

Weinstein Stephen Howard
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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 *
 Weinstein Stephen Howard

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, 8-20 EAST BROADWAY

(Street)

PEMBROKE, HM 19, BERMUDA

(City) (State) (Zip)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 03/01/2007

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
 SVP, Gen. Counsel & Sec.

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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 (A) 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 (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)			
Common Stock	02/09/2007		G ⁽¹⁾	V	454	D	\$ 0 42,329	D	
Common Stock	02/09/2007		G ⁽¹⁾	V	454	A	\$ 0 1,503	I	by Trust ⁽³⁾
Common Stock	03/01/2007		A		15,615 ⁽²⁾	A	\$ 0 57,944	D	
Common Stock							1,503	I	by Trust ⁽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. 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 Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)
Non-qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 51.13	03/01/2007		A	46,182	03/01/2008 ⁽⁴⁾ 03/01/2017	Common Stock
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 51.13	03/01/2007		A	5,865	03/01/2009 ⁽⁴⁾ 03/01/2017	Common Stock

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Weinstein Stephen Howard RENAISSANCE HOUSE 8-20 EAST BROADWAY PEMBROKE, HM 19, BERMUDA			SVP, Gen. Counsel & Sec.	

Signatures

/s/ Stephen H. Weinstein 03/05/2007

**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) On February 9, 2007, the reporting person made a gift of 454 shares of Common Stock to a trust for the benefit of the minor child of the reporting person.
 - (2) These shares will vest in four equal annual installments beginning on March 1, 2008.

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- (3) These shares were gifted to and are held directly by a trust for the benefit of the minor child of the reporting person, and may be deemed to be beneficially owned by the reporting person.

- On March 1, 2007, the Registrant granted a total of 52,047 options to Mr. Weinstein, which, in the aggregate, vest in four equal annual installments beginning on March 1, 2008 (the 5,865 incentive stock options vest in three equal annual installments beginning on March 1, 2009; the 46,182 non-qualified stock options vest in four annual installments of 13,012, 11,057, 11,057, and 11,057 beginning on March 1, 2008).

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