

ARCH CAPITAL GROUP LTD.

Form 4

September 10, 2014

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

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1(b).

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

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Lyons Mark Donald

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O ARCH CAPITAL GROUP
LTD., 100 PITTS BAY ROAD,
GROUND FLOOR

(Street)

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

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
09/10/2014

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

____ Director ____ 10% Owner
____ Officer (give title below) ____ Other (specify below)
EVP, CFO & Treasurer

PEMBROKE, D0 HM 08

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check
Applicable Line)
____ Form filed by One Reporting Person
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Person

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, \$.0033 par value per share	09/10/2014		M	7,250	A \$ 19.883	227,267 ⁽²⁾	D
Common Shares, \$.0033 par value per share	09/10/2014		S ⁽³⁾	7,250	D \$ 54.5029	220,017 ⁽²⁾	D

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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. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 19.883	09/10/2014		M	7,250	<u>(4)</u>	08/02/2016	Common Shares, \$0033 par value per share	7,250

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Lyons Mark Donald
C/O ARCH CAPITAL GROUP LTD.
100 PITTS BAY ROAD, GROUND FLOOR
PEMBROKE, D0 HM 08

EVP,CFO & Treasurer

Signatures

/s/ Mark D.
Lyons 09/10/2014

**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 \$54.4910 to \$54.5460. Upon request, the full sale information regarding the number of shares sold at each price increment will be provided to the Commission or to the security holder of the issuer.

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- (2) 86,722 of such amount will settle in Issuer's common shares upon the termination of the Reporting Person's employment, as specifically provided in the award agreements.
- (3) A portion of the proceeds will be used to satisfy state and federal tax obligations.
- (4) The stock option became exercisable on July 31, 2009, subject to the applicable award agreement.

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