T-2 business days (2 business days prior to the first day of the three-business day remarketing period)	End of Optional Remarketing Election Period This is the last day for holders of notes that do not underlie Corporate Units to elect to have their notes remarketed in the same manner and at the same price as notes constituting a part of Corporate Units by delivering their notes along with a notice of this election to the custodial agent.
T-1 business day (1 business day prior to the first day of the three-business day remarketing period)	This is the last day prior to the three-business day remarketing period: to create Treasury Units from Corporate Units and recreate Corporate Units from Treasury Units; and for holders of Corporate Units to settle the related purchase contracts early. Holders of Corporate Units will once again be able to make any of these elections on the business day following the last remarketing day of the three-business day remarketing period if the remarketing is unsuccessful.
T to T+2 business days (3 business days beginning on, and including, the first day of the remarketing period)	<p>Three-Business Day Remarketing Period</p> <p>if a failed remarketing occurs, we will cause a notice of the unsuccessful remarketing of notes to be published on the business day following the last of the three remarketing dates comprising the three-business day remarketing period.</p> <p>if a successful remarketing occurs, (i) the remarketing agent will purchase the Treasury portfolio and (ii) we will request the depository to notify its participants holding notes of the maturity date, reset rate, interest payment dates, and any other modified terms, established for the notes during the remarketing on the business day following the remarketing date on which the notes were successfully remarketed.</p> <p>Reset Effective Date The reset rate on the notes, the modified maturity date, if any, and the modified redemption rights, if any, will be determined on the date that the remarketing agent is able to successfully remarket the notes, and will become effective, if the remarketing is successful, on the reset effective date, which will be the third business day following the date on which a remarketing of the notes is successfully completed, unless the remarketing is successful within 5 business days of an interest payment date in which case such interest payment date will be the reset effective date.</p>

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The following timeline is for illustrative purposes and is not definitive. For purposes of this timeline, we have assumed that there was no successful remarketing during the period for early remarketing and that the notes have not been previously redeemed in connection with a special event redemption.

Date	Event
No later than May 7, 2012 (10 business days prior to the final remarketing announcement date)	Notice to Holders AGUSH will request, not later than 10 business days prior to the final remarketing announcement date, that the depository notify its participants holding notes, Corporate Units and Treasury Units of the remarketing.
May 17, 2012 (5 business days prior to the first day of the final three-business day remarketing period)	Beginning of Final Remarketing Election Period Holders of notes that do not underlie Corporate Units may elect to have their notes remarketed in the same manner and at the same price as notes constituting a part of Corporate Units by delivering their notes along with a notice of this election to the custodial agent.
May 21, 2012 (3 business days prior to the first business day of the final remarketing period)	Final Remarketing Announcement Date We will announce the remarketing to occur during the final three-business day remarketing period on such day by causing a remarketing announcement to be published by making a timely release to any appropriate news agency, including Bloomberg Business News and the Dow Jones News Services.
May 22, 2012 (2 business days prior to the first day of the final three-business day remarketing period and 7 business days immediately preceding June 1, 2012)	End of Final Remarketing Election Period This is the last day for holders of notes that do not underlie Corporate Units to elect to have their notes remarketed in the same manner and at the same price as notes constituting a part of Corporate Units by delivering their notes along with a notice of this election to the custodial agent. Notice to Settle With Cash A holder of a Corporate Unit wishing to settle the related purchase contract with separate cash must notify the purchase contract agent by presenting and surrendering the Corporate Unit certificate evidencing the Corporate Unit at the offices of the purchase contract agent with the form of "Notice to Settle by Separate Cash" on the reverse side of the certificate completed and executed as indicated on or prior to 5:00 p.m., New York City time, on this day.

