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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * VIETS ROBERT O			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
			RLI CORP [RLI]			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction			
401 WATER STREET, UNIT 404		NIT 404	(Month/Day/Year) 12/01/2006	X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
PEORIA, IL	61602		Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Ta	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Own					
1.Title of	2. Transaction Date	2A. Deemed	3.	4. Securities Acquired (A)	5. Amount of	6.	7. Nature of	
Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transactio	or Disposed of (D)	Securities	Ownership	Indirect	

Security (Instr. 3)	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	onor Disposed (Instr. 3, 4 and Amount		Price	Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock							3,449.631	D	
Common Stock	12/01/2006		<u>J(1)</u>	299.0025	A	\$ 54.59	32,202.2047 (2)	I	By Trust
Common Stock							20,203	I	K. Viets, Trustee of ROV Florida Intangible Trust
Common Stock							4,215.8874 (3)	I	ROV IRA Rollover

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercis Expiration Dat (Month/Day/Y	e	7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Securities	8 I S (
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Stock Option	\$ 13.95					02/03/1998	02/03/2007	Common Stock	1,500	
Stock Option	\$ 16.5938					02/01/2000	02/01/2009	Common Stock	3,000	
Stock Option	\$ 19.6					02/02/1999	02/02/2008	Common Stock	1,500	
Stock Option	\$ 22.7					02/01/2001	02/01/2011	Common Stock	3,600	
Stock Option	\$ 22.75					02/01/2003	02/01/2012	Common Stock	1,800	
Stock Option	\$ 27.51					02/03/2003	02/03/2013	Common Stock	1,800	
Stock Option	\$ 40.39					02/02/2004	02/02/2014	Common Stock	3,600	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
FB	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
VIETS ROBERT O 401 WATER STREET UNIT 404 PEORIA, IL 61602	X						

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Robert O Viets 12/05/2006

**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).
- (2) Ownership reflects dividend reinvestment.
- (1) Securities herein were allocated pursuant to the RLI Corp. Directors' Irrevocable Trust Agreement.
- (3) Ownership reflects dividend reinvestment.

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