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## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  JACOBS KENNETH M					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Lazard Ltd [ LAZ ]						k all applica Director	ble)	Person(s) to Iss 10% C	Owner		
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O LAZARD LTD						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/19/2015					X	X Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)  Chairman and CEO				
30 ROCKEFELLER PLAZA  (Street)  NEW YORK NY 10112  (City) (State) (Zip)				_	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)					Line) X	X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
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				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		Transaction (Instr. 4)	n(s)		
Performance- based Restricted Stock Units <sup>(1)</sup>	(2)	02/19/2015		A		265,932		(3)	(3)	Class A common stock	265,932	(2)	334,944	4 D		
Restricted Stock Units <sup>(4)</sup>	(2)	02/19/2015		A		18,127		(5)	(5)	Class A common stock	18,127	\$0	169,952 <sup>((</sup>	6) D		

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Represents prior grants of Performance-based Restricted Stock Units ("PRSUs") awarded with respect to compensation for 2012 and 2013 for which performance conditions have been satisfied. These grants were previously reflected in Lazard Ltd's proxy statements for the relevant years.
- 2. Each PRSU (the performance conditions of which have been satisfied) and each Restricted Stock Unit ("RSU") represents a contingent right to receive one share of Class A common stock of Lazard Ltd.
- 3. Of these PRSUs, 78,264 will vest on March 2, 2015, 156,526 will vest on or around March 1, 2016 and 31,142 will vest on or around March 1, 2017.
- 4. Additional RSUs were acquired pursuant to the dividend equivalent reinvestment provisions of underlying PRSU and RSU awards.

  5. Of these RSUs, 6,275 will vest on March 2, 2015, 5,286 will vest on or around March 1, 2016, 3,233 will vest on or around March 1, 2017 and 3,333 will vest on or around March 1, 2018.
- 6. Amounts exclude 1,123,919 shares of Class A common stock of Lazard Ltd beneficially owned by the reporting person.

## Remarks:

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

02/23/2015

\*\* 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).
- \*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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