KRUSE STEIN Form 4

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## FORM 4

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See Instruction 1(b).

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Special

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * KRUSE STEIN			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol CARNIVAL PLC [CUK]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last)	(First) (	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)			
			(Month/Day/Year)	Director 10% Owner			
CARNIVAL CORPORATION, 3655 NW 87TH AVE  (Street)			02/13/2018	_X_ Officer (give title Other (specibelow)  CEO, Holland America Group  6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
			4. If Amendment, Date Original				
MIAMI, FL	33178		Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting			

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(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	le I - Non-l	Derivative	Secur	rities Acquir	ed, Disposed of, o	r Beneficially	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)	4. Securit oner Dispos (Instr. 3, 4	ed of		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)
Trust Shares (beneficial Interest In Special Voting Share) (1)	02/13/2018		A(2)	20,528 ( <u>3)</u>	A	\$ 0	75,614.5464	D	
Trust Shares (beneficial Interest In	02/13/2018		S <u>(4)</u>	8,171	D	\$ 68.7349	67,443.5464	D	

Voting Share) (1)

Ordinary Shares 4,110.312 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. Transa Code (Instr. 3	etiod (8) ]	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	Secur	int of rlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)
				Code	V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

KRUSE STEIN CARNIVAL CORPORATION 3655 NW 87TH AVE MIAMI, FL 33178

CEO, Holland America Group

#### **Signatures**

/s/ Stein Kruse 02/15/2018

\*\*Signature of 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) 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"),

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Carnival plc issued one special voting share to the Trust and, following a series of transactions, the Trust Shares were distributed to 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) Vesting of performance-based restricted stock units ("Performance RSUs") granted on April 14, 2015 pursuant to the Carnival Corporation 2011 Stock Plan. Each Performance RSU represents one share of Carnival Corporation common stock.
  - The reporting person was eligible to earn from 0-200% of the stated target amount of Performance RSUs to the extent that Carnival Corporation & plc's annual earnings before interest and taxes, as adjusted for certain fuel price changes and exchange rate impact, and
- (3) return on invested capital at the end of the three year performance cycle exceed specified performance goals, as modified at the end of the three year performance cycle for Carnival Corporation & plc's total shareholder return rank relative to peers. This includes shares from the settlement of dividend equivalents accumulated during the Performance RSU restricted period.
- (4) Represents a sale of shares to satisfy the tax obligation on the release of vested Performance RSUs.

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