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## FORM 3

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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES** 

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting 2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Person \* Statement XL CAPITAL LTD [XL] **Â** Cross Susan Lee (Month/Day/Year) 07/25/2008 (Last) (First) (Middle) 4. Relationship of Reporting 5. If Amendment, Date Original Person(s) to Issuer Filed(Month/Day/Year) XL HOUSE. ONE (Check all applicable) BERMUDIANA ROAD (Street) 6. Individual or Joint/Group 10% Owner Director \_X\_\_ Officer Other Filing(Check Applicable Line) (give title below) (specify below) \_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting EVP, Global Chief Actuary Person HAMILTON, DOÂ HM 11 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial 1. Title of Security 2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Ownership Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 5) (Instr. 4) Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) Â Class A Common Shares  $25,900^{(1)}$ D Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially SEC 1473 (7-02) owned directly or indirectly. Persons who respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not

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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D)	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
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	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date		Amount or Number of Shares		or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	(2)	03/09/2011	Class A Common Shares	14,500	\$ 80	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (Right to buy)	(2)	03/08/2012	Class A Common Shares	25,000	\$ 93	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (Right to buy)	(3)	03/07/2013	Class A Common Shares	3,452	\$ 68.62	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (Right to buy)	(3)	03/05/2014	Class A Common Shares	7,000	\$ 77.1	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (Right to buy)	(3)	03/04/2015	Class A Common Shares	7,500	\$ 75.48	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (Right to buy)	(2)	02/22/2018	Class A Common Stock	40,000	\$ 36.9	D	Â

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships				
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other	
Cross Susan Lee XL HOUSE ONE BERMUDIANA ROAD HAMILTON, DO HM 11	Â	Â	EVP, Global Chief Actuary	Â	

## **Signatures**

Susan L. Cross 08/04/2008

\*\*Signature of Date
Reporting Person

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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) Includes 3400 shares owned jointly with spouse
- (2) exercisable in three annual installments commencing on first anniversary of the grant
- (3) Exercisable in four annual installments commencing on the first anniversary of the grant

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