

PLATINUM UNDERWRITERS HOLDINGS LTD

Form 4

March 02, 2015

FORM 4**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549**

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Kurtzman Kenneth A

(Last) (First) (Middle)

PLATINUM ADMINISTRATIVE
SERVICES, INC., 2 STAMFORD
PLAZA, SUITE 1504

(Street)

STAMFORD, CT 06901

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading
Symbol
PLATINUM UNDERWRITERS
HOLDINGS LTD [PTP]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
03/02/2015

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

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6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
____X____ Form filed by One Reporting Person
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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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Shares	03/02/2015		D	(A) or (D) Amount 44,972 (1)	Price (2) (3) 0	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 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 Amount Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Market Share Units	(3) (4)	03/02/2015		D	4,886 (1)	(3)(4)	(3)(4)	Common Shares	(3) (4)
Market Share Units	(3) (5)	03/02/2015		D	6,803 (1)	(3)(5)	(3)(5)	Common Shares	(3) (4)
Non-qualified Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 33.92	03/02/2015		D	10,276 (1)	(6)	02/20/2018	Common Shares	(3) (4)
Non-qualified Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 34.34	03/02/2015		D	23,239 (1)	(8)	05/29/2017	Common Shares	(3) (4)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director 10% Owner Officer Other
Kurtzman Kenneth A PLATINUM ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES, INC. 2 STAMFORD PLAZA, SUITE 1504 STAMFORD, CT 06901	EVP, CRO & IR DIR - PASI

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 his election, an amount equal to 0.2960 common shares of RenaissanceRe and \$35.96 in cash per each of his Common Shares, subject to proration. Fractional RenaissanceRe common shares will be paid in cash.

(3) 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

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RenaissanceRe common shares, and the share election consideration is subject to proration if the un-prorated aggregate share 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.

- (4) 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 0.2960 common shares of RenaissanceRe and \$35.96 in cash per each 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. Fractional RenaissanceRe common shares will be paid in cash.

- (5) 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 0.2960 common shares of RenaissanceRe and \$35.96 in cash per each 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. Fractional RenaissanceRe common shares will be paid in cash.

- (6) The Option vested in four equal annual installments beginning on February 20, 2009.

- (7) Pursuant to the terms of the Merger Agreement, upon closing of the merger, these Options will be cancelled and the holder will receive, per their election, an amount equal to 0.2960 common shares of RenaissanceRe and \$35.96 in cash per each Common Share obtainable upon exercise of the Option, subject to proration. Fractional RenaissanceRe common shares will be paid in cash.

- (8) The Option vested in four equal annual installments beginning on February 21, 2008.

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