

JACOBY AARON H

Form 4

February 03, 2005

**FORM 4****UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, D.C. 20549**

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF  
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
JACOBY AARON H

(Last) (First) (Middle)

9025 N. LINDBERGH DRIVE

(Street)

PEORIA, IL 61615

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading  
Symbol  
RLI CORP [RLI]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
02/01/2005

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to  
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
\_\_X\_\_ Officer (give title \_\_\_\_ Other (specify  
below) below)

Vice President Corp. Develop.

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check  
Applicable Line)  
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**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**

| 1. Title of<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transaction<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or<br>Disposed of (D)<br>(Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 5. Amount of<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership<br>Form:<br>Direct (D)<br>or Indirect<br>(I)<br>(Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of<br>Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------|
|                                       |                                         |                                                             | Code                                 | V                                                                       | Amount                                                                                                             | (A)<br>or<br>(D)                                                        | Price                                                             |
| Common<br>Stock                       |                                         |                                                             |                                      |                                                                         | 219.36 <sup>(1)</sup>                                                                                              | D                                                                       |                                                                   |
| Common<br>Stock                       | 02/01/2005                              |                                                             | J <sup>(2)</sup>                     |                                                                         | 26.2368                                                                                                            | A                                                                       | \$<br>44.0756                                                     |
|                                       |                                         |                                                             |                                      |                                                                         | 1,206.2829                                                                                                         | I                                                                       | By ESOP                                                           |
| Common<br>Stock                       | 02/02/2005                              |                                                             | J <sup>(2)</sup>                     |                                                                         | 52.4736                                                                                                            | A                                                                       | \$<br>44.0251                                                     |
|                                       |                                         |                                                             |                                      |                                                                         | 1,258.7565                                                                                                         | I                                                                       | By ESOP                                                           |

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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<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2. Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | 3. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 4. Transaction<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | 5. Number<br>of<br>Derivative<br>Securities<br>Acquired<br>(A) or<br>Disposed<br>of (D)<br>(Instr. 3,<br>4, and 5) | 6. Date Exercisable and<br>Expiration Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) |            | 7. Title and Amount of<br>Underlying Securities<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) | 8. Price<br>Paid for<br>Underlying<br>Securities<br>(Instr. 3) |       |
|-----------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------|------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------|-------|
|                                                     |                                                                    |                                         |                                                             | Code                                 | V                                                                                                                  | (A)                                                            | (D)        | Title                                                               | Amount<br>or<br>Number<br>of<br>Shares                         |       |
| Stock<br>Option                                     | \$ 32.85                                                           |                                         |                                                             |                                      |                                                                                                                    |                                                                | 08/11/2004 | 08/11/2013                                                          | Common<br>Stock                                                | 1,500 |
| Stock<br>Option                                     | \$ 35.08                                                           |                                         |                                                             |                                      |                                                                                                                    |                                                                | 05/06/2005 | 05/06/2014                                                          | Common<br>Stock                                                | 4,000 |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address                                | Relationships                    |
|---------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------|
|                                                               | Director 10% Owner Officer Other |
| JACOBY AARON H<br>9025 N. LINDBERGH DRIVE<br>PEORIA, IL 61615 | Vice President Corp. Develop.    |

## Signatures

Aaron H Jacoby 02/03/2005

\*\*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).
- (3) Ownership reflects shares allocated to ESOP participant's account and dividend reinvestment.
- (2) Shares allocated pursuant to the RLI Corp. Employee Stock Ownership Plan.
- (1) Ownership reflects dividend reinvestment.

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