FORM 4

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person [*] GROSS MICHAEL S			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Solar Capital Ltd. [SLRC]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer					
(Last) C/O SOLAR C AVENUE	(First) CAPITAL LTD.,	(Middle) 500 PARK	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/04/2012	(Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title below) below) CEO, Pres, Chair. of the Board					
(Street) NEW YORK	NY	10022	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person					
(City)	(State) (Zip)			Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					

	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned											
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transac Code (Instr. 8)		4. Secur Acquirec Dispose (Instr. 3,	l (A) d of (or (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)			
Common Stock	05/04/2012		Р		10,000	Α	\$ 21.4	62,500	D			
Common Stock	05/07/2012		Р		3,695	Α	\$ 21.35	66,195	D			
Common Stock								2,055,649	I	See Footnote ⁽¹⁾		

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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,	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		5. Number of		6. Date Exercisable and		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				

Explanation of Responses:

1. Includes 1,340,649 shares held by Solar Capital Investors, LLC and 715,000 shares held by Solar Capital Investors II, LLC, both of which may be deemed to be beneficially owned by Mr. Gross and by Bruce J. Spohler by virtue of their collective ownership interest therein.

/s/ Michael S. Gross 05/08/2012
** Signature of Reporting
Person Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

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