FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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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 Todd Rider For (Last)		(Middle)	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol RENAISSANCERE HOLDINGS LTD [RNR]		onship of Reporting Person(s) all applicable) Director Officer (give title below)	to Issuer 10% Owner Other (specify below)	
RENAISSANCE I 8-20 EAST BROA	NAISSANCE HOUSE DEAST BROADWAY		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/23/2009		SVP & CIO		
(Street) PEMBROKE, BERMUDA	D0	HM19	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Individ	dual or Joint/Group Filing (Che Form filed by One Reporting Form filed by More than One	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 Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			Securities Beneficially Owned	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	(Instr. 3 and 4)		(IIISU: 4)
Common Stock	02/23/2009		S		6,000	D	\$45.09(1)	43,402	D	

Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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)	Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		Derivati Securiti Acquire or Disp	Derivative Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) Acquired (A) or Disposed of D) (Instr. 3, 4		7. Title and Ai Securities Un Derivative Se 3 and 4)	derlying	Derivative	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	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		(Instr. 4)			

Explanation of Responses:

1. Represents a weighted average sale price; the sales prices ranged from \$45.06 to \$45.17. 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.

/s/ Anthony E. Szydlowski, Attorney-in-Fact 02/24/2009

** 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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