SEC Form 4

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person [*] Castellano Michael J			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Lazard Ltd [LAZ]		5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner			
				x	Officer (give title	Other (specify		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)		below)	below)		
C/O LAZARD LTD			11/04/2010		Chief Financial Officer			
30 ROCKEF	ELLER PLAZA							
			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)		idual or Joint/Group Fili	ng (Check Applicable		
(Street)				Line)	- "			
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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	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	11/04/2010		С		152,256 ⁽¹⁾	Α	\$ <mark>0</mark>	201,724	D	
Class A common stock	11/04/2010		S		152,256	D	\$35.77 ⁽²⁾	49,468	D	

Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) 1. Title of Derivative 8. Price of Derivative 3. Transaction 3A. Deemed 5. Number of 6. Date Exercisable and 7. Title and Amount 9. Number of 10. Ownership 11. Nature 2. Conversion Date Execution Date. Transaction Derivative Expiration Date of Securities derivative of Indirect Security (Instr. 3) if any (Month/Day/Year) Code (Instr. 8) Underlying Derivative Security or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) Securities (Month/Day/Year) Security Securities Form: Beneficial Direct (D) Acquired (A) (Instr. 5) Beneficially Price of Ownership Derivative or Disposed (Instr. 3 and 4) Owned or Indirect (Instr. 4) Security of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Following (I) (Instr. 4) Reported Transaction(s) Amount (Instr. 4) Date Expiration Date Number Code v (A) (D) Exercisable Title of Shares Class II Interests Class A of LAZ-MD (3) 11/04/2010 (3) (3) С 152.256 0 D 152.256 Commor \$<mark>0</mark> Stock Holdings LLC

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/ Michael J. Castellano by</u> Scott D. Hoffman under Pof A

11/08/2010

** 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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