

FAIRFAX FINANCIAL HOLDINGS LTD/ CAN  
Form 6-K  
January 17, 2017

**UNITED STATES**  
**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington, DC 20549

**Form 6-K**

**Report of Foreign Private Issuer**  
**Pursuant to Rule 13a-16 or 15d-16 of**  
**the Securities Exchange Act of 1934**

For the month of: **January 2017**

Commission File Number: **1-31556**

**FAIRFAX FINANCIAL HOLDINGS LIMITED**  
(Name of Registrant)

**95 Wellington Street West**  
**Suite 800**  
**Toronto, Ontario**  
**Canada M5J 2N7**  
(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

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Yes  No

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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, thereunto duly authorized.

**FAIRFAX FINANCIAL HOLDINGS LIMITED**

Date: January 13, 2017

By: /s/ John Varnell  
Name: John Varnell  
Title: Vice President, Corporate Development

**EXHIBIT INDEX**

| <b>Exhibit</b> |                                     | <b>Description of Exhibit</b> |
|----------------|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| 99.1           | News Release dated January 13, 2017 |                               |