#### ROYAL CARIBBEAN CRUISES LTD

Form 4 April 27, 2007

## FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

(State)

(Zip)

1(b).

Rice Brian J Issuer Symbol ROYAL CARIBBEAN CRUISES (Check all applicable) LTD [RCL] (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction Director 10% Owner X\_ Officer (give title \_ Other (specify (Month/Day/Year) below) ROYAL CARIBBEAN CRUISES 04/25/2007 Executive Vice President, CFO LTD, 1050 CARIBBEAN WAY (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

MIAMI, FL 33132

(City)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)			Securities Beneficially Owned	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V		(A) or (D) Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	04/25/2007		F	464 <u>(1)</u> I	\$ D 41.855	37,733	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	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)			ate	7. Title Amoun Under	int of lying ities	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene
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					4, and 3)				Amount		
						Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	or Number of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Rice Brian J ROYAL CARIBBEAN CRUISES LTD 1050 CARIBBEAN WAY MIAMI, FL 33132

Executive Vice President, CFO

## **Signatures**

/s/ Richard Montes de Oca, Attorney-in-Fact for Brian J. Rice

04/27/2007

\*\*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) Represents the number of shares of common stock withheld by the issuer to cover the reporting person's tax liability associated with the vesting of 1,758 shares underlying certain restricted stock units on 4/25/2007.
- (2) Represents the average of the high and low prices for the issuer's common stock on the NYSE on 4/25/2007.

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