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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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See Instruction 1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

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

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Symbol

PLATINUM UNDERWRITERS **HOLDINGS LTD [PTP]**

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

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

(Month/Day/Year)

(Middle)

03/02/2015

below) President & CEO - Platinum US

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

> (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

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

4. Securities Acquired 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect Securities Beneficially (D) or Beneficial Owned Indirect (I) Ownership Following (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Reported

(A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4) (D) Price Amount

Code V

Common 03/02/2015 Shares

67,561 0 D D (3) (1)

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 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 orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Pri Deriv Secur (Instr
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Market Share Units	(3) (4)	03/02/2015		D	8	3,283 (1)	(3)(4)	(3)(4)	Common Shares	(3) (4)	\$ 6 <u>(</u>
Market Share Units	(3) (5)	03/02/2015		D	11	1,628 (1)	(3)(5)	(3)(5)	Common Shares	(3) (5)	\$ 6 <u>(</u>

Reporting Owners

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/ Molly E. Gardner, Attorney-in-fact

03/02/2015

**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) Disposed of in connection with the Agreement and Plan of Merger ("Merger Agreement") between the Issuer, RenaissanceRe Holdings Ltd. ("RenaissanceRe") and Port Holdings Ltd., dated as of November 23, 2014.
- Pursuant to the terms of the Merger Agreement, upon closing of the merger, these Common Shares will be cancelled and the holder will receive, per her election, an amount equal to 0.6504 common shares of RenaissanceRe per each of her Common Shares, subject to proration. Fractional RenaissanceRe common shares will be paid in cash.
 - This consideration amount is subject to adjustment due to possible proration calculations provided for in the Merger Agreement. Specifically, the cash election consideration is subject to proration if the un-prorated aggregate share consideration is less than 7,500,000 RenaissanceRe common shares, and the share election consideration is subject to proration if the un-prorated aggregate share
- (3) consideration is greater than 7,500,000 RenaissanceRe common shares. This proration calculation has not been finalized as of the date of this Form 4 and thus it is not possible to determine the exact amount of consideration to be received by the reporting person as of the date of this Form 4. Once the exact amount of consideration is determined, the reporting person will file an amendment to this Form 4, if necessary.

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- These Market Share Units were granted on July 24, 2013. Pursuant to the terms of the Merger Agreement, upon closing of the merger, these Market Share Units will be cancelled and the holder will receive, per their election, an amount equal to \$66.00 in cash per each
- (4) MSU achieved share (as defined in the Merger Agreement), subject to proration. The MSU achieved shares equaled 1.33 times each Market Share Unit, based on the difference between the average closing prices of the Common Shares for the twenty trading days ending on February 27, 2015 and June 30, 2013.
 - These Market Share Units were granted on July 23, 2012. Pursuant to the terms of the Merger Agreement, upon closing of the merger, these Market Share Units will be cancelled and the holder will receive, per their election, an amount equal to \$66.00 in cash per each
- (5) MSU achieved share (as defined in the Merger Agreement), subject to proration. The MSU achieved shares equaled 1.5 times each Market Share Unit, based on the difference between the average closing prices of the Common Shares for the twenty trading days ending on February 27, 2015 and June 30, 2012.

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