

Allied World Assurance Co Holdings, AG  
Form 8-K  
February 28, 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 (Date of earliest event reported): February 22, 2012**

**ALLIED WORLD ASSURANCE COMPANY HOLDINGS, AG**

**(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)**

**Switzerland**  
**(State or Other Jurisdiction**

**of Incorporation)**

**001-32938**  
**(Commission File Number)**

**Lindenstrasse 8**

**98-0681223**  
**(I.R.S. Employer**

**Identification No.)**

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**6340 Baar**

**Zug, Switzerland**

**(Address of Principal Executive Offices and Zip Code)**

**Registrant's telephone number, including area code: 41-41-768-1080**

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- ☐ Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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- ☐ Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

**Item 5.03. Amendments to Articles of Incorporation or Bylaws; Change in Fiscal Year.**

On February 22, 2012, the Board of Directors of Allied World Assurance Company Holdings, AG (the "Company") amended the Organizational Regulations of the Company to update certain of the duties and responsibilities of the Board of Directors and the Company's executive management. A copy of the amended and restated Organizational Regulations is attached hereto as Exhibit 3.1 and is incorporated herein by reference.

**Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

*(d) Exhibits*

<b>Exhibit Number</b>	<b>Description</b>
3.1	Organizational Regulations of Allied World Assurance Company Holdings, AG, as amended and restated.

**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.

**ALLIED WORLD ASSURANCE COMPANY HOLDINGS, AG**

Dated: February 28, 2012

By: /s/ Wesley D. Dupont  
Name: Wesley D. Dupont  
Title: Executive Vice President, General Counsel and Corporate Secretary

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