FORM 4

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| Name and Address of Reporting Person* Todd Rider Fonner | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol RENAISSANCERE HOLDINGS LTD [RNR] | | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title below) below) | | | | | |
|---|--|-------|--|-----------|---|-----------|--|--|--|--|
| 8-20 EAST BROA | ast) (First) (Middle) ENAISSANCE HOUSE -20 EAST BROADWAY | | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/08/2008 | | SVP, CRO & CIO | | | | | |
| (Street) PEMBROKE, BERMUDA | D0 | HM19 | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | 6. Indivi | dual or Joint/Group Filing (Cl Form filed by One Reportii Form filed by More than O | ng 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 Ad Disposed Of (D | | | Securities | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | Beneficial Ownership |
|---------------------------------|--|---|--------------------------|---|------------------------------------|---------------|--------|------------------|---|-------------------------|
| | | | Code | v | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price | (Instr. 3 and 4) | | (Instr. 4) |
| Common Stock | 08/08/2008 | | F | | 325(1) | D | \$51.4 | 55,158 | 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 | or Exercise Price of Derivative | 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) | | Expiration Date | | 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4) | | Derivative | derivative Securities Beneficially | 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 | | | | | | | | | |

Explanation of Responses:

1. Represents exclusively shares withheld by the Registrant in respect of payment of withholding tax liability incurred upon the vesting of restricted shares.

/s/ Stephen H. Weinstein, Attorney- 08/12/2008 in-Fact

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

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^{**} Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).