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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

Common

Stock

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Fain Richard D			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ROYAL CARIBBEAN CRUISES LTD [RCL]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)	
(Last) (First) (Middle) ROYAL CARIBBEAN CRUISES LTD., 1050 CARIBBEAN WAY		CRUISES	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/10/2005	_X_ Director 10% Owner Street Control of the control of	
MIAMI, FL	(Street) 33132		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person	
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Ac	anired. Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned	

1.Title of Security	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. 4. Securities Acquired				5. Amount of Securities	6. Ownership Form: Direct	7. Nature of Indirect	
(Instr. 3)	(Month/Day/Tear)	Transaction(A) or Disposed of Code (D)				Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial	
		(Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)				Owned Following	Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			(A) or		Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(msu. 1)		
Common			Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	,		
Stock	02/10/2005		A	18,779	A	\$0	45,753	D	
Common Stock							247	I	By daughter
Common Stock							606,642	I	By trust

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

571,412 (1)

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of or Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Derivative Expiration Date (Securities (Month/Day/Year) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) Instr. 3, 4,		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
Option to Purchase Common Stock	\$ 47.925	02/10/2005		A	14,606	<u>(2)</u>	02/10/2015	Common Stock	14,606

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
1	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Fain Richard D ROYAL CARIBBEAN CRUISES LTD. 1050 CARIBBEAN WAY MIAMI FL 33132	X		Chairman and CEO			

Signatures

By: Bradley Stein, Attorney-in-Fact for Richard
D. Fain

02/14/2005

**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) Shares owned by Monument Capital Corporation as nominee for various trusts primarily for the benefit of certain members of the Fain family.
- (2) 3,652 shares are exercisable on each of 2/10/2006 and 2/10/2007 and 3,651 are exercisable on each of 2/10/2008 and 2/10/2009.

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