VALIDUS HOLDINGS LTD

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SECURITIES

(Print or Type Responses)

(Last)

(City)

1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * RITZ JONATHAN PETER

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

VALIDUS HOLDINGS LTD [VR]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

Issuer

C/O VALIDUS HOLDINGS

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

06/01/2013

Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify

below) EVP, Chief Operating Officer

LTD., 29 RICHMOND RD.

(Street)

(First)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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

Person

PEMBROKE, D0 HM 08

(City)	(State) (Z	Zip) Table	I - Non-D	erivative S	ecurit	ies Acq	quired, Disposed o	of, or Beneficial	ly 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 on(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	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	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	06/01/2013		A	4,739 (1)	A	\$0	54,727	D	
Common Stock	06/01/2013		A	51,233	A	\$0	105,960	D	
Common Stock	06/01/2013		F(2)	6,631	D	\$0	99,329	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)

1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Titl	le and	8. Price of	9. Nu
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	TransactionNumber		Expiration D	on Date		ınt of	Derivative	Deriv
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Under	lying	Security	Secui
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					4, and 5)						
									Amount		
						Date	Expiration	Title	or Number		
						Exercisable	Date	Title	of		
				Codo V	(A) (D)				Shares		
				Code v	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

RITZ JONATHAN PETER C/O VALIDUS HOLDINGS LTD. 29 RICHMOND RD. PEMBROKE, D0 HM 08

EVP, Chief Operating Officer

Signatures

/s/ Jonathan P. 06/10/2013

**Signature of Date
Reporting Person

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) These shares of common stock are being issued as a result of the vesting of performance shares.
- (2) The Reporting person has had shares withheld by the issuer in an amount sufficient to satisfy tax liability incurred upon the vesting of restricted and performance stock.

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