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# STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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*  Todd Rider Fonner						RE	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol RENAISSANCERE HOLDINGS LTD [ RNR ]								(Chec	k all app Dired	olicable)	g Person(s) to I 10% ( Other		
(Last) (First) (Middle) RENAISSANCE HOUSE 12 CROW LANE						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/18/2016									X Officer (give title Officer (specify below) SVP & CIO					
(Street) PEMBRO		D0 (Stat		HM 19 Zip)		_   4. If	Line) X For											or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable m filed by One Reporting Person m filed by More than One Reporting son		
			Tabl	e I - No	n-Deriv	ative	Sec	curitie	s Ac	quired,	Dis	posed o	f, or E	Benefi	cially	Owne	ed			
			2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		Ex r) if a	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) of Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4				Securi Benef	icially d Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership			
										Code	v	Amount	(A) (D)	or Pr	ce	Transa	action(s) 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock 02/18						2016				D <sup>(1)(2)</sup>		674	I	\$1	14.33	82,132		D		
Common Stock 02/18					2016				D <sup>(2)(3)</sup>		621	D \$1		14.33	8	31,511	D			
Common Stock 02/18/2					2016	:016					720	I	) \$1	14.33	8	30,791	D			
Common Stock 02/18/2				2016	.016			F <sup>(5)</sup>		498	I	) \$1	14.33	8	30,293	D				
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 Exercis Price of Derivative Security	on se	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deer Execution if any (Month/E	n Date,	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) S. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)  Date Expiration Date Expiration Date			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)  Amount or Number of Shares		Der Sec (Ins	rice of ivative urity tr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		

### **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Represents the forfeiture, following the Compensation Committee's determination of total shareholder return for 2015, of a portion of the third tranche of performance-based restricted shares granted to the reporting person on March 1, 2013 pursuant to the issuer's 2010 Performance-Based Equity Incentive Plan (the "Plan").
- 2. The award consisted of three substantially equal tranches and the amount initially awarded represented the maximum potential achievable number of shares. The number of shares in each tranche that ultimately vests at the expiration of the applicable service period is a function of the issuer's total shareholder return relative to a predetermined peer group of companies during a given calendar-year performance period, and is subject to the reporting person's continued employment through the expiration of the applicable service period. Shares that are no longer eligible to vest following the Compensation Committee's determination of total shareholder return for a performance period are immediately forfeited.
- 3. Represents the forfeiture, following the Compensation Committee's determination of total shareholder return for 2015, of a portion of the second tranche of performance-based restricted shares granted to the reporting person on March 3, 2014 pursuant to the Plan.
- 4. Represents the forfeiture, following the Compensation Committee's determination of total shareholder return for 2015, of a portion of the first tranche of performance-based restricted shares granted to the reporting person on February 27, 2015 pursuant to the Plan.
- 5. Shares withheld for payment of withholding taxes upon the vesting, on February 18, 2016, of performance-based restricted shares granted to the reporting person on March 1, 2013.

Exhibit List Exhibit 24 - Power of Attorney

/S/ Molly E. Gardner, 02/22/2016 Attorney-in-Fact

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

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 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).

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Know all by these present that the undersigned hereby constitutes and appoints Stephen H. Weinstein, Jeffrey D. Kelly, Mark A. Wilcox, Molly E. Gardner, Nicholas J. West, Scott Gale and Kirsty A. Swart signing singly, the undersigned's true and lawful attorney-in-fact to:

- (1) execute for and on behalf of the undersigned, in the undersigned's capacity as an officer and/or employee of RenaissanceRe Holdings Ltd. or one of its subsidiaries (the "Company"), Forms 3, 4 and 5 in accordance with Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and the rules thereunder;
- (2) do and perform any and all acts for and on behalf of the undersigned which may be necessary or desirable to complete and execute any such Form 3, 4, or 5, complete and execute any amendment or amendments thereto, and timely file such form with the United States Securities and Exchange Commission and any stock exchange or similar authority; and
- (3) take any other action of any type whatsoever in connection with the foregoing which, in the opinion of such attorney-in-fact, may be of benefit to, in the best interest of, or legally required by, the undersigned, it being understood that the documents executed by such attorney-in-fact on behalf of the undersigned pursuant to this Power of Attorney shall be in such form and shall contain such terms and conditions as such attorney-in-fact may approve in such attorney-in-fact's discretion.

The undersigned hereby grants to such attorney-in-fact full power and authority to do and perform any and every act and thing whatsoever requisite, necessary, or proper to be done in the exercise of any of the rights and powers herein granted, as fully to all intents and purposes as the undersigned might or could do if personally present, with full power of substitution or revocation, hereby ratifying and confirming all that such attorney-in-fact, or such attorney-in-fact's substitute or substitutes, shall lawfully do or cause to be done by virtue of this power of attorney and the rights and powers herein granted. The undersigned acknowledges that the foregoing attorneys-in-fact, in serving in such capacity at the request of the undersigned, are not assuming, nor is the Company assuming, any of the undersigned's responsibilities to comply with Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

This Power of Attorney shall remain in full force and effect until the undersigned is no longer required to file Forms 3, 4, and 5 with respect to the undersigned's holdings of and transactions in securities issued by the Company, unless earlier revoked by the undersigned in a signed writing delivered to the foregoing attorney-in-fact.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has caused this Power of Attorney to be executed as of this 19th day of May, 2015.

/s/ Todd R. Fonner Todd R. Fonner