



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

Exhibit 99.1. Press release dated April 25, 2011

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**SIGNATURE**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, the Registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

**American National Insurance Company**

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(Registrant)

**/s/ WILLIAM F. CARLTON**

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**April 25, 2011**

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(Date)

William F. Carlton

*Senior Vice President & Corporate Controller*

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