

ARCH CAPITAL GROUP LTD.
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
GRANDISSON MARC

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O ARCH CAPITAL GROUP LTD., WATERLOO HOUSE, 100 PITTS BAY ROAD

(Street)

PEMBROKE, D0 HM 08

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
ARCH CAPITAL GROUP LTD. [ACGL]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
02/16/2017

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
President & COO

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
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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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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)
				(A) or (D)	Price		
				Code	V	Amount	
Common Shares, \$0.033 par value per share	02/16/2017		M	31,350	A	\$ 23.7067	616,912 D
Common Shares, \$0.033 par value per share	02/16/2017		F(1)	7,904	D	\$ 94.04	609,008 D
				(1)			

Common Shares, \$.0033 par value per share	660	I	By spouse
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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)

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	Amount or Number of Shares	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	
Share Appreciation Right	\$ 23.7067	02/16/2017		M	31,350	<u>(2)</u>	05/11/2017	Common Shares, \$.0033 par value per share	31,350

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

GRANDISSON MARC
C/O ARCH CAPITAL GROUP LTD.
WATERLOO HOUSE, 100 PITTS BAY ROAD
PEMBROKE, D0 HM 08

President & COO

Signatures

/s/ Marc
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**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) In connection with the exercise of a share appreciation rights award as described in Table II, 7,904 shares were disposed of in satisfaction of the exercise price. The reporting person received a net issuance of 23,446 common shares.
- (2) The share appreciation right became exercisable in three equal annual installments, with the first installment becoming exercisable on May 11, 2008, subject to the applicable award agreement.

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