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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Mitchell H Elizabeth

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

PLATINUM UNDERWRITERS **HOLDINGS LTD [PTP]**

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Check all applicable)

President & CEO - Platinum US

(Last) (First) (Middle)

(Month/Day/Year) 12/09/2013

Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)

PLATINUM UNDERWRITERS REINSURANCE, INC., 140 **BROADWAY, SUITE 4200**

> (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

NEW YORK, NY 10005

(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3)

(Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following (Instr. 4) Reported

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Beneficial Indirect (I) Ownership (Instr. 4)

(A)

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) Price Code V Amount (D)

Common Shares

12/09/2013

V 9,225

\$0 D 50,000 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)

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| 1. Title of | 2. | 3. Transaction Date | 3A. Deemed | 4. | 5. | 6. Date Exer | cisable and | 7. Title a | ınd | 8. Price of | 9. Nu |
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| Security | or Exercise | | any | Code | of | (Month/Day/ | /Year) | Underlyi | ing | Security | Secui |
| (Instr. 3) | Price of | | (Month/Day/Year) | (Instr. 8) Derivative | | ; | | Securities | | (Instr. 5) | Bene |
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| | | | | Code V | (A) (D) | | | Sh | nares | | |

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Mitchell H Elizabeth PLATINUM UNDERWRITERS REINSURANCE, INC. 140 BROADWAY, SUITE 4200 NEW YORK, NY 10005

President & CEO - Platinum US

Signatures

/s/ Christina M. Parker, Attorney-in-Fact

12/10/2013

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

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- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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