ARCH CAPITAL GROUP LTD.

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

(First)

(Street)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

McElroy David

Symbol

(Check all applicable)

ARCH CAPITAL GROUP LTD. [ACGL]

(Last)

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

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

(Month/Day/Year)

below)

300 PLAZA THREE, 3RD FLOOR 05/13/2015

Chairman & CEO Arch Insur Gr 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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

(Instr. 4)

(Instr. 4)

Person

JERSEY CITY, NJ 07311

(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionAcquired (A) or Securities Form: Direct Indirect (Instr. 3) Code Disposed of (D) Beneficially (D) or Beneficial (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Indirect (I) Ownership (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Owned

> Reported (A) Transaction(s)

Following

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

Common Shares.

\$.0033 par 05/13/2015

9,220

Α

83,589 (1)

D

value per share

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. Transactic 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 Lunderlying S (Instr. 3 and | Securities |
|---|---|---|---|--|---|--|--------------------|--|--|
| | | | | Code V | (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares |
| Stock Option (right to buy) (3) | \$ 62.505 | 05/13/2015 | | A | 9,220 | (3) | 05/13/2025 | Common Shares, \$.0033 par value per share | 9,220 |

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

McElroy David

300 PLAZA THREE, 3RD FLOOR JERSEY CITY, NJ 07311 Chairman & CEO Arch Insur Gr

8. I De Sec (In

Signatures

/s/ Marcy Rathman, Attorney in fact

05/14/2015

**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) 52,720 of such amount will settle in Issuer's common shares upon the termination of the Reporting Person's employment, as specifically provided in the applicable award agreement.
- Subject to the applicable award agreement, represents restricted share units that vest in three equal annual installments on May 13th in (2) each of 2016, 2017 and 2018; such award will settle in Issuer's common shares upon the termination of the Reporting Person's employment, as specifically provided in the award agreement.
- (3) The stock option will become exercisable in three equal annual installments, with the first installment becoming exercisable on May 13, 2016 and the next two installments on May 13, 2017 and May 13, 2018, subject to the applicable award agreement.

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