Wilcox Mark Alexander Form 4 January 26, 2011

# FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Last)

(City)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* Wilcox Mark Alexander

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Director

RENAISSANCERE HOLDINGS LTD [RNR]

(Check all applicable)

RENAISSANCE HOUSE, 12

(First)

(Street)

(State)

(Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Zip)

(Month/Day/Year) 01/24/2011

below) SVP, Chief Accounting Officer / Corporate

\_X\_\_ Officer (give title \_\_X\_\_ Other (specify below)

10% Owner

**CROW LANE** 

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Controller

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Person

Table I Non Dominative Committee Assumed Disposed of an Daneficially On

PEMBROKE, BERMUDA, D0 HM19

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1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired n(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	01/24/2011		M(1)	19,628	A	\$ 42.66	53,674	D	
Common Stock	01/24/2011		F(1)	14,558	D	\$ 65.07	39,116	D	
Common Stock	01/25/2011		S(2)	5,070	D	\$ 64.63	34,046	D	

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

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#### Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. 5. Number of TransactionDerivative Code Securities (Instr. 8) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Non Qualified Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 42.66	01/24/2011		M <u>(1)</u>		19,628	03/21/2007	03/21/2016	Common Stock	19,628

# **Reporting Owners**

Donostino Osmon Nomo / Address	Relationships
Reporting Owner Name / Address	

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Wilcox Mark Alexander RENAISSANCE HOUSE 12 CROW LANE PEMBROKE. BERMUDA, D0 HM19

SVP, Chief Accounting Officer Corporate Controller

## **Signatures**

/s/ Mark A. 01/25/2011 Wilcox

\*\*Signature of Date

Reporting Person

# **Explanation of Responses:**

- If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(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).
- The transactions reported hereby relate exclusively to the exercise of employee stock options originally granted to the Reporting Person (1) on March 21, 2006 with a ten year term. The option exercise was effected pursuant to a previously disclosed Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the Reporting Person on May 3, 2010.
- This form reflects the sale of shares which may be deemed to be beneficially owned by the Reporting Person on January 25, 2011. The **(2)** sale was effected pursuant to a previously disclosed Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the Reporting Person on May 3, 2010.

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