KNAP TONY Form 4 November 30, 2012

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

KNAP TONY

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

Flagstone Reinsurance Holdings,

S.A. [FSR]

(First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 11/30/2012

C/O FLAGSTONE REINSURANCE HOLDINGS, S.A., 65 AVENUE DE

LA GARE

(Last)

(Street)

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

3.

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

X_ Director

Officer (give title

Issuer

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

LUXEMBOURG, N4 L-1611

(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)

(Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed

(Month/Day/Year)

TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

4. Securities

Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported

5. Amount of

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)

Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

(A)

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) Price

Common Shares

11/30/2012

Code V Amount (D) D 1,300 D

0

(1)

D

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)

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative 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. De Se (In
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Restricted Share Units	\$ 0 (2)	11/30/2012		D	44,256	<u>(3)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Common Shares	44,256	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
. 0	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
KNAP TONY						
C/O FLAGSTONE REINSURANCE HOLDINGS, S.A.						

65 AVENUE DE LA GARE LUXEMBOURG, N4 L-1611



Signatures

/s/ William F. Fawcett, by power of attorney

11/30/2012

**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).
- Disposed of pursuant to the Agreement and Plan of Merger, dated as of August 30, 2012, by and among the Company, Flagstone Reinsurance Holdings (Bermuda) Limited, Validus Holdings, Ltd. ("Validus") and Validus UPS, Ltd. (the "Merger Agreement"), pursuant to which each common share was converted into the right to receive a cash payment of \$2.00 and 0.1935 common shares of Validus (as of November 29, 2012, the closing price of common shares of Validus was \$34.87 per share).
- Each Restricted Share Unit ("RSU") represents the right to receive, without payment to the Company, one newly issued, fully paid and non-assessable common share of the Company, subject to the terms and conditions of the RSU Plan and grant certificate evidencing each grant. In the discretion of the Compensation Committee, upon exercise, the RSU grant may alternatively be paid in cash, or partly in cash and partly in common shares.
- (3) The RSUs, which were 100% vested on the date of grant, were converted pursuant to the Merger Agreement into the right to receive, for each RSU, (A) a cash payment of \$2.00 plus the amount of cumulative dividends declared by the Company with respect to the common shares underlying such RSUs through the date on which the mergers contemplated by the Merger Agreement were consummated and (b) 0.1935 common shares of Validus (as of November 29, 2012, the closing price of common shares of Validus was \$34.87 per share).
- (4) The RSUs had no expiry date.

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