

EVEREST RE GROUP LTD  
Form 8-K  
September 18, 2006  
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)

September 15, 2006

## Everest Re Group, Ltd.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

|   |                             |                                      |
|---|-----------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| Bermuda   | 1-15731                     | 98-0365432                           |
| (State or other jurisdiction<br>of incorporation) | (Commission<br>File Number) | (IRS Employer<br>Identification No.) |
| Wessex House 2 <sup>nd</sup> Floor                |                             |                                      |
| 45 Reid Street                                    |                             |                                      |
| PO Box HM 845                                     |                             |                                      |
| Hamilton HM DX, Bermuda                           |                             | Not Applicable                       |
| (Address of principal executive offices)          |                             | (Zip Code)                           |

Registrant's telephone number, including area code 441-295-0006

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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):

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 5.02 DEPARTURE OF DIRECTORS OR PRINCIPAL OFFICERS; ELECTION OF DIRECTORS; APPOINTMENT OF PRINCIPAL OFFICERS**

On September 15, 2006, the registrant issued a news release announcing the retirement of its Chief Financial Officer as of December 31, 2006. A copy of that news release is furnished herewith as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated herein by reference.

In accordance with general instruction B.2 of Form 8-K, the information in this report, including exhibits, is furnished pursuant to Item 2.02 and shall not be deemed filed for the purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, or otherwise subject to the liability of that section.

**Item 9.01 FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS**

(c) Exhibits

| <u>Exhibit No.</u>               | <u>Description</u>              |
|----------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| 99.1<br>dated September 15, 2006 | News Release of the registrant, |

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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.

EVEREST RE GROUP, LTD.

By: /s/ STEPHEN L. LIMAURO  
Stephen L. Limauro

Executive Vice President and

Chief Financial Officer

Dated: September 15, 2006

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News Release of the registrant,  
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