CRIM STEPHEN R

Form 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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1(b).

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may continue.

See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * CRIM STEPHEN R			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol AMERICAN SAFETY INSURANCE HOLDINGS LTD [ASI]				'D	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner				
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)				_X_ Officer (give below)	er (specify				
100 GALLERIA PARKWAY			(Month/Day/Year) 12/01/2011						CEO			
SE, SUITE	700											
	(Street) 4. If Ame				f Amendment, Date Original				6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
Filed(M				nth/Day/Yea	ır)				Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person			
ATLANTA, GA 30339								Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tabl	le I - Non-	D	erivative S	Securi	ities Acqu	iired, Disposed of	, or Beneficial	ly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction D (Month/Day/Yea	ar) Execution	med 3. 4. Securities Acquired on Date, if Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Day/Year) (Instr. 8) (A) or			of (D) 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. 7. Nature of Ownership Indirect (D) or Ownership Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)				
Common Stock	12/01/2011			Code V M		Amount 20,000	(D)	Price \$ 8.85	207,094	D		
Common Stock	12/01/2011			F		8,187	D	\$ 21.62	198,907	D		

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of or Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Option to Purchase Common Stock	\$ 8.85	12/01/2011		M		20,000	01/18/2005	01/18/2012	Common Stock	20,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
. 0	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
CRIM STEPHEN R 100 GALLERIA PARKWAY SE							
SUITE 700	X		CEO				
ATLANTA, GA 30339							

Signatures

Stephen R. Crim 12/02/2011

**Signature of Person

Date

Reporting Person

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (1) Paid by surrender of 8,187 shares of Common Stock held by the Reporting Person for more than 1 year at \$21.62 per share.

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