FORM 4

#### **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  KELLY JEFFREY D  (Last) (First) (Middle)  RENAISSANCE HOUSE  12 CROW LANE		2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol RENAISSANCERE HOLDINGS LTD [ RNR ]		ationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (all applicable)  Director 10% Owner  Officer (give title Other (specify below)  EVP & CFO		
		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/09/2010				
(Street) PEMBROKE D0	HM 19	If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Indivi	Form filed by One Rep	g (Check Applicable Line) porting Person un One Reporting Person	
(City) (Sta	te) (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)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			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	06/09/2010		A		13,023	A	<b>\$0</b>	63,751	D	

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

	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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		Derivative		Expiration Date		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		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)	

## Explanation of Responses:

### Remarks:

Grant of restricted Common Shares ("Restricted Shares") of the Issuer, subject to vesting upon the satisfaction of certain service- and performance-based vesting conditions. The number of Restricted Shares granted represents the maximum number of Common Shares in which the holder may vest. The grant of Restricted Shares consists of three substantially equal vesting tranches, and the number of Restricted Shares in a given tranche that vest is a function of the Issuer's Total Shareholder Return during a given calendar-year period relative to the members of a predetermined peer group of companies and is further conditioned upon continued service through, in the case of the first two vesting tranches (representing performance in 2010 and 2011), December 31, 2011, and in the case of the third vesting tranche (representing performance in 2012). Shares in a given vesting tranche that do not vest as a result of failure to satisfy either vesting condition applicable to such tranche will be forfeited.

/s/ Stephen H. Weinstein, Attorneyin-Fact 06/11/2010

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

- $^{\star}$  If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (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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