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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *VIETS ROBERT O (Last) (First) (Middle) 313 NEAPOLITAN WAY			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol RLI CORP [RLI]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
			3. Date of Earliest Transaction				
			(Month/Day/Year) 11/28/2012	X Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)			
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person			

NAPLES, FL 34103

(City)	(State)	${\bf (Zip)} \qquad \qquad {\bf Table~I-Non-Derivative~Securities~Acquired, Disposed~of, or~Beneficially~Owned}$								
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. 4. Securities Acquired (A) Transaction Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)				5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)			
Common Stock	11/28/2012		S	100	D	\$ 65.4	28,217.5528	D (1)		
Common Stock	11/28/2012		S	300	D	\$ 65.4399	27,917.5528	D (1)		
Common Stock	11/28/2012		S	300	D	\$ 65.4001	27,617.5528	D (1)		
Common Stock	11/28/2012		S	100	D	\$ 65.5191	27,517.5528	D (1)		
Common Stock	11/28/2012		S	100	D	\$ 65.39	27,417.5528	D (1)		
	11/28/2012		S	100	D		27,317.5528	D (1)		

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Common Stock					\$ 65.4698			
Common Stock	11/28/2012	S	17	D	\$ 65.31	27,300.5528	D (1)	
Common Stock	11/28/2012	S	183	D	\$ 65.39	27,117.5528	D (1)	
Common Stock	11/28/2012	S	100	D	\$ 65.52	27,017.5528	D (1)	
Common Stock	11/28/2012	S	262	D	\$ 65.4312	26,755.5528	D (1)	
Common Stock						48,013.282	I	By Trust
Common Stock						13,820.6211	I	R.O.Viets 2010 Grantor Retained Annuity Trust dtd 12/06/10

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 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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)		of (Month/Day/Year) Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3,		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Prio Deriv Secur (Instr.
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Stock Option	\$ 23.39 (2) (3) (4)					02/02/2004	02/02/2014	Common Stock	3,600	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

VIETS ROBERT O
313 NEAPOLITAN WAY X

NAPLES, FL 34103

Signatures

/s/ Robert O.
Viets

11/29/2012

**Signature of Pate 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).
- (1) Ownership reflects dividend reinvestment.
- (2) Stock option grant price adjusted to reflect \$5 extraordinary dividend declared 11/14/12.
- (3) Stock option grant price adjusted to reflect \$5 extraordinary dividend declared 11/17/11.
- (4) Stock Option grant price adjusted to reflect \$7 RLI extraordinary dividend paid 12/29/10.

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