## FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Curtis Ross	(First) ANCE HOUSE LANE		2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>RENAISSANCERE HOLDINGS LTD</u> [ RNR ]	5. Relationship of Re (Check all applicable) Director X Officer (give below)	10% Owner	,
(Last) RENAISSANCE 12 CROW LANE	HOUSE	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/05/2012	1 '	- European Operations	
(Street) PEMBROKE	D0	HM 19	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	X Form filed t	Group Filing (Check Applicable Li by One Reporting Person by More than One Reporting Pers	
(City)	(State)	(Zip)				

## Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1.		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)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
				Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)
C	ommon Stock	03/05/2012		S		2,000 <sup>(1)</sup>	D	\$72.5	82,479	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		3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		Derivative		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	derivative Securities Beneficially Owned	or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	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:

1. This form reflects the sale of shares which may be deemed to be beneficially owned by the Reporting Person on March 5, 2012. The sale was effected pursuant to a previously disclosed Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the Reporting Person on November 29, 2011.

<u>/s/ Stephen H. Weinstein, Attorney-</u> <u>03/06/2012</u>

\*\* 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 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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