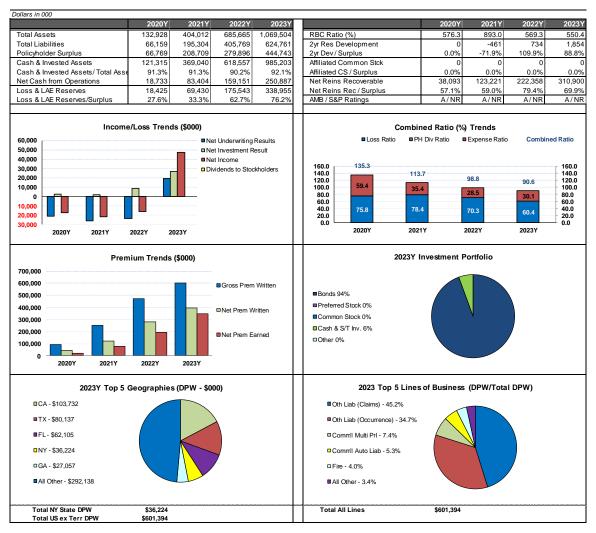


ASCOT SPECIALTY INSURANCE COMPANY, NAIC #45055 CANADA PENSION PLAN INVESTMENT BOARD



TOP 5 REINSURERS FOR ASCOT SPECIALTY INSURANCE CO. BY GROSS RECOVERABLES PERIOD: 2023Y

| Dollars in 000 | | | | |
|---|-------------------|-------------------------------|----------------|-----------------------------|
| Reinsurer | Reinsurance Class | Reins Authorized Status | Gross Recov | Over 120 Days Overdue |
| 1 - Partner Reinsurance Company of the U.S. | US Unaffiliated | Authorized | 41,968 | 0 |
| 2 - Renaissance Reinsurance U.S. Inc. | US Unaffiliated | Authorized | 30,207 | 0 |
| 3 - ACE Property and Casualty Insurance Company | US Unaffiliated | Authorized | 29,275 | 0 |
| 4 - Munich Reinsurance America, Inc. | US Unaffiliated | Authorized | 27,400 | 0 |
| 5 - Odyssev Reinsurance Company | US Unaffiliated | Authorized | 23.058 | 0 |

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HISTORY

Ascot Specialty Insurance Company (Ascot Specialty) was incorporated in 1974, in Rhode Island, as Frontier Insurance Company. The company was renamed Coventry Insurance Company in 1986 and went dormant in 1989. In 2017, the company was acquired by Greyhawk Insurance Company (GIC) and renamed Greyhawk Specialty Insurance Company (GSIC). In October 2018, GIC and GSIC were acquired by Ascot US Holding Corporation, a wholly owned subsidiary of Ascot Group, Ltd (Ascot) (Bermuda), itself wholly owned by the Canada Pension Plan Investment Board (CPPIB). The company was re-activated and recapitalized in 2018 to expand Ascot United States business writing in; Environmental Liability, Professional Lines, Mergers and Acquisition, and Property, as facilitated through its Lloyds syndicate 1414, and its programs and program business. Ascot Specialty became eligible in New York in May 2019. As of December 31, 2023, the company is licensed in Rhode Island and eligible to write surplus lines insurance in forty-nine (49) states and the District of Columbia.

REINSURANCE

Ascot Specialty started writing new business in 2019 after having been dormant for many years, as such has limited historical reported claims experience. The Company cedes to various unaffiliated named reinsurers. The Company benefits from a contractual indemnity from the former owner of the Company, Atlas General Holdings, LLC, whereby all insurance and non- insurance obligations, liabilities, and contingencies not otherwise disclosed to the Company as at October 4, 2018, date of Acquisition by AGL, are fully indemnified by Atlas.

HOLDING COMPANY

Founded in 1997 with headquarters in Toronto, Canada, The Canada Pension Plan Investment Board (CCP Investment Board) invests pension investments and maintains and pays pensions on behalf of over 20 million Canadians. The CCP Investment Board is a Canadian Crown Corporation and recognized as a private equity company. Founded in 2001, the Ascot Group is a Bermuda domiciled specialty insurance and reinsurance business with four (4) operating divisions: Ascot Underwriting, the Managing Agency for Lloyd's Syndicate 1414; Ascot Bermuda, which writes excess insurance and reinsurance; Ascot U.S., a specialty insurance provider to middle market customers and Ethos Specialty, a New York headquartered Managing General Underwriter (MGU). Ascot specializes in global reinsurance, property, marine hull & liability, cargo, terrorism and political risk, energy, specie & fine art, casualty, personal accident, renewable energy and healthcare. AM Best collectively rates the seven (7) insurance subsidiaries of Ascot Group, including Ascot Specialty Insurance Company. For the years 2020 through 2023, AM Best rated the group 'A', and its ultimate parent, CPPIB, was rated 'AAA' by S&P. The Canada Pension Plan Investment Board (CPPIB) does not file publicly available financial information.

SUBSEQUENT NOTE WORTHY OBSERVATIONS

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