

Fain Richard D  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
 Fain Richard D

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 ROYAL CARIBBEAN CRUISES LTD [RCL]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
 12/12/2012

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  
 Chairman & CEO

ROYAL CARIBBEAN CRUISES LTD., 1050 CARIBBEAN WAY

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

MIAMI, FL 33132

(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)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount or Price		
Common Stock	12/12/2012		S		141,163	D	
					\$ 34.956		
					(1)		
Common Stock	12/13/2012		M		153,429	A	
					\$ 7.265		
Common Stock	12/13/2012		M		35,014	A	
					\$ 25.16		
Common Stock	12/13/2012		S		190,420	D	
					\$ 34.468		
					(2)		

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Common Stock	12/13/2012		G	V	60,000	<u>D</u> (3)	\$ 0	1,049,064	D	
Common Stock								421,412	I	See Footnotes (4) (5)

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

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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 Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 7.265	12/13/2012		M	153,429	<u>(6)</u> 02/10/2019	Common Stock	153,429	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 25.16	12/13/2012		M	35,014	<u>(6)</u> 02/08/2020	Common Stock	35,014	

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Fain Richard D ROYAL CARIBBEAN CRUISES LTD. 1050 CARIBBEAN WAY MIAMI, FL 33132	X		Chairman & CEO	

## Signatures

/s/ Carrie Levine, Attorney-in-Fact for Richard D. Fain

12/13/2012

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) Represents the weighted-average sale price per share of a series of transactions, all of which were executed on December 12, 2012. The actual sale prices ranged from a low of \$34.83 to a high of \$35.40. The Reporting Person undertakes to provide upon request of the SEC Staff, Royal Caribbean Cruises Ltd. or a Royal Caribbean Cruises Ltd. security holder full information regarding the number of shares sold at each price within the range.

(2) Represents the weighted-average sale price per share of a series of transactions, all of which were executed on December 13, 2012. The actual sale prices ranged from a low of \$34.25 to a high of \$34.85. The Reporting Person undertakes to provide upon request of the SEC Staff, Royal Caribbean Cruises Ltd. or a Royal Caribbean Cruises Ltd. security holder full information regarding the number of shares sold at each price within the range.

(3) Represents charitable contribution of shares.

(4) Shares owned by Monument Capital Corporation as nominee for various trusts primarily for the benefit of certain members of the Fain family.

(5) The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of some or all of these shares.

(6) Immediately

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