IORDANOU CONSTANTINE

Form 4

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Issuer

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Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

ARCH CAPITAL GROUP LTD.

Symbol

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

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Class Clas					ARCH CAPITAL GROUP LTD. [ACGL]				D.	(Check all applicable)			
Applicable Line Applicable	WESSEX HOUSE, 5TH FLOOR, 45 02/28				(Month	onth/Day/Year)				X Officer (give title Other (specify below)			
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)					Filed(Month/Day/Year) A				Applicable Line) X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting				
Security (Instr. 3)	Table 1 - Non-Delivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Delicit							or Beneficial	ly Owned				
Shares, \$.0033		Security		Execution lany	Date, if	Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	iorDisposed (Instr. 3, 4	of (D) and 5) (A) or		Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
Shares, \$.0033 03/04/2013 G 3,880 D \$0 384,825 D par value per share		Shares, \$.0033 par value	03/01/2013			S(2)		D	49.1915	388,705	D		
83,333 I		Shares, \$.0033 par value	03/04/2013			G	3,880	D	\$ 0	384,825	D		
		-								83,333	I		

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Common Shares, \$.0033 par value per share			By Limited Liability Company
Common Shares, \$.0033 par value per share	276,171	I	By 2005 GRAT
Common Shares, \$.0033 par value per share	116,613	I	By Limited Liability Company
Common Shares, \$.0033 par value per share	11,616	I	By child

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. 5. Number of TransactionDerivative Code Securities (Instr. 8) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amou Underlying Secur (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Am Nur Sha
Stock Appreciation RIght	\$ 49.12	02/28/2013		A	300,187	02/28/2013	02/28/2023	Common Shares, \$.0033 par value per share	30

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

X

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

IORDANOU CONSTANTINE WESSEX HOUSE, 5TH FLOOR 45 REID STREET HAMILTON, D0 HM 12

Chairman, President & CEO

Signatures

/s/ Louis T. Petrillo, Attorney in fact

03/04/2013

**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) Represents a weighted average sale price; the sales prices range from \$49.10 to \$49.28. Upon request, the full sale information regarding the number of shares sold at each price increment will be provided to the Commission or to a security holder of the issuer.
- (2) The shares were sold in order to satisfy state and federal income tax obligations.

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