

EVEREST RE GROUP LTD  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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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 \*  
GALLAGHER THOMAS J

(Last) (First) (Middle)

EVEREST REINSURANCE  
CO, 477 MARTINSVILLE RD

(Street)

LIBERTY  
CORNER, NJ 07938-0830

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
EVEREST RE GROUP LTD [RE]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
04/26/2007

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  
President & COO

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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**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 Shares <sup>(1)</sup>	04/26/2007	04/26/2007	M			\$ 27,500 A 37.4063	64,920	D	
Common Shares <sup>(2)</sup>	04/26/2007	04/26/2007	M			\$ 30,000 A 30.625	94,920	D	
Common Shares <sup>(3)</sup>	04/26/2007	04/26/2007	M			\$ 27,500 A 39.1563	122,420	D	
Common Shares	04/26/2007	04/26/2007	S			\$ 68,200 D 102.183	54,220	D	
Common Shares	04/27/2007	04/27/2007	S			\$ 16,800 D 101.822	37,420	D	

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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
Employee Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 37.4063	04/26/2007	04/26/2007	M	27,500	<u>(1)</u> 09/25/2008	Common Stock 27,500
Employee Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 30.625	04/26/2007	04/26/2007	M	30,000	<u>(2)</u> 04/01/2009	Common Stock 30,000
Employee Stock Options (Right to Buy)	\$ 39.1563	04/26/2007	04/26/2007	M	27,500	<u>(3)</u> 09/26/2007	Common Stock 27,500

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
GALLAGHER THOMAS J EVEREST REINSURANCE CO 477 MARTINSVILLE RD LIBERTY CORNER, NJ 07938-0830	X		President & COO	

## Signatures

Sanjoy Mukherjee (Attorney  
in Fact)

04/30/2007

\_\_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) The options vested in five equal installments on September 25, 1999, 2000, 2001, 2002 and 2003.
- (2) The options vested in five equal installments on April 1, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003 and 2004.
- (3) The options vested in five equal installments on September 26, 1998, 1999, 2000, 2001 and 2002.

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