

ARCH CAPITAL GROUP LTD.
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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 *
GRANDISSON MARC

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
ARCH CAPITAL GROUP LTD.
[ACGL]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
02/18/2016

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
President & COO

C/O ARCH CAPITAL GROUP LTD., WATERLOO HOUSE, 100 PITTS BAY ROAD

(Street)

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

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PEMBROKE, D0 HM 08

(City) (State) (Zip)

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)			
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Shares, \$0.033 par value per share	02/18/2016		M		211	A	\$ 18.7567	552,362	D	
Common Shares, \$0.033 par value per share	02/18/2016		S		211	D	\$ 68.5	552,151	D	

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Common Shares, \$0.0033 par value per share	02/19/2016	M	29,789	A	\$ 18.7567	581,940	D	
Common Shares, \$0.0033 par value per share	02/19/2016	S	29,789	D	\$ 68.6241 ⁽¹⁾	552,151	D	
Common Shares, \$0.0033 par value per share	02/19/2016	M ⁽³⁾	30,000	A	\$ 18.7567	582,151	D	
Common Shares, \$0.0033 par value per share	02/19/2016	F ⁽³⁾	8,199	D	\$ 68.63	573,952	D	
Common Shares, \$0.0033 par value per share						660	I	By spouse

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 Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option	\$ 18.7567	02/18/2016		M	211	⁽²⁾ 02/23/2016	Common Shares,	211

(right to buy)								\$.0033 par value per share	
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 18.7567	02/19/2016	M	29,789	(2)	02/23/2016		Common Shares, \$.0033 par value per share	29,789
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 18.7567	02/19/2016	M	30,000	(2)	02/23/2016		Common Shares, \$.0033 par value per share	30,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
GRANDISSON MARC C/O ARCH CAPITAL GROUP LTD. WATERLOO HOUSE, 100 PITTS BAY ROAD PEMBROKE, D0 HM 08			President & COO	

Signatures

/s/ Marc
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__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) Represents a weighted average sales price; the sales prices range from \$68.50 to \$68.92. Upon request the full sale information regarding the number of shares sold at each price increment will be provided to the Commission or to a security holder of the issuer.
- (2) The stock option became exercisable in three equal annual installments commencing February 23, 2009, subject to the applicable award agreement.
- (3) On February 19, 2016, the reporting person exercised 30,000 stock options and, under the net settlement provisions of the applicable award agreement, 8,199 common shares were withheld in payment of the exercise price.

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