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Date	Event
	<p>This is also the last day prior to the final three-business day remarketing period: to create Treasury Units from Corporate Units and recreate Corporate Units from Treasury Units; and for holders of Corporate Units or Treasury Units to settle the related purchase contracts early.</p>
<p>May 23, 2012 (1 business day immediately preceding the final three-business day remarketing period and six business days immediately preceding June 1, 2012)</p>	<p>This is the last day prior to the final three-business day remarketing period for holders of Corporate Units who have elected to settle the related purchase contracts with separate cash to deliver the required cash payment to the collateral agent on or prior to 11:00 a.m., New York City time on such day.</p>
<p>May 24, 2012 to May 29, 2012 (final remarketing period)</p>	<p>Final Three-Business Day Remarketing Period We will attempt a final remarketing beginning on, and including, the fifth business day, and ending on, and including, the third business day, immediately preceding the purchase contract settlement date. If a successful remarketing does not occur during the final three-business day remarketing period, we will cause a notice of the unsuccessful remarketing attempt of notes to be published not later than 9:00 a.m., New York City time, on the business day following the last of the three remarketing dates comprising the final three-business day remarketing period.</p>
<p>June 1, 2012 (the purchase contract settlement date)</p>	<p>Reset Effective Date The reset rate on the notes, the modified maturity date, if any, and the modified redemption rights, if any, will be determined on the date that the remarketing agent is able to successfully remarket the notes, and will become effective, if the final remarketing is successful, on the reset effective date, which will be the purchase contract settlement date.</p>

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RISK FACTORS

You should carefully consider the following risk factors, as well as the other information included or incorporated by reference into this prospectus supplement and the accompanying prospectus, before making an investment decision. The factors described below represent our principal risk factors.

Risks Relating to the Acquisition

One or more of the conditions to our or Dexia Holdings' obligation to complete the Acquisition may not be satisfied and the Acquisition may not be completed.

Our and Dexia Holdings' obligations to complete the Acquisition are subject to a number of conditions specified in the Purchase Agreement. See "Description of the Acquisition Closing." Among these conditions is the requirement that we shall have received in writing or some other manner reasonably satisfactory to us from each of Fitch, Moody's and Standard & Poor's, a division of The McGraw-Hill Companies, Inc. ("S&P") a statement indicating that the consummation of the transactions contemplated by the Purchase Agreement will not result in a downgrade of AGC, AG Re and AG UK and that Dexia Holdings shall have received in writing or some other manner reasonably satisfactory to it from each of such rating agencies a statement indicating that the consummation of the transactions contemplated by the Purchase Agreement will not result in a downgrade of FSA. All of the closing conditions (other than those conditions that by their nature are to be satisfied at the closing) have been met or waived. However, if Fitch, Moody's or S&P were to withdraw its statement regarding the effect of the Acquisition on AGC, AG UK and AG Re, or on FSA, we or Dexia, as the case may be, would not be required to complete the Acquisition. In addition, certain conditions to the completion of the closing of the Acquisition are to be met at the closing date, including the absence of any governmental or judicial action prohibiting or making illegal the completion of the Acquisition and the accuracy of our representations and warranties in the Purchase Agreement. While we are not currently aware of any conditions to the closing of the Acquisition that would not be met, some of the conditions are outside of our control. In the event one of the conditions to our or Dexia Holdings' obligation to close the Acquisition is not met, we or Dexia Holdings might not complete the Acquisition. In such event, we would not obtain the benefits of the Acquisition.

Additionally, if the Acquisition is not completed for any reason, the price of our common shares may decline to the extent that (i) the current market price reflects a market assumption that the Acquisition will be completed and that the related benefits and synergies will be realized, (ii) the market perceives that the Acquisition was not consummated due to an adverse change in our business, or (iii) investors believe that we cannot compete in the marketplace as effectively without the Acquisition or otherwise remain uncertain about our future prospects in the absence of the Acquisition. Also, if the Acquisition does not occur, we may not be able to efficiently use the proceeds from this offering.

Loss reserve estimates are subject to uncertainties and loss reserves may not be adequate to cover potential paid claims.

