ARCH CAPITAL GROUP LTD.

Form 4

February 26, 2016

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

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

(Middle)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

ARCH CAPITAL GROUP LTD.

(Check all applicable)

[ACGL]

Symbol

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

(Month/Day/Year) 02/25/2016

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

below) **EVP,CFO & Treasurer**

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

(Street)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

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

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1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 3)

Execution Date, if (Month/Day/Year)

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

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned **Following**

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

(A) (D) Amount

Reported Transaction(s)

(Instr. 4) (Instr. 3 and 4)

D

Common

Shares, \$.0033 par 02/25/2016 value per

 $S^{(2)}$ 13,200 D

\$ 68.9548 (3)

Price

198,096 (1)

share

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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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 Lyons 02/26/2016

**Signature of 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) 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.
- (2) A portion of the proceeds will be used to satisfy state and federal tax obligations.
- (3) Represents a weighted average sales price; the sales prices range from \$68.8250 to \$69.32. 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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