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FORM 4

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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 RLI CORP [RLI]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check an applicable)			
			(Month/Day/Year)	X Director 10% Owner			
401 WATER STREET, UNIT 404			12/08/2006	Officer (give titleOther (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			
PEORIA, IL 61602				Form filed by More than One Reporting			
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(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-	Derivative	Secu	rities Acc	quired, Disposed o	of, or Beneficia	ally 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		ed of (D)	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							3,449.631	D	
Common Stock							32,202.2047 (1)	I	By Trust
Common Stock	12/08/2006		М	1,500	A	\$ 13.95	21,703	I	K. Viets, Trustee of ROV Florida Intangible Trust
Common Stock	12/08/2006		M	1,500	A	\$ 19.6	23,203	I	K. Viets, Trustee of

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		ROV Florida Intangible Trust
Common Stock	4,215.8874 (2) I	ROV IRA Rollover
Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities benefic	cially owned directly or indirectly.	
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 $\label{thm:convertible} \textbf{Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned} \\ \textit{(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)}$

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)	Secur Acqu (A) o Dispo	rities ired or osed of 3, 4,	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option	\$ 16.5938						02/01/2000	02/01/2009	Common Stock	3,000
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
Stock Option	\$ 13.95	12/08/2006		M		1,500	02/03/1998	02/03/2007	Common Stock	1,500
Stock Option	\$ 19.6	12/08/2006		M		1,500	02/02/1999	02/02/2008	Common Stock	1,500

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

VIETS ROBERT O 401 WATER STREET UNIT 404

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PEORIA, IL 61602

Signatures

Robert O Viets 12/11/2006

**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).
- (1) Ownership reflects dividend reinvestment.
- (2) Ownership reflects dividend reinvestment.

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