

RATCLIFFE PETER GERVIS

Form 4

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**FORM 4**

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
RATCLIFFE PETER GERVIS

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O CARNIVAL CORPORATION, 3655 NW 87TH AVE

(Street)

MIAMI, FL 33178

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
CARNIVAL PLC [CUK]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
02/21/2012

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
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**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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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)	
				(A) or (D)	Price			
				Code	V	Amount		
Trust Shares (beneficial Interest In Special Voting Share) <sup>(1)</sup>	02/21/2012		M	10,000 <sup>(2)</sup>	A	\$ 0	12,629	D
Trust Shares (beneficial Interest In Special Voting	02/21/2012		A	1,420 <sup>(3)</sup>	A	\$ 0	14,049	D

Share) <sup>(1)</sup>

Trust Shares  
(beneficial  
Interest In  
Special  
Voting  
Share) <sup>(1)</sup>

02/21/2012

F

5,445  
(4)

D

\$  
30.74

8,604

D

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	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
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0	02/21/2012		M	10,000 <u>(2)</u>	02/20/2012	<u>(5)</u>	Trust Shares (beneficial Interest In Special Voting Share)	10,000

## Reporting Owners

### Reporting Owner Name / Address

### Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

RATCLIFFE PETER GERVIS  
C/O CARNIVAL CORPORATION  
3655 NW 87TH AVE  
MIAMI, FL 33178

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## Signatures

/s/ Peter G  
Ratcliffe

02/23/2012

    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).

Represents trust shares (the "Trust Shares") of beneficial interests in P&O Princess Voting Trust (the "Trust"). In connection with the dual listed company transaction between Carnival plc (f/k/a P&O Princess Cruises plc) and Carnival Corporation (the "DLC Transaction"), Carnival plc issued one special voting share to the Trust and, following a series of transactions, the Trust Shares were distributed to

- (1) holders of common stock of Carnival Corporation (the "Carnival Corporation Common Stock"). Since completion of the DLC Transaction on April 17, 2003, if Carnival Corporation issues Carnival Corporation Common Stock to a person, the Trust will issue an equivalent number of Trust Shares to such person. The Trust Shares are paired with shares of Carnival Corporation Common Stock and are represented by the same stock certificate. The Trust Shares represent a beneficial interest in the Carnival plc special voting share.
- (2) Represents shares released from restriction from a Restricted Stock Unit award granted in 2007.
- (3) Represents settlement of dividend equivalents accumulated during the restricted period of a restricted stock unit award originally granted in 2007, which has now vested.
- (4) Represents a surrender of shares to satisfy tax obligation on the vesting of the Restricted Stock Unit.
- (5) No expiration date. The award will either vest or be forfeited pursuant to the terms of the Restricted Stock Unit Agreement between the reporting person and the issuer.

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