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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * ODonnell Kevin	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	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/15/2014	X Director 10% Owner Selection Other (specification)
(Street) PEMBROKE, D0 HM 19	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) Ta	ble I - Non	-Derivative	Secur	ities Acqui	red, Disposed of	, or Beneficia	ally Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities oner Dispose (Instr. 3, 4) Amount	d of (Ľ))	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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	04/15/2014		M(1)	125,000	A	\$ 74.24	374,260	D	
Common Stock	04/15/2014		F(1)	105,340	D	\$ 100.38	268,920 (2)	D	
Common Stock							1,079	I	by Partnership (3)

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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of onDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercise Expiration Date (Month/Day/Y	e	7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and 4	Sec
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	A N Si
Non-Qualified Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 74.24	04/15/2014		M(1)	125,000	08/31/2005	08/31/2014	RNR Common Stock	1

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

ODonnell Kevin RENAISSANCE HOUSE 12 CROW LANE PEMBROKE, D0 HM 19

X

Pres & Chief Executive Officer

Signatures

/S/ Stephen H. Weinstein, Attorney-in-Fact

04/16/2014

**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).
- The transactions reported hereby relate to the exercise of employee stock options originally granted to the Reporting Person under the 2004 Stock Option Incentive Plan on August 31, 2004 with a ten year term. The exercise was effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the Reporting Person on December 4, 2013.
- Includes 23,494 shares from prior awards of Performance Shares which will not be earned as the applicable performance conditions were not met, but will remain outstanding under the terms of the 2010 Performance-based Equity Incentive Plan until the time vesting requirement is met, at which point the shares will be cancelled.
- (3) These securities are owned and controlled by a family limited partnership for the benefit of immediate family members of the Reporting Person and may be deemed to be beneficially owned by the Reporting Person.

Remarks:

See attached footnotes page.

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