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

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *                |   |                   |  | 2. Is       | 2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol |                            |  |                    |   |                    |  |                                  | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)      |   |   |  |
|--|---|-------------------|--|-------------|--|----------------------------|--|--------------------|---|--------------------|--|----------------------------------|--|---|---|--|
| Bullock Jay Stanley                                      |   |                   |  |             | Argo Group International Holdings, Ltd. [ ARGO ]   |                            |  |                    |   |                    |  | Director                         | Director 10% Owner   |   |   |  |
| (Last)   | (First)   | (Midd             | ile)                                   | 3. Г        | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (MM/DD/YYYY)       |                            |  |                    |   |                    |  |                                  | _X_ Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) Chief Financial Officer |   |   |  |
| ARGO GROUP INTERNATIONAL<br>HOLDINGS, LTD., 90 PITTS BAY |   |                   |  |             | 3/12/2021  |                            |  |                    |   |                    |  |                                  |  |   |   |  |
| ROAD   | , 212., >   | 011110            | <b>D</b> 111                           |             |  |                            |  |                    |   |                    |  |                                  |  |   |   |  |
|  | (Stree  | et)               |  | 4. I1       | f An   | nendme                     | ent, Date O  | rigir              | nal File                                | ed (MM/D           | D/YYYY   | 6. Individual                    | or Joint/G   | roup Filing (   | Check Appl  | icable Line)   |
| PEMBROKE, HM 08, D0                                      |   |                   |  |             |  |                            |  |                    |   |                    | X_Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person                  |                                  |  |   |   |  |
| (Ci  | ty) (Stat   | , , , , , ,       | able I - 1                             | Non-Deri    | vati   | ve Sec                     | urities Ac   | quir               | ed, Di                                  | sposed o           | of, or Be  | eneficially Own                  | ed   |   |   |  |
| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)                          |   |                   | 1                                      | Execu       | eemed<br>ition<br>if any                           | 3. Trans. Co<br>(Instr. 8) | de   | or Disposed of (D) |   |                    | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned<br>Following Reported Transaction(s)<br>Instr. 3 and 4) |                                  |  | Ownership<br>Form: of Indir<br>Benefic                | 7. Nature<br>of Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership |  |
|  |   |                   |  |             |  |                            | Code   | V                  | Amour                                   | (A) or (D)         | Price  |                                  |  |   | or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)                          | (Instr. 4)   |
| Common Stock 3/12/202                                    |   |                   |  |             |  |                            |  |                    |   | D                  |  |                                  |  |   |   |  |
| Common Stock   | Tabl  | le II - Deriv     |  | ecurities I | 3en e  | eficially                  | F<br>y Owned (   | e.g.,              | 26823<br>puts,                          | D<br>calls, wa     | \$51.31  | options, conve                   | 125975<br>rtible secu  | ırities)  | D   |  |
| 1. Title of Derivate<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3)           | 2.<br>Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | 3. Trans.<br>Date | 3A. Deeme<br>Execution<br>Date, if any |             | de I str. 8)                                       |                            | 5. Number of<br>Derivative Securities<br>Acquired (A) or<br>Disposed of (D)<br>(Instr. 3, 4 and 5) |                    | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date |                    | Securitie  | s Underlying<br>e Security       | Inderlying Derivative Security Security                                      |   | Form of<br>Derivative<br>Security:                  | 11. Nature<br>of Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |
|  |   |                   |  | Code        | V  | (A)                        | (D)  | Date<br>Exerc      | cisable 1                               | Expiration<br>Date | Title  | Amount or<br>Number of<br>Shares |  | Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 4) | Direct (D)<br>or Indirect<br>(I) (Instr.<br>4)      |  |
| Stock Appreciation<br>Rights                             | \$31.92   | 3/12/2021         |  | М           |  |                            | 37561  | 1                  | <u>(1)</u>                              | 3/14/2021          | Commo<br>Stock   | on 37561                         | \$0.00   | 0   | D   |  |

#### **Explanation of Responses:**

(1) The stock appreciation rights vested in four equal annual installments beginning on March 14, 2015.

#### Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owners                        |               |                      |                            |       |  |  |  |  |
|---|---------------|----------------------|----------------------------|-------|--|--|--|--|
| Reporting Owner Name / Address          | Relationships |                      |                            |       |  |  |  |  |
| Reporting Owner Name / Address          | Director      | ctor 10% Owner Offic | Officer                    | Other |  |  |  |  |
| Bullock Jay Stanley                     |               |                      |                            |       |  |  |  |  |
| ARGO GROUP INTERNATIONAL HOLDINGS, LTD. |               |                      | Chief Financial Officer    |       |  |  |  |  |
| 90 PITTS BAY ROAD                       |               |                      | Ciliei Filialiciai Officer |       |  |  |  |  |
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### **Signatures**

| /s/ Craig S. Comeaux, attorney-in-fact | 3/16/2021 |  |  |
|--|-----------|--|--|
| **Signature of Reporting Person        | Date      |  |  |

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
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