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WHITE MOUNTAINS INSURANCE GROUP LTD Form 8-K August 25, 2017 **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 August 24, 2017 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)

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)) Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act of 1933(§230.405 of this chapter) or Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (§240.12b-2 of this chapter).

Emerging growth company o

If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act. o

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ITEM 5.02. Departure of Directors or Principal Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Principal Officer.

On August 24, 2017, the Board of Directors (the "Board") of White Mountains Insurance Group, Ltd. (the "Company") voted to elect Mary C. Choksi as a new director, effective immediately. In connection with Ms. Choksi's election, the size of the Board was increased from seven persons to eight persons. Ms. Choksi will hold office as a director on the Board until the Company's next annual meeting of shareholders and until her successor is elected and qualified or until her earlier resignation or removal.

Ms. Choksi will receive compensation for her service on the Board in accordance with the Company's standard compensatory arrangement for non-employee directors. A description of the Company's non-employee director compensation appears under the caption "Director Compensation" in the Company's Proxy Statement filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on April 19, 2017.

Our press release announcing Ms. Choksi's election is attached as Exhibit 99.1 and incorporated by reference herein.

ITEM 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits. (d) Exhibits

99.1 Press Release, dated as of August 25, 2017

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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. (Registrant)

/s/ J. BRIAN PALMER

DATED: August 25, 2017 By:

J. Brian Palmer

Managing Director and Chief Accounting Officer