

WHITE MOUNTAINS INSURANCE GROUP LTD
Form 8-K
October 14, 2014

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

October 13, 2014

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported)

WHITE MOUNTAINS INSURANCE GROUP, LTD.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Bermuda

1-8993

94-2708455

(State or other jurisdiction of
incorporation or organization)

(Commission file number)

(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

80 South Main Street, Hanover, New Hampshire 03755
(Address of principal executive offices)

(603) 640-2200

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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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 October 13, 2014, White Mountains Insurance Group, Ltd. (“White Mountains”) announced that it has made a majority investment in TRANZACT, a leading provider of end-to-end, performance-driven customer acquisition solutions to the insurance sector. White Mountains acquired approximately 63% of TRANZACT for a purchase price of \$178 million, representing an enterprise value of approximately \$280 million. Immediately following the closing, TRANZACT completed a recapitalization that allowed for the return of \$44 million in capital to White Mountains.

ITEM 9.01. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS.

(d) Exhibits

99.1 Press release dated October 13, 2014.

SIGNATURES

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

WHITE MOUNTAINS INSURANCE GROUP, LTD.

/s/ J. BRIAN PALMER

J. Brian Palmer

Vice President and

Chief Accounting Officer

DATED: October 14, 2014

By: