

Amtrust Financial Services, Inc.  
Form 8-K  
February 17, 2010

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) February 16, 2010

AmTrust Financial Services, Inc.  
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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| Delaware<br>(State or other jurisdiction<br>of incorporation) | 001-33143<br>(Commission<br>File Number) | 04-3106389<br>IRS Employer<br>Identification No.) |
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| 59 Maiden Lane,<br>6th Floor, New<br>York, New York<br>(Address of<br>principal<br>executive<br>offices) | 10038<br>(Zip Code) |
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Registrant's telephone number, including area code (212) 220-7120

(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):

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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 240.133-4 (c))

Item 2.02

RESULTS OF OPERATIONS AND FINANCIAL CONDITION

On February 16, 2010, AmTrust Financial Services, Inc. issued a press release announcing its results of operations for the fourth quarter ended December 31, 2009 and the scheduling of a conference call on February 17, 2010 with respect thereto. A copy of the press release is attached as Exhibit 99.1 to this Form 8-K and is furnished as Exhibit 99.1 to this report.

Item 9.01

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS.

- (a) Not applicable.
- (b) Not applicable.
- (c) Not applicable.
- (d) Exhibits.

Exhibit Number  
99.1

Description  
Press release dated February 16, 2010.

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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.

AmTrust Financial Services, Inc.  
(Registrant)

Date February 16, 2010

/s/ Stephen Ungar  
Stephen Ungar  
Secretary

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