UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIESM

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person [*]	Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year)	Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Solar Capital Ltd. [SLRC]			
GROSS MICHAEL S		4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) 5. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)			
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O SOLAR CAPITAL LTD., 500 PARK AVENUE, 5TH FLOOR		(Check all applicable) X Director Other (specify below) Check Applicable Line) Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person			
(Street) NEW YORK NY 10022 (City) (State) (Zip)		CEO, Pres, Chair of the Board Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned								
1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount of Securities Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)					
Common Stock	1,340,649	I	Owned by Solar Capital Investors, LLC					

Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)									
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	Expiratio	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) 3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Inst		ring	Conversion or Excercise	Ownership Indir Form: Bene	Beneficial Ownership		
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of SharesM	Price of Derivative Security	or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	(Instr. 5)		

Explanation of Responses:

Remarks:
These shares are held by Solar Capital Investors, LLC, 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 02/09/2010 ** Signature of Reporting Date Person

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 5(b)(v).
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