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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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	ress of Reporting Perso	on [*]	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol RENAISSANCERE HOLDINGS LTD [RNR]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
COOPER THOMAS A				X	Director Officer (give title	10% Owner Other (specify			
(Last) (First) (Middle) RENAISSANCE HOUSE 8-20 EAST BROADWAY		(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/27/2007		below)	below)			
(Street) PEMBROKE HM 19, BERMUDA			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than 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 Dispos Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (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)
				(Instr. 3 and 4)		(111341.44)				
Common Stock	08/27/2007		М		6,000	A	\$16	47,641	D	
Common Stock								423	I	by Spouse
Common Stock								6,535	I	by Trusts ⁽¹⁾

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)		5. Num Derivat Securit Acquir or Disp (D) (Ins and 5)	tive ties ed (A) cosed of str. 3, 4	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)		
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$16	08/27/2007		М			6,000	05/06/1999	05/06/2008	Common Stock	6,000	\$0	31,500	D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. These shares are held by various trusts for the benefit of immediate family members of the reporting person.

/s/ Mark A. Wilcox, Attorney-in-Fact

08/29/2007

** Signature of Reporting Person

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

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