## FORM 4

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## 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* <u>JACOBS KENNETH M</u>						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Lazard Ltd [ LAZ ]												olicable)	ng Person	Person(s) to Issuer  10% Owner	
	(Fi ZARD LTD KEFELLER	,	Middle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/01/2018									X	Offic belov	er (give title Other (speci				
(Street)  NEW YO			L0112 Zip)		- 4. If	Line) X Form file									or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable on filed by One Reporting Person on filed by More than One Reporting on						
		Tabl	e I - Nor	n-Deriv	ative	Se	curiti	es Ac	quire	d, Di	spo	osed o	f, oı	Bene	efici	ally	Owne	ed			
Date					2A. Deemed Execution Dat if any (Month/Day/Ye		on Date,	Transaction Dispose Code (Instr. 5)		4. Securit Disposed 5)				4 and Secu Bene Own		icially d Following	Form: [ (D) or li	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
										e V	ı,	Amount		(A) or (D)	Price		Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(Instr. 4)
Restricted Class A Common Stock 03/0					1/2018	/2018		М			162,703		D	(1)		109,992		Ι	)		
Class A Common Stock 03/01					1/2018	/2018		M			162,703		A	(1)		1,662,640(2)		Ι	)		
		Та	ıble II - D									ed of, o					wned				
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	xercise (Month/Day/Year e of vative	tion 3A. Deem		Code (8)	Transaction Code (Instr.		Securities Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exercisable Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)  Date Exercisable Date			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)  Amoun or Numbe of Title Shares		ount nber	Deri Sec	Price of rivative curity str. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction((Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. Shares of unrestricted Class A Common Stock were acquired upon the vesting of a prior grant of Performance-based Restricted Stock Units ("PRSUs") awarded with respect to compensation for 2014, including certain Restricted Stock Units ("RSUs") that had been acquired pursuant to the dividend equivalent reinvestment provisions of the underlying PRSU award. The grant was previously reflected in the Company's proxy statements. The PRSUs and RSUs that had been acquired pursuant to the award had previously been converted into shares of Restricted Class A Common Stock in connection with the reporting person's retirement eligibility and such shares remained subject to vesting.

## Remarks:

/s/ Kenneth M. Jacobs by Scott 03/05/2018 D. Hoffman under a P of A

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

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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<sup>2.</sup> Amount excludes 4,169 RSUs directly or indirectly beneficially owned by the reporting person.