Vollaro John D Form 4 October 30, 2008

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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

obligations may continue. See Instruction 1(b).

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Vollaro John D

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

ARCH CAPITAL GROUP LTD. [ACGL]

(Check all applicable)

EVP, CFO and Treasurer

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

10/29/2008

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

WESSEX HOUSE, 4TH FLOOR, 45

(First)

(Middle)

REID STREET

(Last)

(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

HAMILTON, D0 HM12

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	le I - Non-I	Derivative :	Secur	ities Acqu	iired, Disposed of	f, or Beneficial	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit or(A) or Dis (Instr. 3, 4)	sposed	of (D)	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, \$.01 par value per share	10/29/2008		S	31,808		\$ 70.63	62,092	D	
Common Shares, \$.01 par value per share	10/29/2008		S	18,192	D	\$ 71.18 (2)	43,900	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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerci	sable and	7. Title a	ınd	8. Price of
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transact	iorNumber	Expiration Da	te	Amount	of	Derivative
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/Y	(ear)	Underlyi	ng	Security
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative	e		Securitie	s	(Instr. 5)
	Derivative				Securities			(Instr. 3	and 4)	
	Security				Acquired					
					(A) or					
					Disposed					
					of (D)					
					(Instr. 3,					
					4, and 5)					
									mount	
						Date	Expiration	or		
						Exercisable	ercisable Date	Title Number		
								of		
				Code V	$^{\prime}$ (A) (D)			St	nares	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
Reporting Owner Maine / Address	

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Vollaro John D WESSEX HOUSE, 4TH FLOOR 45 REID STREET HAMILTON, D0 HM12

EVP, CFO and Treasurer

Signatures

/s/ John D. Vollaro 10/30/2008

**Signature of Date
Reporting Person

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 sale price; the sale prices ranged from \$70.50 to \$70.93 Upon request, the full sale information regarding the number of shares sold at each price increment will be provided to the Commission, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer.
- (2) Represents a weighted average sale price; the sale prices ranged from \$71.00 to \$71.47. Upon request, the full sale information regarding the number of shares sold at each price increment will be provided to the Commission, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer.

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