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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
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2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
RENAISSANCERE HOLDINGS LTD [RNR]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

RENAISSANCE HOUSE, 12 CROW LANE

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
01/31/2011

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
Global CUO, Pres, RenReins.Ltd

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
____ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

PEMBROKE, D0 HM19

(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|---|
| | | | Code | V Amount (A) or (D) Price | | | |
| Common Stock | 01/31/2011 | | S ⁽¹⁾ | 14,778 D \$ 65.5 ₍₂₎ | 154,562 | D | |
| Common Stock | 01/31/2011 | | M | 37,588 A \$ 52.9 | 192,150 | D | |
| Common Stock | 01/31/2011 | | F | 32,123 D \$ 65.62 | 160,027 | D | |
| Common Stock | 01/31/2011 | | M | 28,000 A \$ 39.07 | 188,027 | D | |
| Common Stock | 01/31/2011 | | F | 19,841 D \$ 65.62 | 168,186 | D | |

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|--------------|------------|------------------|--------|---|-----------|-------|---------|---|-----------------------|
| Common Stock | 02/01/2011 | S ⁽³⁾ | 21,012 | D | \$ (4) | 65.81 | 147,174 | D | |
| Common Stock | 01/31/2011 | S ⁽¹⁾ | 8,198 | D | \$ (5) | 65.4 | 5,178 | I | by Partnership (6) |
| Common Stock | 02/01/2011 | S ⁽³⁾ | 4,099 | D | \$ (7) | 65.97 | 1,079 | I | by Partnership (6) |
| Common Stock | 01/31/2011 | S ⁽¹⁾ | 3,392 | D | \$ (8) | 65.3 | 1,696 | I | by Spouse |
| Common Stock | 02/01/2011 | S ⁽³⁾ | 1,696 | D | \$ (9) | 65.96 | 0 | I | by Spouse |

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number of Derivative Securities 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 Security (Instr. 3 and 4) | | |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|--------------|-----------|
| | | | | Code | V (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | A or N of |
| Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 52.9 | 01/31/2011 | | M ⁽¹⁰⁾ | 37,588 | 03/03/2005 | 03/03/2014 | Common Stock | 3 |
| Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 39.07 | 01/31/2011 | | M ⁽¹¹⁾ | 28,000 | 11/19/2003 | 11/19/2012 | Common Stock | 2 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | |
|--------------------------------|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |

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Signatures

/s/ Kevin J.

O'Donnell

02/02/2011

**Signature of
Reporting Person

Date

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).
- (1) This form reflects the sale of shares which may be deemed to be beneficially owned by the Reporting Person on January 31, 2011. The sale was effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the Reporting Person on November 29, 2010.
Represents a weighted average sale price; the sales prices ranged from \$65.14 to \$65.74. Upon request, the full sale information regarding the number of shares sold at each price increment will be provided to the Commission, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer.
- (2) This form reflects the sale of shares which may be deemed to be beneficially owned by the Reporting Person on February 1, 2011. The sale was effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the Reporting Person on November 29, 2010.
Represents a weighted average sale price; the sales prices ranged from \$65.53 to \$66.00. Upon request, the full sale information regarding the number of shares sold at each price increment will be provided to the Commission, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer.
- (3) Represents a weighted average sale price; the sales prices ranged from \$65.14 to \$65.62. Upon request, the full sale information regarding the number of shares sold at each price increment will be provided to the Commission, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer.
- (4) These securities are owned and controlled by a family limited partnership for the benefit of immediate family members of the Reporting Person and may be deemed to be beneficially owned by the Reporting Person.
- (5) Represents a weighted average sale price; the sales prices ranged from \$65.95 to \$65.99. Upon request, the full sale information regarding the number of shares sold at each price increment will be provided to the Commission, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer.
- (6) Represents a weighted average sale price; the sales prices ranged from \$65.14 to \$65.42. Upon request, the full sale information regarding the number of shares sold at each price increment will be provided to the Commission, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer.
- (7) Represents a weighted average sale price; the sales prices ranged from \$65.95 to \$65.98. Upon request, the full sale information regarding the number of shares sold at each price increment will be provided to the Commission, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer.
- (8) The transactions reported hereby relate to the exercise of employee stock options originally granted to the Reporting Person on March 3, 2004 with a ten year term. The exercise was effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the Reporting Person on November 29, 2010.
- (9) The transactions reported hereby relate to the exercise of employee stock options originally granted to the Reporting Person on November 19, 2002 with a ten year term. The exercise was effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the Reporting Person on November 29, 2010.
- (10)
- (11)

Remarks:

In prior Form 4 filings of the Reporting Person, 1,440 shares were incorrectly reported as being owned by the family limited partnership.

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