

WHITE MOUNTAINS INSURANCE GROUP LTD  
Form 8-K  
May 30, 2006

# 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

May 25, 2006

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported)

## WHITE MOUNTAINS INSURANCE GROUP, LTD.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**Bermuda**  
(State or other jurisdiction of  
incorporation or organization)

**1-8993**  
(Commission file  
number)

**94-2708455**  
(I.R.S. Employer  
Identification No.)

**Harborside Financial Center, Plaza 5,  
Jersey City, New Jersey 07311-1114**  
(Address of principal executive offices)

**(201) 631-3300**

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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  - o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))
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**ITEM 8.01 Other Events.**

White Mountains Insurance Group, Ltd. today announced that John J. Byrne has been elected Chairman of its Board of Directors. Mr. Byrne replaces George J. Gillespie, III, who remains a Director. Mr. Gillespie replaced Mr. Byrne as Chairman in November 2003.

**ITEM 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits**

(d) Exhibits. The following exhibit is furnished herewith:

**EXHIBIT INDEX**

99.1 Press Release of White Mountains Insurance Group, Ltd. dated May 26, 2006.

**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.

DATED: May 30,  
2006

By:

/s/ J. BRIAN PALMER

J. Brian Palmer  
*Chief Accounting Officer*

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