Argo Group International Holdings, Ltd.

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * JOSEPHSON MURAL R

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Symbol

(Middle)

Argo Group International Holdings,

(Check all applicable)

Ltd. [AGII]

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

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

(Month/Day/Year) 05/03/2016

ARGO GROUP INTERNATIONAL HOLDINGS, LTD., 110 PITTS BAY ROAD

(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, HM 08, D0

(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)

(Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed

(Month/Day/Year)

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

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Beneficial Indirect (I) Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

Reported Transaction(s)

(Instr. 3 and 4) Price

15,718

Common Stock

05/03/2016

Code V Amount (D) Α 1,186 \$0

(A)

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) | 4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Dr.Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | | ate | 7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and | Securities | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) |
|---|---|--------------------------------------|--|--|---------------------|--------------------|---|--|---|
| | | | Code V | (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | |
| Stock Units | <u>(1)</u> | 05/03/2016 | A | 37 | <u>(1)</u> | <u>(1)</u> | Common Stock | 37 | <u>(2)</u> |

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

JOSEPHSON MURAL R ARGO GROUP INTERNATIONAL HOLDINGS, LTD.

110 PITTS BAY ROAD PEMBROKE, HM 08, D0



Signatures

/s/ Craig S. Comeaux, attorney-in-fact

05/05/2016

**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) Each stock unit is the economic equivalent of one share of Argo Group's common stock. The stock units become payable in cash at the time, or at a specified time after, the reporting person ceases to serve as an Argo Group director.
- (2) The stock units reported hereunder are grants under the Argo Group International Holdings Limited Deferred Compensation Plan for Non-Employee Directors. The closing price of Argo Group's common stock on the date of this grant was \$59.00.

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