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SECURITIES

INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting

Person *

Yastine Barbara A.

C/O AXIS CAPITAL

(Last)

(First)

(Middle)

Statement

(Month/Day/Year)

07/01/2018

2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

AXIS CAPITAL HOLDINGS LTD [AXS]

4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

5. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

(Check all applicable)

X Director 10% Owner Officer Other (give title below) (specify below)

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

X Form filed by One Reporting Person

Form filed by More than One

Reporting Person

HOLDINGS LIMITED, Â 92 PITTS BAY ROAD

(Street)

PEMBROKE, DOÂ HM 08

(State)

(Zip)

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)

(City)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned 2. Amount of Securities

Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)

3. Ownership Form:

4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership

(Instr. 5)

Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)

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

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

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)

2. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** (Month/Day/Year)

3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying **Derivative Security**

4 Conversion or Exercise

5. Ownership Form of Derivative

6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)

(Instr. 4)

Expiration Title Date

Amount or

Price of Derivative Security: Security Direct (D)

Date

Shares

or Indirect
(I)
(Instr. 5)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Yastine Barbara A.

C/O AXIS CAPITAL HOLDINGS LIMITED 92 PITTS BAY ROAD

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Signatures

G. Christina Gray-Trefry, Attorney-in-Fact

PEMBROKE, DOÂ HM 08

07/03/2018

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

No securities are beneficially owned

- * 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).

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Remarks:

No shares beneficially owned.

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