FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Perso	on [*]	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>RENAISSANCERE HOLDINGS LTD</u> [RNR]		tionship of Reporting Pers all applicable)	son(s) to Issuer
Klehm Henry III		()	X	Director	10% Owner
(Last) (First)	(Middle)			Officer (give title below)	Other (specify below)
RENAISSANCE HOUSE		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)			
8-20 EAST BROADWAY		05/23/2006			
(Street)					
PEMBROKE HM19,		4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Indiv X	idual or Joint/Group Filing Form filed by One Rep	orting Person
BERMUDA				Form filed by More tha	n One Reporting Person
(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)	Transaction Code (Instr.		4. Securities Ac Disposed Of (D			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)
Common Stock	05/23/2006		Α		2,205 ⁽¹⁾	Α	\$ <mark>0</mark>	2,205	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 Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transac Code (Ir 8)	tion	Derivative		6. Date Exerc Expiration Da (Month/Day/\	ate	Securities Underlying		Derivative Security (Instr. 5)		Ownership Form: Direct (D)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		(Instr. 4)		

Explanation of Responses:

1. Shares will vest in three equal installments beginning on May 23, 2007.

/s/ Henry Klehm III

05/24/2006 Date

** 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).

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