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June 22, 2009

Fred R. Donner Chief Financial Officer RenaissanceRe Holdings Ltd. Renaissance House 8-20 East Broadway Pembroke HM 19 Bermuda

Re: Form 10-K for the Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 2008 File Number: 001-14428

Dear Mr. Donner,

We have completed our review of your Form 10-K and have no further comments at this time.

Sincerely,

Carlton E. Tartar Accounting Branch Chief