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USQRisk raises \$3.25M in strategic seed capital from Maiden Holdings, Ltd.

USQRisk, the recently formed alternative risk transfer managing general agent, announced that a unit of Maiden Holdings, Ltd. (“Maiden”) has provided \$3.25 million of seed capital to accelerate the MGA’s expansion. As part of its strategic investment, Lawrence F. Metz and Patrick J. Haveron, Co-Chief Executive Officers of Bermuda-based Maiden, will join the board of directors of USQRisk Holdings, LLC.

The funding provided by Maiden allows USQRisk to expand its operations to meet the market’s needs for alternative risk solutions at a time when constraints within the traditional insurance market are driving corporations and their brokers to seek stable risk transfer and risk financing structures.

USQRisk’s principal focus is delivering alternative risk transfer solutions to corporate and financial sector clients. Maiden’s funding allows USQRisk to grow its team of seasoned alternative risk professionals to meet the increase demand for such solutions and to accelerate the development of its programs and advisory platform.

“Our aim is to be the premier alternative risk structuring shop in the United States by building a standard of excellence focused on innovative solutions, execution and sustainable client partnerships. Maiden’s seed financing allows us to do that with a partner that will help us execute on a broader range of opportunities too,” said Anibal Moreno, CEO of USQRisk.

“We believe Anibal, Michael Zipper and the USQRisk team’s proven expertise in the alternative risk transfer market positions it to capitalize on abundant opportunities emerging in this market, particularly given the cycle turn presently underway”, said Haveron and Metz. “USQRisk’s multiple pillar approach to serving its clients should enhance its presence in the market at a critical time, and we believe Maiden’s support will help accelerate implementation of USQRisk’s business plan. We look forward to partnering with USQRisk as they begin their journey in serving this vital industry segment.”



The partnership between USQRisk and Maiden indicates the growing interest of industry investors in the alternative risk market and its potential in the current risk pricing cycle and financial climate. Through the relationship with USQRisk, Maiden will have insight into unique risk and investment opportunities and an ability to further partner with USQRisk to exploit them.

About USQ

USQRisk offers unique, structured risk solutions to provide clients with guidance and concrete solutions needed in a changing risk-pricing and economic climate - transforming risk into value for corporate clients using bespoke capital and (re)insurance solutions.

About USQRisk's Team

USQRisk's professionals have a combined 300+ years of industry-leader experience ranging across alternative risk transfer, (re)insurance, insuretech, advisory, portfolio management, and capital management. USQRisk's operating team is supported by a prominent, dedicated advisory group of veteran industry experts.

About Maiden Holdings

Maiden Holdings, Ltd. is a Bermuda-based holding company formed in 2007.