Ingersoll-Rand plc Form 8-K April 20, 2012

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 - April 20, 2012

(Date of earliest event reported)

INGERSOLL-RAND PUBLIC LIMITED COMPANY

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

	of incorporation)	File Number) 170/175 Lakeview Drive	Identification No.)	
		Airside Business Park		
		Swords, Co. Dublin		
	Ireland			
	(Address of principal executive offices, including zip code)			
	+(353)(0)18707400			
	(Registrant s phone number, including area code)			
	N/A			
	(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:				
the following provisions.				
	Written communications pursuant to Rule	e 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)		
	Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-	12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)		
	Pre-commencement communications pur	rsuant 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 240.13e-4(c))

Item 2.02. Results of Operations and Financial Condition

On April 20, 2012, Ingersoll-Rand plc issued a press release announcing its first quarter 2012 results. The information in this

Form 8-K and the exhibit attached hereto shall not be deemed filed for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or otherwise subject to the liabilities under that section, nor shall it be deemed incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, except as shall be expressly set forth by specific reference.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits

(d) Exhibits

Exhibit

No. Description

99.1 Press Release of Ingersoll-Rand plc dated April 20, 2012.

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.

Date: April 20, 2012

INGERSOLL-RAND PUBLIC LIMITED COMPANY

(Registrant)

By: /s/ Steven R. Shawley Steven R. Shawley

Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

EXHIBIT INDEX

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Item 2(a). Name of Person Filing:

Item 2(b). Address of Principal Business Office:

Item 2(c). Citizenship:

Warren E. Buffett	Columbia Insurance Company 1314 Douglas	Finial Reinsurance Company	GEICO Advantage Insurance Company
3555 Farnam Street	Street	100 Stamford Plaza	
Omaha, Nebraska 68131	Omaha, Nebraska 68102	Stamford, Connecticut 06962	5260 Western Avenue Chevy Chase, Maryland 20815
United States Citizen	Nebraska corporation	Connecticut corporation	NT 1 1 2
			Nebraska corporation
Berkshire Hathaway Inc.	Central States of Omaha	National Indemnity Company of the South	GEICO Casualty Company.
3555 Farnam Street	Companies, Inc.	1014 5 1 0	5260 Western Avenue
Omaha, Nebraska 68131	1212 North 96th Street	1314 Douglas Street	Chevy Chase, Maryland 20815
·	Omaha,	Omaha, Nebraska 68102	
Delaware corporation	Nebraska 68114	Florida corporation	Maryland corporation
	Nebraska corporation		
National Indemnity Company	Central States Indemnity Company	Boat America Corporation	GEICO Choice Insurance Company
Company	Company	880 South Pickett Street	Company
1314 Douglas Street	1212 North 96th Street	Alexandria, Virginia 22304	5260 Western Avenue Chevy Chase, Maryland
Omaha, Nebraska 68102	Omaha, Nebraska 68114	Alexandria, Virginia 22304	20815 Nebraska corporation
Nebraska corporation	Nebraska corporation	Virginia corporation	
Berkshire Hathaway	Nebraska corporation CSI Life Insurance Company	GEICO Marine Insurance	GEICO Secure Insurance
•	•		GEICO Secure Insurance Company

Omaha, Nebraska 68102	Nebraska 68114	Alexandria, Virginia 22304	5260 Western Avenue Chevy Chase, Maryland
Nebraska corporation	Nebraska corporation	Maryland corporation	20815
			Nebraska corporation
Berkshire Hathaway	National Liability & Fire	National Fire & Marine	Redwood Fire & Casualty
Specialty Insurance Company	Insurance Company	Insurance Company	Insurance Company
	1314 Douglas Street Omaha,	1314 Douglas Street Omaha,	1314 Douglas Street
1314 Douglas Street	NE 68102	NE 68102	Omaha, NE 68102
Omaha, Nebraska 68102	Connecticut corporation	Nebraska corporation	Nebraska corporation
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National Indemnity Company	Oak River Insurance Company	AmGUARD Insurance Company	EastGUARD Insurance Company
of MidAmerica Insurance Company	1314 Douglas Street	16 South River Street	16 South River Street
	Omaha, NE 68102	Wilkes-Barre, PA 18703	Wilkes-Barre, PA 18703
1314 Douglas Street	Nebraska corporation	Pennsylvania corporation	Pennsylvania corporation
Omaha, NE 68102	reoraska corporation	Temisyrvania corporation	Temisyrvama corporation
Iowa corporation			
NorGUARD Insurance Company	WestGUARD Insurance Company	Berkshire Hathaway Homestate Insurance Company	Berkshire Hathaway Direct Insurance Company
16 South River Street	16 South River Street	1 3	1314 Douglas Street
Wilkes-Barre, PA 18703	Wilkes-Barre, PA 18703	1314 Douglas Street	Omaha, NE 68102
Pennsylvania corporation	Pennsylvania corporation	Omaha, NE 68102	Delaware corporation
• •		Nebraska corporation	•

(d) Title of Class of Securities:

Common Stock

(e) CUSIP Number:

459200101

Item 3. If this statement is filed pursuant to §§240.13d-1(b), or 240.13d-2(b) or (c), check whether the person filing is a:

Warren E. Buffett (an individual who may be deemed to control Berkshire Hathaway Inc.), Berkshire Hathaway Inc., Central States of Omaha Companies, Inc. and Boat America Corporation are each a Parent Holding Company or Control Person, in accordance with §240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(G).

