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FORM 10-Q

QUARTERLY REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934 For the quarterly period ended September 30, 2015

For the quarterly period ended September 30, 2015 Commission File Number 001-35761

United Insurance Holdings Corp. (Exact name of Registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware

(State of Incorporation)

75-3241967 (IRS Employer Identification Number)

360 Central Avenue, Suite 900St. Petersburg, Florida 33701(Address, including zip code, of principal executive offices)727-895-7737(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant (1) has filed all reports required to be filed by Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to file such reports), and (2) has been subject to such filing requirements for the past 90 days. Yes R No £

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant has submitted electronically and posted on its corporate Web site, if any, every Interactive Data File required to be submitted and posted pursuant to Rule 405 of Regulation S-T during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to submit and post such files). Yes R No £

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a large accelerated filer, an accelerated filer, a non-accelerated filer or a smaller reporting company. See the definitions of "large accelerated filer," "accelerated filer" and "smaller reporting company" in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act.

Large accelerated filer	£	Accelerated filer	þ
Non-accelerated filer	£	Smaller reporting company	£

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a shell company (as defined in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act). Yes £ No R

As of November 5, 2015; 21,527,817 shares of common stock, par value \$0.0001 per share, were outstanding.

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FORWARD-LOOKING STATEMENTS

Statements in this Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q as of September 30, 2015, and for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2015 (Form 10-Q) or in documents incorporated by reference that are not historical fact are "forward-looking statements" within the meaning of the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. These forward-looking statements include statements about anticipated growth in revenues, earnings per share, estimated unpaid losses on insurance policies, investment returns and expectations about our liquidity, and our ability to meet our investment objectives and to manage and mitigate market risk with respect to our investments. These statements are based on current expectations, estimates and projections about the industry and market in which we operate, and management's beliefs and assumptions. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, words such as "may," "will," "expect," "believe," "anticipate," "intend," "could," "would," "estimate," or "continue" or the negative variations thereof or co terminology are intended to identify forward-looking statements. Forward-looking statements are not guarantees of future performance and involve certain known and unknown risks and uncertainties that could cause actual results to differ materially from those expressed or implied by such statements. The risks and uncertainties include, without limitation:

the regulatory, economic and weather conditions present in the states in which we operate;

the impact of new federal or state regulations that affect the property and casualty insurance market;

the cost and availability of reinsurance;

assessments charged by various governmental agencies;

pricing competition and other initiatives by competitors;

our ability to attract and retain the services of senior management;

the outcome of litigation pending against us, including the terms of any settlements;

dependence on investment income and the composition of our investment portfolio and related market risks;

our exposure to catastrophic events and severe weather conditions;

downgrades in our financial strength ratings; and

other risks and uncertainties described in the section entitled "Risk Factors" in Part I, Item 1A in our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2014 and in Part II, <u>Item 1A</u> of this Form 10-Q.

We caution you not to place reliance on these forward-looking statements, which are valid only as of the date they were made. We undertake no obligation to update or revise any forward-looking statements to reflect new information or the occurrence of unanticipated events or otherwise. In addition, we prepare our financial statements in accordance with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP), which prescribes when we may reserve for particular risks, including litigation exposures. Accordingly, our results for a given reporting period could be significantly affected if and when we establish a reserve for a major contingency. Therefore, the results we report in certain accounting periods may appear to be volatile.

These forward-looking statements are subject to numerous risks, uncertainties and assumptions about us described in our filings with the SEC. The forward-looking events that we discuss in our Form 10-Q are valid only as of the date of our Form 10-Q and may not occur in light of the risks, uncertainties and assumptions that we describe from time to time in our filings with the SEC. A detailed discussion of these and other risks and uncertainties that could cause actual results and events to differ materially from our forward-looking statements is included in the section entitled "RISK FACTORS" in Part I, Item 1A in our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2014 and in Part II, Item 1A of this Form 10-Q. Except as required by applicable law, we undertake no obligation and disclaim any obligation to publicly update or revise any forward-looking statements, whether as a result of new information, future events or otherwise.

PART I. FINANCIAL INFORMATION

Item 1. Financial Statements

Consolidated Balance Sheets

ASSETS	September 30, 2015 (Unaudited)	December 31, 2014
Investments available for sale, at fair value:		
Fixed maturities (amortized cost of \$415,605 and \$350,063, respectively)	\$418,399	\$352,630
Equity securities (adjusted cost of \$22,896 and \$22,278, respectively)	24,303	25,987
Other investments (amortized cost of \$2,734 and \$2,749, respectively)	3,036	3,010
Total investments	\$445,738	\$381,627
Cash and cash equivalents	84,341	61,391
Accrued investment income	2,565	2,239
Property and equipment, net	15,343	8,022
Premiums receivable, net	46,389	31,369
Reinsurance recoverable on paid and unpaid losses	2,804	2,068
Prepaid reinsurance premiums	120,657	63,827
Goodwill	4,196	
Deferred policy acquisition costs	46,928	31,925
Other assets	11,719	1,701
Total Assets	\$780,680	\$584,169
LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY		
Liabilities:		
Unpaid losses and loss adjustment expenses	\$71,943	\$54,436
Unearned premiums	299,419	229,486
Reinsurance payable	118,440	45,254
Other liabilities	51,048	37,701
Notes payable	12,647	13,529
Total Liabilities	\$553,497	\$380,406
Commitments and contingencies (Note 9)		
Stockholders' Equity:		
Preferred stock, \$0.0001 par value; 1,000,000 shares authorized; none issued or		
outstanding	—	
Common stock, \$0.0001 par value; 50,000,000 shares authorized; 21,739,900 and		
21,116,497 issued; 21,527,817 and 20,904,414 outstanding for 2015 and 2014,	2	2
respectively		
Additional paid-in capital	96,718	82,380
Treasury shares, at cost; 212,083 shares	(431)	(431)
Accumulated other comprehensive income	2,763	4,011
Retained earnings	128,131	117,801
Total Stockholders' Equity	\$227,183	\$203,763
Total Liabilities and Stockholders' Equity	\$780,680	\$584,169
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See accompanying Notes to Unaudited Consolidated Financial Statements.

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Consolidated Statements of Comprehensive Income (Unaudited)

	Three Months Ended September 30,	Nine Months Ended September 30,
	2015 2014	2015 2014
REVENUE:		
Gross premiums written	\$155,985 \$105,065	\$425,183 \$322,986
Increase in gross unearned premiums	(27,252) (4,214) (60,286) (29,901)
Gross premiums earned	128,733 100,851	364,897 293,085
Ceded premiums earned	(44,730) (35,741) (122,394) (99,757)
Net premiums earned	84,003 65,110	242,503 193,328
Investment income	2,413 1,807	6,725 4,891
Net realized gains (losses)		