

XL GROUP PLC  
Form 8-K  
July 13, 2016

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): July 13, 2016

XL GROUP

Public Limited Company

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Ireland	1-10804	98-0665416
	(Commission	
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)	File	(IRS Employer Identification No.)
	Number)	

XL House, 8 St. Stephen's Green, Dublin, Ireland	2
(Address of principal executive offices)	(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: +353 (1) 400-5500

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 (see General Instruction A.2. below):

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  - .. 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.

XL Group plc (the “Company”) issued a press release on July 13, 2016 announcing its second quarter 2016 preliminary loss estimate for natural catastrophes. A copy of the press release is attached as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated herein by reference.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

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

Exhibit No.	Description
99.1	Press Release ("XL Group plc Announces its Second Quarter 2016 Preliminary Loss Estimate for Natural Catastrophes") dated July 13, 2016.

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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 hereunto duly authorized.

XL Group plc

(Registrant)

Date: July 13, 2016      By: /s/ Kirstin Gould  
Kirstin Gould  
General Counsel and  
Secretary