GREENLIGHT CAPITAL RE, LTD.

Form 4

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * **Hedges Barton**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

Symbol

GREENLIGHT CAPITAL RE, LTD.

(Check all applicable)

Chief Executive Officer

[GLRE]

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

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

(Month/Day/Year) 08/02/2013

below)

65 MARKET STREET, SUITE 1207,, CAMANA BAY, P.O. BOX 31110,

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

GEORGE TOWN, E9 KY11205

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

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

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned

Following

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

(Instr. 4)

Ownership (Instr. 4)

(9-02)

(A)

Reported Transaction(s)

(Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price

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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)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transac Code (Instr. 8			(A) ed of	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code '	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Share
Stock options (right to buy) (1)	\$ 26.44	08/02/2013		A		38,197		<u>(2)</u>	08/02/2023	CLASS A ORDINARY SHARES	38,19

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
reporting of their removerations	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Hedges Barton 65 MARKET STREET, SUITE 1207, CAMANA BAY, P.O. BOX 31110, GEORGE TOWN, E9 KY11205	X		Chief Executive Officer				

Signatures

/s/ Tim Courtis, as attorney-in-fact 08/02/2013

**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) These stock options were granted pursuant to the amended employment contract dated July 26, 2012 by and among Greenlight Reinsurance, Ltd., and Barton Hedges.
- (2) The options vest 25% on the date of grant, and 25% on each of the first three anniversaries of the grant date.

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