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

FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): June 15, 2005

RenaissanceRe Holdings Ltd.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

34-0-26512

Bermuda (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

(Commission File Number) 98-014-1974 (IRS Employer Identification No.)

Renaissance House 8-20 East Broadway, Pembroke

Bermuda

(Address of principal executive offices)

HM 19 (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (441) 295-4513

Not Applicable

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

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions:

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- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Item 8.01. Other Events.

On June 15, 2005, RenaissanceRe Holdings Ltd. (the "Company") issued a press release, which is attached as Exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K and is incorporated herein by reference.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(c) Exhibits.

The following exhibits are filed as part of this report:

Exhibit # Description

99.1

Copy of the Company's press release, issued June 15, 2005.

SIGNATURES

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

RENAISSANCERE HOLDINGS LTD.

By: /s/ Stephen H. Weinstein

Name: Stephen H. Weinstein Title: General Counsel, Corporate Secretary & Chief Compliance Officer

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RenaissanceRe Holdings Ltd. Announces Receipt of Subpoena

Pembroke, Bermuda, June 15, 2005 — RenaissanceRe Holdings Ltd. (NYSE: RNR) announced today that it has received a subpoena from the United States Attorney for the Southern District of New York requesting information relating to the use of finite risk insurance and related products. The Company understands that other insurance industry participants have received similar subpoenas. As previously disclosed by the Company, the Securities and Exchange Commission and the Office of the Attorney General for the State of New York are also currently investigating these matters. The Company intends to cooperate in responding to these requests.

RenaissanceRe Holdings Ltd. is a global provider of reinsurance and insurance. Our business consists of two segments: (1) Reinsurance, which includes catastrophe reinsurance, specialty reinsurance and certain joint ventures and other investments managed by our subsidiary RenaissanceRe Ventures Ltd., and (2) Individual Risk business, which includes primary insurance and quota share reinsurance.

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