XL GROUP PLC Form 8-K October 19, 2015

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE C Washington, D.C. 20549 FORM 8-K CURRENT REPORT Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of th Date of Report (Date of earliest even XL GROUP Public Limited Company	e Securities Exchange Act of		
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)			
Ireland	1-10804		98-0665416
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)	(Commission File Number)		(IRS Employer Identification No.)
XL House, 8 St. Stephen's Green, Dublin, Ireland (Address of principal executive offices)		2 (Zip Co	ode)
Registrant's telephone number, including area code: +353 (1) 400-5500 Not Applicable (Former name or former address, if changed since last report)			

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Item 8.01. Other Events.XL Group plc issued a press release on October 19, 2015. A copy of the press release is attached as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated by reference herein.Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.(d) Exhibits.

Exhibit No.Description99.1Press Release ("XL Group plc announces preliminary loss estimates for Tianjin port
explosion and natural peril catastrophes") dated October 19, 2015.

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: October 19, 2015

By: /s/ Kirstin Gould Kirstin Gould General Counsel and Secretary