RLI CORP Form 4 August 31, 2016

FORM 4

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

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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * STONE MICHAEL J

(Last) (First) (Middle)

18808 GANTON AVENUE

(Street)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

RLI CORP [RLI]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

08/31/2016

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

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

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

BRADENTON, FL	34202

(City)	(State)	(Zip) 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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	(A) or			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
Common Stock	08/31/2016		M	2,400	A		264,936.0138	D (1)			
Common Stock	08/31/2016		M	2,400	A	\$ 16.14	267,336.0138	D (1)			
Common Stock	08/31/2016		M	16,000	A	\$ 17.865	283,336.0138	D (1)			
Common Stock	08/31/2016		M	16,000	A	\$ 19.81	299,336.0138	D (1)			
Common Stock	08/31/2016		F	21,976	D	\$ 70.98	277,360.0138	D (1)			
							53,496.117	I (1)	By Trust		

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Common Stock							
Common Stock					480	I	By Wife, Custodian UTMA-FL
Common Stock					17,937.155	I (1)	M.J. Stone Grantor Retained Annuity Trust (M5) dtd. 10/31/11
Common Stock					22,511.55	I (1)	M.J. Stone Grantor Retained Annuity Trust (M6) dtd. 10/31/11
Common Stock					7,500	I	M.J. Stone Grantor Retained Annuity Trust (M8) dtd. 01/30/13
Common Stock					8,685	I	M.J. Stone Grantor Retained Annuity Trust (M9) dtd. 01/30/13
Reminder: Re	eport on a sep	parate line for each cla	ss of securities benef	icially owned directly or i	ndirectly.		
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				uired, Disposed of, or Be , options, convertible sec		I	
Derivative 0	2. Conversion	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		4. 5. Number of TransactionDerivative	6. Date Exerci Expiration Dat	e	7. Title and Amount o Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)

Security

(Instr. 3)

or Exercise

Derivative Security

Price of

(Instr. 3 and 4)

(Month/Day/Year)

Securities

(D)

or Disposed of

Code

(Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Acquired (A)

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(Instr. 3, 4, and 5)

			and 3)							
			Code	V (A) ((D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Share
Stock Option	\$ 13.63 (2) (3) (4) (5) (6) (7) (8)	08/31/2016	M		2,	400	11/01/2011 <u>(9)</u>	11/01/2018	Common Stock	2,400
Stock Option	\$ 16.14 (2) (3) (4) (5) (6) (8)	08/31/2016	M		2,	400	02/01/2012(9)	02/01/2019	Common Stock	2,400
Stock Option	\$ 17.865 (2) (3) (4) (5) (6) (8)	08/31/2016	M		16	,000	05/05/2012(9)	05/05/2019	Common Stock	16,000
Stock Option	\$ 19.81 (2) (3) (4) (5) (6) (8)	08/31/2016	M		16	,000	08/01/2012(9)	08/01/2019	Common Stock	16,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
1 8	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
STONE MICHAEL J								
18808 GANTON AVENUE	X							
BRADENTON, FL 34202								

Signatures

/s/ Michael J.

Stone 08/31/2016

**Signature of Pate 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 \$2.00 extraordinary dividend declared 11-12-15.
- (3) Stock option grant price adjusted to reflect \$3.00 extraordinary dividend declared 11/13/14.
- (4) Stock option grant price adjusted to reflect \$3.00 extraordinary dividend declared 11/14/13.
- (5) Stock option grant price adjusted to reflect \$5 extraordinary dividend declared 11/14/12.
- (6) Stock Option grant price adjusted to reflect \$5 RLI extraordinary dividend declared 11/17/11.
- (7) Stock Option grant price adjusted to reflect \$7 RLI extraordinary dividend paid 12/29/10.
- (8) Stock option grant price and number of stock options adjusted to reflect 2-for-1 stock split on 01/15/14.

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(9) Pursuant to option schedule wherein 20% of the aggregate number of shares granted may be exercised commencing one year from grant date and each year thereafter in 20% increments.

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