**RLI CORP** Form 4 March 07, 2014

## FORM 4

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Ad Diefenthaler	•	_	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
			RLI CORP [RLI]	(Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction				
9025 N. LINDBERGH DRIVE (Street) PEORIA, IL 61615			(Month/Day/Year) 03/07/2014	Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specifically) below) VP, CIO			
			4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Ac	quired. Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned			

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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)	tionor Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
Common Stock	03/07/2014		Code V <u>J(1)</u>	Amount 266.9368	or (D)	Price \$ 44.93	(Instr. 3 and 4) 638.9753	I (2)	By Executive Deferred Compensation	
Common Stock							3,200	D		
Common Stock							452.7891	I (2)	Employee Stock Ownership Plan - ESOP	

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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)				8. De Se (In
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Stock Option	\$ 32.305 (3) (4) (5)					02/01/2013(6)	02/01/2020	Common Stock	10,000	
Stock Option	\$ 30.35 (3) (4) (5)					05/03/2013 <u>(6)</u>	05/03/2020	Common Stock	14,000	
Stock Option	\$ 34.42 (3) (5)					05/02/2014(6)	05/02/2021	Common Stock	16,000	

# **Reporting Owners**

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Diefenthaler Aaron Paul

9025 N. LINDBERGH DRIVE VP, CIO

PEORIA, IL 61615

## **Signatures**

/s/ Aaron Paul
Diefenthaler
03/07/2014

\*\*Signature of Reporting Date

Person

## **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) The securities herein were allocated to my account pursuant to the RLI Corp. Executive Deferred Compensation Agreement.
- (2) Ownership reflects dividend reinvestment

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- (3) Stock option grant price adjusted to reflect \$3.00 extraordinary dividend declared 11/14/13.
- (4) Stock option grant price adjusted to reflect \$5 extraordinary dividend declared 11/14/12.
- (5) Stock option grant price and number of stock options adjusted to reflect 2-for-1 stock split on 01/15/14.
- (6) Pursuant to option schedule wherein 20% of the aggregate number of shares granted may be exercised commencing one year from grant date and each year thereafter in 20% increments.

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