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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) May 23, 2014

AmTrust Financial Services, Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware 001-33143 04-3106389
(State or other jurisdiction (Commission (IRS Employer of incorporation) File Number) Identification No.)

59 Maiden Lane, 43rd Floor, New York, New York

(Address of principal executive offices)

10038
(Zip Code)

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 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.133-4 (c))

Item 5.07 Submission of Matters to a Vote of Security Holders.

AmTrust Financial Services, Inc. (the "Company") held its 2014 Annual Meeting of Shareholders on May 23, 2014. The certified results of the matters voted upon at the meeting, which are more fully described in the Company's proxy statement, are as follows:

Description of Matters Submitted	For	Withheld	Broker Non-Vote	
1. Election of Directors: Donald T. DeCarlo Susan C. Fisch Abraham Gulkowitz George Karfunkel Michael Karfunkel Jay J. Miller Barry D. Zyskind	64,829,469 65,870,389 65,868,679 65,042,002 54,012,845 65,609,697 65,491,244	1,446,455 405,535 407,245 1,233,922 12,263,079 666,227 784,680	5,744,661 5,744,661 5,744,661 5,744,661 5,744,661 5,744,661	
2. Ratification of the appointment of BDO USA, LLP as the Company's independent auditor for the year ended December 31, 2014.	For 71,760,681	Against 210,327	Abstain 49,577	
3. Approval of advisory, non-binding resolution to approve the compensation of the Company's named executive officers as disclosed pursuant to the SEC's		Against	Abstain	Broker Non-Votes
compensation disclosure rules, including the Compensation Discussion and Analysis, the compensation tables, and the accompanying narrative disclosure, set forth in the Company's 2014 annual meeting proxy statement	2	3,100,544	78,546	5,744,676

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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 May 23, 2014

/s/ Stephen Ungar Stephen Ungar Senior Vice President, General Counsel and Secretary