

PRIMUS GUARANTY LTD

Form 4

February 17, 2005

FORM 4**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549**

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1(b).

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Claiden Richard

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O PRIMUS ASSET
MANAGEMENT, INC., 360
MADISON AVENUE, 23RD
FLOOR

(Street)

NEW YORK, NY 10017

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol

PRIMUS GUARANTY LTD [PRS]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)

10/05/2004

4. If Amendment, Date Original
Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

____ Director ____ 10% Owner
__X__ Officer (give title below) ____ Other (specify below)

Chief Financial Officer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
__X__ Form filed by One Reporting Person
____ Form filed by More than One Reporting
Person

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(D)	Price

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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**Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned
(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)**

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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)			
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Restricted Share Units	(1)	02/15/2005		A		10,280		(2)	(1)	Common Shares, par value \$.08 per share	10,280
Options to Purchase Common Shares	\$ 13.5	10/05/2004		A		18,750		(3)	10/05/2014	Common Shares, par value \$.08 per share	18,750

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director 10% Owner Officer Other
Claiden Richard C/O PRIMUS ASSET MANAGEMENT, INC. 360 MADISON AVENUE, 23RD FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10017	Chief Financial Officer

Signatures

/s/ Richard
Claiden 02/17/2005

__Signature of
Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. *See* 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (1) Not applicable.
- (2) The restricted share units vest in three equal annual installments beginning on February 15, 2006. Upon their vesting, restricted share units convert to the right to receive shares.
- (3) The options to purchase Common Shares vest in four equal annual installments beginning on October 5, 2005. The issuance of these options to purchase common shares was disclosed in the Issuer's Registration Statement on Form S-1 as filed under the Securities Act of 1933, but was inadvertently omitted in the Reporting Person's filings under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

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