Lazard Ltd Form 4 December 01, 2006

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

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1(b).

(Last)

1. Title of

Security

(Instr. 3)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Ward Charles

(First)

(Middle)

Symbol Lazard Ltd [LAZ, LDZ]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 11/30/2006

Director X_ Officer (give title below)

Issuer

10% Owner

Other (specify below) President

(Check all applicable)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

C/O LAZARD LTD, 30 ROCKEFELLER PLAZA

NEW YORK, NY 10020

(Street)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

(City) (State) (Zip)

(Month/Day/Year)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 3.

4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect Beneficial (T) (Instr. 4)

7. Nature of Indirect Ownership (Instr. 4)

Reported (A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price

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

Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

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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

Conversion or Exercise

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if any

4. 5. Number of **Transaction**Derivative Code Securities

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** (Month/Day/Year)

7. Title and Amount of **Underlying Securities** (Instr. 3 and 4)

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(Instr. 3) Price of (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Acquired (A) or Derivative Disposed of (D) Security (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) Code V Expiration Title (A) (D) Date Amount or Exercisable Date Number of Shares Restricted Class A Stock Unit (2) 11/30/2006 Α 28,7099 (3) (3) Common 28.7099 (1) Stock

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Ward Charles C/O LAZARD LTD

30 ROCKEFELLER PLAZA

President

Signatures

NEW YORK, NY 10020

/s/ Charles G. Ward, III by Scott D. Hoffman under a PofA 12/01/2006

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * 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).
- (1) Additional Restricted Stock Units were acquired pursuant to the dividend equivalent reinvestment provisions of the underlying Restricted Stock Unit Award.
- (2) Each Restricted Stock Unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of Class A common stock of Lazard Ltd.
- (3) The Restricted Stock Units vest on March 31, 2010.

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