

Wilcox Mark Alexander
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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 Wilcox Mark Alexander

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 RENAISSANCERE HOLDINGS LTD [RNR]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 RENAISSANCE HOUSE, 12 CROW LANE
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 01/24/2011

___ Director ___ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
 SVP, Chief Accounting Officer / Corporate Controller

PEMBROKE, BERMUDA, D0 HM19

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
 ___ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

(City) (State) (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 or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D)	Price		
				Code	V	Amount	
Common Stock	01/24/2011		M ⁽¹⁾	A	19,628	\$ 42.66	53,674 D
Common Stock	01/24/2011		F ⁽¹⁾	D	14,558	\$ 65.07	39,116 D
Common Stock	01/25/2011		S ⁽²⁾	D	5,070	\$ 64.63	34,046 D

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

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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	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title Amount or Number of Shares
Non Qualified Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 42.66	01/24/2011		M ⁽¹⁾	19,628	03/21/2007 03/21/2016	Common Stock 19,628

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Wilcox Mark Alexander RENAISSANCE HOUSE 12 CROW LANE PEMBROKE, BERMUDA, D0 HM19			SVP, Chief Accounting Officer	Corporate Controller

Signatures

/s/ Mark A. Wilcox 01/25/2011

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * 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).
- (1) The transactions reported hereby relate exclusively to the exercise of employee stock options originally granted to the Reporting Person on March 21, 2006 with a ten year term. The option exercise was effected pursuant to a previously disclosed Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the Reporting Person on May 3, 2010.
- (2) This form reflects the sale of shares which may be deemed to be beneficially owned by the Reporting Person on January 25, 2011. The sale was effected pursuant to a previously disclosed Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the Reporting Person on May 3, 2010.

Remarks:

The adoption date of the 10b5-1 plan referenced above was mis-reported in a prior Form 4 of the Reporting Person filed on O

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