

PRIMUS GUARANTY LTD
Form 8-K
August 12, 2010

**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

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): August 12, 2010

PRIMUS GUARANTY, LTD.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Bermuda

001-32307

98-0402357

(State or other jurisdiction
of incorporation)

(Commission File Number)

(IRS Employer Identification No.)

**Clarendon House
2 Church Street
Hamilton HM 11, Bermuda**

(Address of principal executive offices)

(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: **441-296-0519**

Not Applicable

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report.)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions:

- Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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 - Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
 - Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))
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Item 2.02. Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

(a) On August 12, 2010, Primus Guaranty, Ltd. (the Registrant) issued a press release announcing operating results for the quarter ended June 30, 2010 as well as a letter to shareholders discussing the Registrant's performance, key strategic developments and other issues. A copy of the press release is furnished as Exhibit 99.1 and a copy of the shareholder letter is furnished as Exhibit 99.2 to this Current Report. These exhibits shall not be deemed to be filed for purposes of Section 18 of the U.S. Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, and shall not be incorporated by reference in any filing by the Registrant under the U.S. Securities Act of 1933, as amended.

Statements in the press release and the letter referred to above that are not historical facts are forward-looking and based on management's projections, assumptions and estimates; actual results may vary materially. Forward-looking statements are subject to certain risks and uncertainties, which may change over time and which include but are not limited to: fluctuations in the economic, credit, interest rate or foreign currency environment in the United States and abroad; the level of activity within the national and international credit and capital markets; the level of activity in the leveraged loan, leveraged buyout and private equity markets; competitive conditions and pricing levels; changes in ratings agency requirements or methodology; counterparty limits and risks; legislative and regulatory developments, including changes in accounting principles; technological developments; changes in tax laws; changes in national or international political or economic conditions, including any terrorist attacks; successful implementation of the Registrant's 2010 Business Outlook and Strategies and its ability to build upon the CypressTree Investment Management acquisition and manage its collateralized loan obligations and other products; the Registrant's ability to attract third-party capital to Primus Asset Management's managed funds and its asset management business generally; the effects of implementation of new or revised accounting pronouncements and uncertainties that have not been identified at this time. Further factors concerning financial risks and results are contained in the Registrant's Annual Report on Form 10-K and other reports filed with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission. Such statements are made pursuant to the safe harbor provisions of the U.S. Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995 and identify important risk factors that could cause the Registrant's actual results to differ materially from those expressed in any projected, estimated or forward-looking statements relating to the Registrant.

Consequently, all of the forward-looking statements made in the press release and the letter referred to above are qualified by these cautionary statements, and there can be no assurance that the actual results or developments anticipated by the Registrant will be realized or, even if substantially realized, that they will have the expected consequences to, or effects on, the Registrant or its business or operations. The Registrant assumes no obligation to, and does not undertake to, update publicly any such forward-looking statements.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(c) Exhibits.

| Exhibit No. | Description |
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| 99.1 | Press Release dated August 12, 2010 issued by the Registrant. |
| 99.2 | Letter to Shareholders dated August 12, 2010 from the Registrant's Chief Executive Officer. |

Signature

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 hereunto duly authorized.

PRIMUS GUARANTY, LTD.

By: /S/ Richard Claiden
Richard Claiden
Chief Financial and Operating Officer
(Duly Authorized Officer)

Date: August 12, 2010

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