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(Print or Type Respo	nses)									
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> Russo Evan L			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol Lazard Ltd [LAZ]				5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last) C/O LAZARD I ROCKEFELLEI	LTD, 30	Middle)		of Earliest T Day/Year) 2018	ransaction		Director XOfficer (gi below)		% Owner her (specify	
	(Street)			endment, D onth/Day/Yea	-	1	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by	Joint/Group Fili y One Reporting P y More than One R	erson	
NEW YORK, N	1 10112						Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tab	le I - Non-J	Derivative	Securities A	cquired, Disposed	of, or Beneficia	lly Owned	
	ansaction Date hth/Day/Year)		Date, if	Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit onAcquired Disposed (Instr. 3, 4	(A) or of (D) 4 and 5) (A) or	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)	
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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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5. Number	6. Date Exercisable and	7. Title and Amount of	8. Pr
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transactio	onof Derivative	Expiration Date	Underlying Securities	Deriv
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	Securities	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 3 and 4)	Secu

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)			Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)					(Iı	(In
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Restricted Stock Units (1)	<u>(2)</u>	02/23/2018		А		2,682		(3)	(3)	Class A Common Stock	2,682	

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
Russo Evan L C/O LAZARD LTD 30 ROCKEFELLER PLAZA NEW YORK, NY 10112			Chief Financial Officer					
Signatures								
/s/ Evan L. Russo by Scott D. I of A	02/26/2018							
**Signature of Reporting	g 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 ("RSUs") were acquired pursuant to the dividend equivalent reinvestment provisions of underlying Performance-based Restricted Stock Unit ("PRSU") and RSU awards.
- (2) Each RSU represents a contingent right to receive one share of Class A Common Stock.
- (3) Of these RSUs, 641 will vest on or around March 1, 2018, 826 will vest on or around March 1, 2019, 517 will vest on or around March 2, 2020 and 698 will vest on or around March 1, 2021.
- (4) Amount excludes 51,554 shares of Class A Common Stock and 25,641 shares of Restricted Class A Common Stock directly or indirectly beneficially owned by the reporting person.

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