FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name ar		2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol Lazard Ltd [ LAZ ]									ationship k all appli Directo	,		son(s) to Iss								
						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/01/2017									Officer below)	(give title		Other (s below)	specify			
30 ROCKEFELLER PLAZA							4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable						
(Street) NEW YORK NY 10112														ne)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person  Form filed by More than One Reporting  Person								
(City) (State) (Zip)																						
		Tab	le I - Non	-Deriv	ative	Sec	curitie	s Ac	quired, D	isp	osed o	of, or Be	nefici	ially	Owned	t						
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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 I if any (Month/Day	Date,	Code (Ins				6. Date Exer Expiration D (Month/Day/	ate		nd 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Secu (Instr. 3 and 4)		De Se (Ir	Price of erivative ecurity 1str. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficiall Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	ve es ially ng d tion(s)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
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Deferred Stock Units <sup>(1)</sup>	(2)	06/01/2017			A		4,574		(2)		(2)	Class A Common Stock	4,574	4	\$0	91,987	,	D				

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Deferred Stock Units ("DSUs") were awarded under Lazard Ltd's 2008 Incentive Compensation Plan as part of the Non-Executive Director Compensation arrangement.
- 2. The DSUs will be converted into Class A common stock on a one-for-one basis following the date that the reporting person resigns from, or otherwise ceases to be a member of, the Board of Directors of Lazard Ltd.

/s/ Steven J. Heyer by Scott D. Hoffman under a P of A

06/01/2017

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- $^{\star}$  If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
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