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Form 4 May 08, 2015 FORM 4 INITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549 Check this box if no longer subject to Section 16. Form 4 or Form 5 obligations may continue. See Instruction 1(b). Check this box if no longer subject to Section 16. Form 5 obligations may continue. See Instruction 1(b). Check this box if no longer STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES SECURITIES SECURITIES CMB APPROVAL OMB Number: January 31, 2005 Estimated average burden hours per response 0.5 Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 1(b).							
(Print or Type Responses)							
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> BENCHIMOL ALBERT	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol AXIS CAPITAL HOLDINGS LTD [AXS]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
(Last) (First) (Middle) 92 PITTS BAY ROAD	X Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below) President and CEO						
(Street)	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting					
PEMBROKE, D0 HM 08 (City) (State) (Zip)		Person					
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)2A. Deer Executio any (Month/I	med 3. 4. Securities Acquired on Date, if Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Day/Year) (Instr. 8) (A) or Code V Amount (D) Pric	quired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned5. Amount of Securities6. Ownership Form: Direct7. Nature of IndirectBeneficially Owned(D) or Indirect (I)Beneficial OwnershipFollowing Reported Transaction(s) e(Instr. 4)(Instr. 4)					
Common 05/07/2015(1) Shares	D $\frac{250,000}{(1)}$ D \$0	215,261 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)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Code	5. orNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	7. Titl Amou Under Secur (Instr.	int of rlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repo Trans (Instr
			Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
BENCHIMOL ALBERT 92 PITTS BAY ROAD PEMBROKE, D0 HM 08	Х		President and CEO			
Signatures						
Richard T. Gieryn, Jr., Attorney-in-Fact		05/08/2	2015			
**Signature of Reporting Person		Date				
Evaluation of Poenoneoe:						

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 determination on May 7, 2015 that the performance vesting criteria of a portion of a restricted stock award granted on May 3, 2012 were not satisfied, resulting in the forfeiture of 250,000 shares of restricted stock.

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