AXIS CAPITAL HOLDINGS LTD Form 8-K May 03, 2004

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 3, 2004

AXIS CAPITAL HOLDINGS LIMITED

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Bermuda (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

001-31721 (Commission File Number)

98-0395986 (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

106 Pitts Bay Road Hamilton, Pembroke Bermuda

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(Address of principal executive offices)

(Zip Code)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code: 441-296-2600

Not Applicable

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

Item 12.	Results of Operations and Financial Condition
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On May 03, 2004, AXIS Capital Holdings Limited, a Bermuda company (the $\,$ Company $\,$), issued the press release attached hereto regarding the Company $\,$ s results of operations and financial condition as of and for the three month period ended March 31, 2004.

Item 7. Financial Statements, Pro Form Financial Information and Exhibits

(c) Exhibits

99.1 Press Release dated May 3, 2004.

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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.

Dated: May 3, 2004 AXIS CAPITAL HOLDINGS LIMITED

By: /s/ Andrew Cook

Andrew Cook

Chief Financial Officer

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EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit Number	Description of Document
99.1	Press Release dated May 3, 2004.
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