

Rice Brian J  
 Form 4  
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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 \*  
 Rice Brian J

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)

ROYAL CARIBBEAN CRUISES LTD., 1050 CARIBBEAN WAY

(Street)

MIAMI, FL 33132

(City) (State) (Zip)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
 11/16/2012

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
 Vice Chairman & CFO

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
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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)			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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
				Code	V	Amount				(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock	11/16/2012		M			10,474	A	\$ 7.265	94,039	D	
Common Stock	11/16/2012		M			2,137	A	\$ 25.16	96,176	D	
Common Stock	11/16/2012		S			12,611	D	\$ 33.5255 <u>(1)</u>	83,565	D	
Common Stock									2,000	I	By Son <u>(2)</u>

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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)	8. Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 7.265	11/16/2012		M	10,474	<sup>(3)</sup> 02/10/2019	Common Stock	10,474
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 25.16	11/16/2012		M	2,137	<sup>(3)</sup> 02/08/2020	Common Stock	2,137

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Rice Brian J ROYAL CARIBBEAN CRUISES LTD. 1050 CARIBBEAN WAY MIAMI, FL 33132			Vice Chairman & CFO	

## Signatures

Carrie Levine, Attorney-in-Fact for Brian J. Rice  
11/16/2012

\*\*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 November 16, 2012. The actual sale prices ranged from a low of \$33.52 to a high of \$33.56. The Reporting person undertakes to provide upon request of the SEC

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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) The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of these shares, except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.
- (3) Immediately.

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