

ASSURED GUARANTY LTD  
Form 8-K  
July 12, 2007

**UNITED STATES**  
**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington, D.C. 20549

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**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) July 12, 2007**

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**ASSURED GUARANTY LTD.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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**Bermuda**

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)

**001-32141**

(Commission File Number)

**98-0429991**

(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

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**Assured Guaranty Ltd.**

**30 Woodbourne Avenue**

**Hamilton HM 08 Bermuda**

(Address of principal executive offices)

**Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (441) 299-9375**

**Not applicable**

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

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  - o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))
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**Item 8.01 Other Events.**

On July 12, 2007, the Company issued a press release acknowledging that Moody's Investors Service (Moody's) has upgraded the insurance financial strength rating for Assured Guaranty Corp. and its wholly owned subsidiary Assured Guaranty (UK) Ltd. to Aaa with a stable outlook. The ratings of these two companies were previously under review for possible upgrade from Aa1. A copy of the press release is attached as Exhibit 99.1.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

**(d) Exhibits**

| Exhibit<br>Number | Description                       |
|-------------------|-----------------------------------|
| 99.1              | Press Release dated July 12, 2007 |

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 thereunto duly authorized.

ASSURED GUARANTY LTD.

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| By: | /s/ James M. Michener |                   |
|     | Name:                 | James M. Michener |
|     | Title:                | General Counsel   |

DATE: July 12, 2007

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