National Indemnity Company, Berkshire Hathaway Assurance Corporation, Berkshire Hathaway Specialty Insurance Company, Berkshire Hathaway Homestate Insurance Company, Columbia Insurance Company, Central States Indemnity Company of Omaha, CSI Life Insurance Company, Finial Reinsurance Company, National Indemnity Company of the South, GEICO Marine Insurance Company, GEICO Advantage Insurance Company, GEICO Casualty Company, GEICO Choice Insurance Company, GEICO Secure Insurance Company, National Fire and Marine Insurance Company, Redwood Fire & Casualty Insurance Company, National Indemnity of MidAmerica

Insurance Company, Oak River Insurance Company, AmGUARD Insurance Company, EastGUARD Insurance Company, NorGUARD Insurance Company, WestGUARD Insurance Company, Berkshire Hathaway Direct Insurance Company and National Liability & Fire Insurance Company are each an Insurance Company as defined in section 3(a)(19) of the Act.

The Reporting Persons together are a Group in accordance with §240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(K).

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Item 4. Ownership.

Provide the following information regarding the aggregate number and percentage of the class of securities of the issuer identified in Item 1.

(a) Amount beneficially owned:

See the Cover Pages for each of the Reporting Persons.

(b) Percent of class:

See the Cover Pages for each of the Reporting Persons.

- (c) Number of shares as to which such person has:
 - (i) sole power to vote or to direct the vote
 - (ii) shared power to vote or to direct the vote
 - (iii) sole power to dispose or to direct the disposition of
- (iv) shared power to dispose or to direct the disposition of See the Cover Pages for each of the Reporting Persons.

Item 5. Ownership of Five Percent or Less of a Class.

Not Applicable.

Item 6. Ownership of More than Five Percent on Behalf of Another Person.

Not Applicable.

Item 7. Identification and Classification of the Subsidiary Which Acquired the Security Being Reported on By the Parent Holding Company or Control Person.

See Exhibit A.

Item 8. Identification and Classification of Members of the Group.

See Exhibit A.

Item 9. Notice of Dissolution of Group.

Not Applicable.

Item 10. Certification.

By signing below I certify that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the securities referred to above were acquired and are held in the ordinary course of business and were not acquired and are not held for the purpose of or with the effect of changing or influencing the control of the issuer of the securities and were not acquired and are not held in connection with or as a participant in any transaction having that purpose or effect, other than activities solely in connection with a nomination under §240.14a-11.

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After reasonable inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, I certify that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

February 14, 2017 Date

/s/ Warren E. Buffett Signature

Warren E. Buffett Name Berkshire Hathaway Inc.

By: /s/ Warren E. Buffett Signature

Warren E. Buffett, Chairman of the Board Name/Title

> February 14, 2017 Date

Berkshire Hathaway Assurance Corporation Columbia Insurance Company Central States Indemnity Company of Omaha **CSI Life Insurance Company** Finial Reinsurance Company National Indemnity Company National Indemnity Company of the South GEICO Marine Insurance Company GEICO Advantage Insurance Company **GEICO Casualty Company GEICO Choice Insurance Company GEICO Secure Insurance Company** Central States of Omaha Companies, Inc. **Boat America Corporation** Berkshire Hathaway Specialty Insurance Company National Fire and Marine Insurance Company Redwood Fire & Casualty Insurance Company National Indemnity Company of MidAmerica **Insurance Company** Oak River Insurance Company AmGUARD Insurance Company EastGUARD Insurance Company NorGUARD Insurance Company

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WestGUARD Insurance Company Berkshire Hathaway Homestate Insurance Company

Berkshire Hathaway Direct Insurance Company

National Liability & Fire Insurance Company

By: /s/ Warren E. Buffett Signature

> Warren E. Buffett Attorney-in-Fact Name/Title

February 14, 2017 Date

SCHEDULE 13G

EXHIBIT A

RELEVANT SUBSIDIARIES AND MEMBERS OF FILING GROUP

PARENT HOLDING COMPANIES OR CONTROL PERSONS:

Warren E. Buffett (an individual who may be deemed to control Berkshire Hathaway Inc.)

Berkshire Hathaway Inc.

Central States of Omaha Companies, Inc.

