

ROYAL CARIBBEAN CRUISES LTD  
Form 8-K  
June 12, 2006

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UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT  
Pursuant To Section 13 or 15(d) of  
The Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of report (Date of earliest event reported): June 6, 2006

**ROYAL CARIBBEAN CRUISES LTD.**

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(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

**Republic of Liberia**

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(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)

**1-11884**

**98-0081645**

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(Commission File Number)

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(IRS Employer Identification No.)

**1050 Caribbean Way, Miami, Florida**

**33132**

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(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

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(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code **305-539-6000**

**Not Applicable**

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(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions:

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- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

**Section 1 Registrant's Business and Operations**

**Item 1.01 Entry into a Material Definitive Agreement**

On June 6, 2006, the compensation committee of the Board of Directors of Royal Caribbean Cruises Ltd. exercised its discretion permitted under the Company's stock award plan to extend for one year following the conclusion of John D. Chandris' service as a director of the company, the expiration date for Mr. Chandris' stock options vested on the date of his conclusion of service.

**SIGNATURES**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

ROYAL CARIBBEAN CRUISES LTD.

Date: June 12, 2006

By: /s/ Luis E. Leon

Name: Luis E. Leon

Title: Executive Vice President and  
Chief Financial Officer

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