The financial guarantees issued by Assured and FSA insure the financial performance of the obligations guaranteed over an extended period of time, in some cases over 30 years, under policies that Assured and FSA have, in most circumstances, no right to cancel. The Acquisition will increase our net par outstanding from approximately \$237.2 billion to approximately \$654.5 billion as of March 31, 2009 on a combined pro-forma basis excluding FSAH's Financial Products business. As a result of the lack of statistical paid loss data due to the low level of paid claims in our financial guaranty business and in the financial guaranty industry in general, particularly, until recently, in the structured asset-backed area, we do not use traditional actuarial approaches to determine loss reserves. The establishment of the appropriate level of loss reserves is an inherently subjective process involving

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numerous estimates, assumptions and judgments by management, using both internal and external data sources with regard to frequency and severity of loss. Actual losses will ultimately depend on events or transaction performance that will occur in the future. Therefore, we cannot assure you that current estimates of probable and estimable losses reflect the actual losses that we may ultimately incur or that the methodologies we and FSAH use to establish reserves in general or for any specific obligations have been the same historically or that they similar to methodologies employed by our competitors, counterparties or other market participants. Actual paid claims could exceed our estimate and could significantly exceed our loss reserves, which may result in adverse effects on our financial condition, ratings and ability to raise needed capital.

We will have exposure through financial guaranty insurance policies to FSAH's Financial Products business, which we are not acquiring.

FSAH, through the Financial Products Companies, offered FSA-insured GICs and other investment agreements, including MTNs. In connection with the Acquisition, FSAH will transfer to Dexia Holdings, or any of its subsidiaries, the ownership interests in the Financial Products Companies that it holds. Even though FSAH will no longer own the Financial Products Companies after the Acquisition, FSA's guarantees of the GICs and MTNs and other guarantees related to FSA's MTN and Leveraged Tax Lease Businesses generally will remain in place. While Dexia and/or certain of its affiliates and FSAH have entered into and are expected to enter into, at closing, a number of agreements pursuant to which Dexia and certain of its affiliates will assume the credit and liquidity risks associated with FSAH's former Financial Products business, FSA may still be subject to certain of these risks (as further described below). To the extent FSA is required to pay any amounts on financial products written by the Financial Products Companies, FSA will be subject to the risk that it will not receive the guarantee payment from Dexia and/or its affiliates or otherwise receive funds from Dexia or the Belgian State and/or French State before it is required to make the payment under its financial guarantee policies or that it will not receive the guarantee payment at all. See "Description of the Acquisition Financial Products Agreements."

We will have substantial credit and liquidity exposure to Dexia and the Belgian and French states.

Dexia and its affiliates have entered into and are expected to enter into, at closing, a number of agreements pursuant to which Dexia and/or certain of its affiliates will guarantee certain amounts, lend certain amounts or post liquid collateral to or in respect of FSAH's former Financial Products business. In addition, Dexia has agreed (directly or through an affiliate) to provide a liquidity facility to FSA in an amount not to exceed \$1 billion for the purpose of covering the liquidity risk arising out of claims payable in respect of "strip coverages" included in FSAH's leveraged tax lease business. See "Description of the Acquisition Financial Products Agreements." While these various agreements, are intended to shield Assured from paying any amounts in respect of the liabilities of the Financial Products business, Assured will remain subject to the risk that Dexia and/or various affiliates, and even the Belgian State and/or the French State, may not make such amounts or securities available (a) on a timely basis, which is referred to as "liquidity risk," or (b) at all, which is referred to as "credit risk," because of the risk of default. Even if Dexia and its affiliates and/or the Belgian State or French State have sufficient assets to pay all amounts when due, concerns regarding Dexia's or such States' financial condition could cause one or more rating agencies to view negatively the ability of Dexia and its affiliates or such States to perform under their various agreements and could negatively affect FSA's ratings.

