SEC Form 3

## FORM 3

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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## INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <sup>*</sup> Dutt Aditya			2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year) 05/18/2010	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>RENAISSANCERE HOLDINGS LTD</u> [ RNR ]				
(Last) (First) (Middle) RENAISSANCE HOUSE 12 CROW LANE				4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below) Head of RenRe Ventures Ltd.		5. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)		
(Street) PEMBROKE (City)	D0 (State)	HM 19 (Zip)						vidual or Joint/Group Filing (Check able Line) Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

## Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)			4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
Common Stock	25,468 <sup>(1)</sup>	D	

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

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)		or Exercise	Form: Direct (D) or	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Price of Indirect (I) Derivative (Instr. 5) Security		

Explanation of Responses:

1. Comprised of 3,359 Common Shares which have vested and 22,109 Common Shares which have not vested. All such shares vest ratably in four equal annual installments from the respective grant dates. Remarks:

Remarks.

Exhibit List Exhibit 24.1 - Power of Attorney

/s/ Stephen H. Weinstein, Attorneyin-Fact 05/28/2010

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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 5 (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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## CONFIRMING STATEMENT

This Statement confirms that the undersigned, Aditya K. Dutt, has authorized and designated each of Jeffrey D. Kelly, Stephen H. Weinstein, Mark A. Wilcox, Kirsty A. Anderson, Diana R. Davies, Dierk A. Flemming and Jacqui van Beelen (each with full power of substitution) to execute and file any Statements of Changes of Beneficial Ownership of Securities (on Form 3, Form 4 or Form 5) on the undersigned's behalf (including any supplements or amendments thereto) that the undersigned is required to file with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission as a result of the undersigned's ownership of or transactions in securities of RenaissanceRe Holdings Ltd. The authority of such persons under this Statement shall continue until May 1, 2018, unless earlier revoked in writing. The undersigned expressly acknowledges that none of the above persons is assuming any of the undersigned's responsibilities to comply with Section 16 of the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934.

Dated as of: May 18, 2010

/s/Aditya K. Dutt

Aditya K. Dutt

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