Boat America Corporation

INSURANCE COMPANIES AS DEFINED IN SECTION 3(a)(19) OF THE ACT:

National Indemnity Company, Berkshire Hathaway Assurance Corporation, Berkshire Hathaway Specialty Insurance Company, Columbia Insurance Company, Central States Indemnity Company of Omaha, CSI Life Insurance Company, Finial Reinsurance Company, National Indemnity Company of the South, GEICO Marine Insurance Company, GEICO Advantage Insurance Company, GEICO Casualty Company, GEICO Choice Insurance Company, GEICO Secure Insurance Company, National Fire and Marine Insurance Company, Redwood Fire & Casualty Insurance Company, National Indemnity Company of MidAmerica Insurance Company, Oak River Insurance Company, AmGUARD Insurance Company, EastGUARD Insurance Company, NorGUARD Insurance Company, WestGUARD Insurance Company, Berkshire Hathaway Homestate Insurance Company, Berkshire Hathaway Direct Insurance Company and National Liability & Fire Insurance Company

SCHEDULE 13G

EXHIBIT B

JOINT FILING AGREEMENT PURSUANT TO RULE 13d-1(k)(1)

AND POWER OF ATTORNEY

The undersigned persons agree and consent to the joint filing on their behalf of Schedule 13G and all amendments thereto in connection with their beneficial ownership of the Common Stock of International Business Machines Corporation.

Each person other than Warren E. Buffett whose signature appears below hereby constitutes and appoints Warren E. Buffett as his true and lawful attorney-in-fact and agent with full power of substitution and resubstitution, to act for him and in his name, place and stead, in any and all capacities, to sign a Schedule 13G and any or all amendments to Schedule 13G in connection with the beneficial ownership of the Common Stock of International Business Machines Corporation, and to file the same, with all exhibits thereto, and other documents in connection therewith, with the Securities and Exchange Commission, granting unto said attorney-in-fact and agent full power and authority to do and perform each and every act and thing requisite and necessary to be done in and about the premises, as fully to all intents and purposes as he might or could do in person, hereby ratifying and confirming all that said attorney-in-fact and agent or his substitute may lawfully do or cause to be done by virtue hereof.

Dated: February 14, 2017 /S/ Warren E. Buffett

Warren E. Buffett

Berkshire Hathaway Inc.

/S/ Warren E. Buffett Dated: February 14, 2017

By: Warren E. Buffett

Title: Chairman of the Board

National Indemnity Company

Dated: February 14, 2017 /S/ Dale D. Geistkemper

By: Dale D. Geistkemper

Title: Treasurer

Berkshire Hathaway Assurance Corporation

Dated: February 14, 2017 /S/ Dale D. Geistkemper

By: Dale D. Geistkemper

Title: Treasurer

Columbia Insurance Company

Dated: February 14, 2017 /S/ Dale D. Geistkemper

By: Dale D. Geistkemper

Title: Treasurer

Central States of Omaha Companies, Inc.

Dated: February 14, 2017 /S/ Thomas B. Schlichting By: Thomas B. Schlichting

Title: CFO

	CSI Life Insurance Company
Dated: February 14, 2017	/S/ Thomas B. Schlichting By: Thomas B. Schlichting Title: CFO
	Central States Indemnity Company of Omaha
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	Finial Reinsurance Company
Dated: February 14, 2017	/S/ Dale D. Geistkemper By: Dale D. Geistkemper Title: Treasurer
	National Indemnity Company of the South
Dated: February 14, 2017	/S/ Dale D. Geistkemper By: Dale D. Geistkemper Title: Treasurer
	Boat America Corporation
Dated: February 14, 2017	/S/ Richard Schwartz By: Richard Schwartz Title: Chairman
	GEICO Marine Insurance Company
Dated: February 14, 2017	/S/ Jim Holler By: Jim Holler Title: President
	GEICO Advantage Insurance Company
Dated: February 14, 2017	/S/ William E. Roberts By: William E. Roberts Title: President

	GEICO Casualty Company
Dated: February 14, 2017	/S/ William E. Roberts By: William E. Roberts Title: President
	GEICO Choice Insurance Company
Dated: February 14, 2017	/S/ William E. Roberts By: William E. Roberts Title: President
	GEICO Secure Insurance Company
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	Berkshire Hathaway Specialty Insurance Company
Dated: February 14, 2017	/S/ Dale D. Geistkemper By: Dale D. Geistkemper Title: Treasurer
	AmGUARD Insurance Company
Dated: February 14, 2017	/S/ Sy Foguel By: Sy Foguel Title: President
	EastGUARD Insurance Company
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	NorGUARD Insurance Company
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/S/ Andrew Linkhart
By: Andrew Linkhart
Title: Treasurer

National Liability & Fire Insurance Company

Dated: February 14, 2017

/S/ Dale D. Geistkemper
By: Dale D. Geistkemper
By: Dale D. Geistkemper

Title: Treasurer