FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Dutt Aditya			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol RENAISSANCERE HOLDINGS LTD [RNR]		lationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer ck all applicable) Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below) below)			
(Last) (First) RENAISSANCE HOUSE 12 CROW LANE		(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/01/2011		Head of RenRe Ventures Ltd.			
(Street) PEMBROKE (City)	D0 (State)	HM 19 (Zip)	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Individ	dual or Joint/Group Filing (Form filed by One Repo Form filed by More than	rting Person		

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. Transac Code (Ir 8)		4. Securities Ac Disposed Of (D			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)
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	03/01/2011		Α		7,797(1)	A	\$0.0	33,265	D	
Common Stock (Performance Based)	03/01/2011		A		6,498(2)	A	\$0.0	39,763	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)	Price of	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)		Derivative		Expiration Date		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		Derivative	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	Ownership Form: Direct (D)	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. These shares will vest in four equal annual installments beginning on March 1, 2012.
- 2. Grant of restricted Common Stock of the Issuer, pursuant to its 2010 Performance-based Equity Incentive Plan. Vesting of these shares is subject to the satisfaction of both certain service- and performance-based vesting conditions. The amount granted represents the maximum potential achievable award. If minimal performance conditions are not met, all shares will be returned to the Performance Share Plan. The grant consists of three substantially equal performance measurement periods, and the number of shares in each tranche that ultimately 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 the satisfaction of applicable service conditions.

Remarks:

In February 2011, the Compensation Committee of the Board of Directors effected its determinations for executive officer compensation for 2011, including with respect to equity and equity-linked instruments. The Committee determined that equity awards to senior management should be comprised of 75% restricted stock under the Issuer's amended and restated 2001 Stock Incentive Plan, and 25% performance-based restricted stock issued under the Issuer's 2010 Performance-based Equity Incentive Share Plan. The restricted stock awards vest in equal annual installments over four years beginning on March 1, 2012, and the performance-based restricted stock awards vest at the end of three years on December 31, 2013 and are subject to three annual performance measurement periods.

/s/ Dierk A. Flemming, Attorneyin-Fact

** Signature of Reporting Person

03/03/2011

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 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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