

ALLIED WORLD ASSURANCE CO HOLDINGS LTD
 Form 4
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 Redmond John T

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 ALLIED WORLD ASSURANCE CO HOLDINGS LTD [AWH]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
 (Check all applicable)
 Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
 Pres, AWAC (Eur) & AWAC (Rein)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 ALLIED WORLD ASSURANCE CO HOLDINGS, LTD, 27 RICHMOND ROAD
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 05/27/2008

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4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|
| | | | | (A) or (D) Code V Amount Price | | | |
| Common Shares | 05/27/2008 | | M | 4,333 A \$ 24.27 | 31,590 | D | |
| Common Shares | 05/27/2008 | | S | 100 D \$ 45.56 | 31,490 | D | |
| Common Shares | 05/27/2008 | | S | 100 D \$ 45.55 | 31,390 | D | |
| Common Shares | 05/27/2008 | | S | 1,933 D \$ 45.53 | 29,457 | D | |

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|---------------|------------|---|-----|---|----------|--------|---|
| Common Shares | 05/27/2008 | S | 400 | D | \$ 45.51 | 29,057 | D |
| Common Shares | 05/27/2008 | S | 200 | D | \$ 45.5 | 28,857 | D |
| Common Shares | 05/27/2008 | S | 600 | D | \$ 45.47 | 28,257 | D |
| Common Shares | 05/27/2008 | S | 500 | D | \$ 45.46 | 27,757 | D |
| Common Shares | 05/27/2008 | S | 500 | D | \$ 45.52 | 27,257 | 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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number of Derivative Securities (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) | Amount or Number of Shares |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|--|--|---|----------------------------|
| Employee Stock Options (right to buy) | \$ 24.27 | 05/27/2008 | | M | 4,333 | 07/02/2003 ⁽¹⁾ 07/02/2012 | Common Shares | 4,333 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|--------------------------------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| Redmond John T ALLIED WORLD ASSURANCE CO HOLDINGS, LTD | | | Pres, AWAC (Eur) & AWAC (Rein) | |

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PEMBROKE, BERMUDA, D0 HM 08

Signatures

/s/ Wesley D. Dupont, by Power of
Attorney

05/29/2008

__Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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) These securities vested in four equal annual installments with the first installment vesting on the date shown.

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