

SCOLLO JOSEPH D
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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
SCOLLO JOSEPH D

(Last) (First) (Middle)

44 CHURCH STREET, P O BOX HM2064

(Street)

HAMILTON, D0 99999

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
AMERICAN SAFETY INSURANCE HOLDINGS LTD [ASI]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
01/30/2009

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

___ Director ___ 10% Owner
X Officer (give title below) ___ Other (specify below)
Exec. VP/COO

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
X Form filed by One Reporting Person
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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)	Amount or Price		
Common Stock	01/30/2009	01/30/2009	D	D	2,000 (1) \$ 13.96	D	
Common Stock	01/30/2009	01/30/2009	A	A	5,374 (1) (2) \$ 9.5	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 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
Common Stock ⁽³⁾	\$ 9.5	01/30/2009	01/29/2009	A	10,000	02/12/2000 02/12/2009	Common Stock 10,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
SCOLLO JOSEPH D 44 CHURCH STREET P O BOX HM2064 HAMILTON, D0 99999			Exec. VP/COO	

Signatures

Joseph D.
Scollo, Jr. 02/02/2009

**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) 2,000 shares surrendered @ \$13.96 per share to purchase 2,938 shares of 10,000 share option exercise
- (2) 4,626 shares surrendered @ \$14.50 per share to purchase 2,436 shares of 10,000 share option exercise
- (3) Options exercised 01/29/2009

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