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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting 2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Person * Statement ROYAL CARIBBEAN CRUISES LTD [RCL] Wilhelmsen Arne Alexander (Month/Day/Year) 02/02/2005 (Last) (First) (Middle) 4. Relationship of Reporting 5. If Amendment, Date Original Person(s) to Issuer Filed(Month/Day/Year) ANDERS WILHELMSEN & (Check all applicable) CO. AS, BEDDINGEN 8, AKER BRYGGE 10% Owner _X_ Director (Street) Officer Other 6. Individual or Joint/Group (give title below) (specify below) Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting

OSLO, NORWAYÂ NO-0118

(State)

(City)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

Person

Reporting Person

Form filed by More than One

1. Title of Security 2. Amount of Securities 3. 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Beneficially Owned Ownership (Instr. 4) Ownership (Instr. 4) Form: (Instr. 5) Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) Â Common Stock 2,056 D Common Stock 42,966,472 (1) Ι See footnote (1)

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

(Zip)

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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security	2. Date Exercisable and	3. Title and Amount of	4.	5.	6. Nature of Indirect
(Instr. 4)	Expiration Date	Securities Underlying	Conversion	Ownership	Beneficial Ownership
	(Month/Day/Year)	Derivative Security	or Exercise	Form of	(Instr. 5)

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	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	(Instr. 4) Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Price of Derivative Security	Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Option to Purchase Common Stock	(2)	09/16/2013	Common Stock	1,931	\$ 31.375	D	Â
Option to Purchase Common Stock	(3)	12/14/2014	Common Stock	1,049	\$ 51.23	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Wilhelmsen Arne Alexander ANDERS WILHELMSEN & CO. AS BEDDINGEN 8, AKER BRYGGE OSLO, NORWAYÂ NO-0118	ÂΧ	Â	Â	Â		

Signatures

By: Bradley Stein, Attorney-in-Fact for Arne Alexander Wilhelmsen

02/14/2005

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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) Shares owned by A. Wilhelmsen AS. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of these shares, except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.
- (2) 772 shares are exercisable on 9/16/2005, 386 are exercisable on each of 9/16/2006 and 9/16/2007 and 387 are exercisable on 9/16/2008.
- (3) 263 shares are exercisable on 12/14/2005 and 262 are exercisable on each of 12/14/2006, 12/14/2007 and 12/14/2008.

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