Dexia and FSAH have entered into and are entering into a number of agreements pursuant to which Dexia and/or certain of its affiliates will guarantee the assets and liabilities of the GIC Issuers and FSAM and its subsidiary for the benefit of FSA. Certain of these obligations also benefit from a guarantee from the Belgian and French States. See "Description of the Acquisition Financial Products

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Agreements." As of March 31, 2009, the liabilities of the GIC Issuers and FSAM and its subsidiary exceeded their assets by approximately \$8.7 billion (before any tax effects). To the extent FSA is required to pay any amounts in respect of the liabilities of these companies, FSA will be subject to the risk that it will not receive the guarantee payment from Dexia, Dexia's affiliates, the Belgian State and/or the French State before it is required to make the payment under its financial guarantee policy or that it will not receive the guarantee payment at all.

In addition, if a Dexia event of default were to occur, we may be required to direct the administration and management of the assets and liabilities of the GIC subsidiaries and could be delayed in our ability to utilize the collateral posted by Dexia and its affiliate under the credit support annexes. See "Description of the Acquisition Financial Products Agreements." Any delay in the GIC subsidiaries paying amounts due and payable in connection with the GIC business related to our assuming the obligation to direct the administration and management of the GIC subsidiaries' assets and liabilities or related to a delay in our access to the collateral posted by Dexia and its affiliate could require FSA to pay claims, and in some cases significant claims, under the FSA guarantees related to FSAH's Financial Products business in a relatively short period of time. Any failure of FSA to satisfy these obligations under its guarantees could negatively affect FSA's rating. See "A downgrade of the financial strength or financial enhancement ratings of FSA could adversely affect its business and prospects and, consequently, our results of operations and financial condition and thus the benefits we would otherwise gain from the Acquisition" below.

Restrictions on the conduct of FSA's business after the closing will limit Assured's operating and financial flexibility.

Under the Purchase Agreement, we have agreed to conduct FSA's business subject to certain restraints. These restrictions will generally continue for three years after the closing of the Acquisition. Among other things, we have agreed that unless FSA is rated below A1 by Moody's and below AA- by S&P, FSA will not write any business except municipal bond and infrastructure bond insurance, whether written directly, assumed, reinsured or occurring through any merger transaction. We have also agreed that FSA will not repurchase, redeem or pay any dividends in relation to any class of equity interests unless (i) (A) at such time FSA is rated at least AA- by S&P, AA- by Fitch and Aa3 by Moody's (if such rating agencies still rate financial guaranty insurers generally) and (B) the aggregate amount of such dividends in any year does not exceed 125% of FSAH's debt service requirements for that year or (ii) FSA receives prior rating agency confirmation that such action would not cause any rating currently assigned to FSA to be downgraded immediately following such action. These agreements will limit Assured's operating and financial flexibility.

Although we expect that the acquisition of FSAH will result in benefits to Assured, we may not realize those benefits because of integration difficulties.

Integrating the operations of Assured and FSAH successfully or otherwise realizing any of the anticipated benefits of the Acquisition, including anticipated cost savings and additional revenue opportunities, involve a number of potential challenges. The failure to meet these integration challenges could seriously harm our results of operations and the market price of the Assured common shares may decline as a result.

Realizing the benefits of the Acquisition will depend in part on the integration of information technology systems, operations and personnel. These integration activities are complex and time-consuming and we may encounter unexpected difficulties or incur unexpected costs, including:

diversion of management attention from ongoing business concerns to integration matters;

difficulties in consolidating and rationalizing information technology platforms and administrative infrastructures; and

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difficulties in combining corporate cultures, maintaining employee morale and retaining key employees.

We may not successfully integrate the operations of Assured and FSAH in a timely manner and we may not realize the anticipated net reductions in costs and expenses and other benefits and synergies of the Acquisition to the extent, or in the time frame, anticipated. In addition to the integration risks discussed above, our ability to realize these net reductions in costs and expenses and other benefits and synergies could be adversely impacted by practical or legal constraints on our ability to combine operations.

Subject to certain limitations, Dexia Holdings may sell Assured common shares at any time following the one year anniversary of the Purchase Agreement, which could cause our stock price to decrease.

Dexia Holdings has agreed not to transfer any of the Assured common shares received in connection with the Acquisition at any time