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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>WESTAIM CORP</u> (Last) (First) (Middle) <u>70 YORK STREET, SUITE 1700</u> (Street) <u>TORONTO A6 M5J 1S9</u> (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year) <u>01/12/2023</u>	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>Skyward Specialty Insurance Group, Inc. [SKWD]</u>	
		4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)	5. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)		4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	5. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares			
Preferred Series A Stock	(1)	(1)	Common Stock	880,071.479	(1)	D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. Pursuant to the Amended and Restated Certificate of Incorporation of the Issuer, upon the closing of its initial public offering, each share of convertible preferred stock was automatically converted into shares of common stock of the Issuer based on a conversion price equal to \$6.04 per share of common stock. The 880,071.479 Shares of stock reported on this form converted into 7,285,359 shares of common stock upon the closing of the IPO.

/s/ Glenn MacNeil, CFO 07/21/2023

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5 (b)(v).

** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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