SEC Form 4

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1	Address of Reporting I		2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Lazard Ltd [LAZ]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
JORDAN VERNON E JR				X Director 10% Owner					
				Officer (give title Other (specify					
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)	below) below)					
C/O LAZARD LTD			08/06/2010						
30 ROCKEFELLER PLAZA									
			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)					
(Street)				X Form filed by One Reporting Person					
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(City)	(State)	(Zip)							

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)	Transaction Code (Instr.					5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(1150. 4)
Class A common stock	08/06/2010		С		183,215(1)	Α	\$ <mark>0</mark>	235,687	D	
Class A common stock	08/06/2010		S		183,215	D	\$30.32 ⁽²⁾	52,472	D	

Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) 3. Transaction 3A. Deemed Execution Date 4. Transaction 5. Number of Derivative 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date 7. Title and Amount of Securities 8. Price of Derivative 9. Number of derivative 10.

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. Transa Code (8)			6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)		
Class II Interests of LAZ- MD Holdings LLC	(3)	08/06/2010		С			183,215	(3)	(3)	Class A Common Stock	183,215	\$0	0	D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. The shares of Class A common stock were acquired upon the exchange of Class II interests of LAZ-MD Holdings LLC. See footnote 3 below.

2. Public offering price.

3. The Class II Interests of LAZ-MD Holdings are exchangeable on a one for one basis for Class A comon stock of Lazard Ltd.

Remarks:

<u>/s/ Vernon E. Jordan, Jr. by</u> Scott D. Hoffman under PofA

08/06/2010

** 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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