BENCHIMOL ALBERT

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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Common

Shares

01/29/2019

(Print or Type Responses)

1 Name and Address of Departing De

1. Name and A BENCHIMO	Symbol	AXIS CAPITAL HOLDINGS LTD				5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last) 92 PITTS B		(Month/D	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/29/2019				_X_ Director _X_ Officer (gives below)		Owner er (specify
			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		
(City)		Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative S	ecuriti	es Acc	Person quired, Disposed of	of, or Beneficial	ly 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 on(A) or Dis (D) (Instr. 3, 4	sposed	of	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	01/29/2019		A	61,700	A	\$0	476,448	D	

46,275

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\$0

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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)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3,		ate	7. Titl Amou Under Securi (Instr.	nt of lying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Owno Follo Repo Trans (Instr
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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
Topolonia o milor rimino / rimino os	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
BENCHIMOL ALBERT 92 PITTS BAY ROAD PEMBROKE, D0 HM 08	X		President and CEO					

Signatures

G. Christina Gray-Trefry, 01/31/2019 Attorney-in-Fact

> **Signature of Reporting Person Date

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- Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- Represents a guaranteed minimum award of performance-based restricted stock units. The award may increase up to 77,125 restricted stock units provided that certain Company performance conditions are satisfied. The award will be eligible to vest in a single installment

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