PARTNERRE LTD Form 8-K September 08, 2014

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 8, 2014

PartnerRe Ltd. (Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

> Bermuda (State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)

Not Applicable

(Commission File Number) (IRS Employer Identification No.)

HM 08

Wellesley House, 90 Pitts Bay Road, Pembroke, Bermuda (Address of Principal Executive

Offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (441) 292-0888

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):

- o 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
- o 240.13e-4(c))

Item 8.01 Other Events

On September 8, 2014, PartnerRe Ltd. (the "Company") announced that its Board of Directors has approved a share repurchase authorization for a total of up to 5 million common shares. This authorization supersedes the Company's previous authorization.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

(d) Exhibits.

Exhibit No. Description

99.1 Press Release of PartnerRe Ltd., dated September 8, 2014

#### **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.

PartnerRe Ltd. (Registrant)

Date: September 8, 2014 By: /s/ Marc Wetherhill

Name: Marc Wetherhill Title: Chief Legal Counsel

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