Star Bulk Carriers Corp. Form 4 February 19, 2008

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Star Bulk Carriers Corp. [SBLK]

Symbol

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

RAMIUS CAPITAL GROUP LLC

| (Last) | (First) | (Middle) | 3. Date of | of Earliest T | ransaction | | | | | |
|---|---|---|------------|--------------------------|---------------------------------------|--------|--|--|--|---|
| 666 THIRD AVENUE, 26TH FLOOR | | (Month/Day/Year) 02/14/2008 | | | | | Officer (give below) | | 0% Owner ther (specify | |
| | (Street) | | 4. If Am | Amendment, Date Original | | | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check | | | |
| NEW YORK, NY 10017 | | | Filed(Mo | iled(Month/Day/Year) | | | Applicable Line) Form filed by One Reporting Person _X_ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | | |
| (City) | (State) | (Zip) | | | | ~ | | | | |
| | , , | • | | | Derivative | Secui | rities Acq | uired, Disposed o | • | · |
| 1.Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | e 2A. Deem Execution any (Month/Da | Date, if | Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securit or(A) or Dis (Instr. 3, 4) | sposed | d of (D) | 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) |
| Common Stock, \$.01 par value (1) (2) (3) | 02/14/2008 | | | S | 25,000 | D | \$ 12.24 | 1,702,070 | I | By RCG Carpathia Master Fund, Ltd |
| Common Stock, \$.01 par value (1) (2) (3) | | | | | | | | 579,865 | I | By RCG Baldwin, L.P. (5) |
| Common Stock, | | | | | | | | 5,000 | I | By RCG Crimson, |

| \$.01 par | | | LP <u>(6)</u> |
|---|---------|---|----------------------------------|
| value (1) (2) | | | |
| (3) | | | |
| Common Stock, \$.01 par value (1) (2) (3) | 505,865 | I | By RCG Enterprise, Ltd (7) |
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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 | 2. Conversion | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | | 4. Transacti | 5. orNumber | 6. Date Exerc Expiration D | | 7. Titl Amou | | 8. Price of Derivative | 9. Nu Deriv |
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| Security | or Exercise | | any | Code | of | (Month/Day/ | Year) | Under | lying | Security | Secui |
| (Instr. 3) | Price of | | (Month/Day/Year) | (Instr. 8) | Derivative | e | | Securi | ities | (Instr. 5) | Bene |
| | Derivative | | | | Securities | | | (Instr. | 3 and 4) | | Own |
| | Security | | | | Acquired | | | | | | Follo |
| | | | | | (A) or | | | | | | Repo |
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| | | | | | 4, and 5) | | | | | | |
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| | | | | Code V | (A) (D) | | | | Shares | | |
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Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Keiauonsinps | | | | | |
|--|--------------|-----------|---------|-------|--|--|
| 1 | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | | |
| RAMIUS CAPITAL GROUP LLC 666 THIRD AVENUE 26TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10017 | | X | | | | |
| RCG BALDWIN LP C/O RAMIUS CAPITAL GROUP, L.L.C. 666 THIRD AVENUE, 26TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10017 | | X | | | | |
| RAMIUS ADVISORS LLC C/O RAMIUS CAPITAL GROUP, L.L.C. | | X | | | | |

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666 THIRD AVENUE, 26TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10017

RCG CARPATHIA MASTER FUND LTD C/O RAMIUS CAPITAL GROUP, L.L.C. 666 THIRD AVENUE, 26TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10017

X

RCG Enterprise Ltd

CITCO FUND SERVICES LIMITED CORPORATE CENTER, WEST BAY ROAD

X

GRAND CAYMAN

Signatures

| By: Ramius Capital Group, L.L.C.; By: /s/ Owen S. Littman, Authorized Signatory | | | | | |
|---|------|--|--|--|--|
| **Signature of Reporting Person | Date | | | | |
| By: RCG Baldwin, L.P.; By: /s/ Owen S. Littman, Authorized Signatory | | | | | |
| **Signature of Reporting Person | Date | | | | |
| By: Ramius Advisors, LLC; By: /s/ Owen S. Littman, Authorized Signatory | | | | | |
| **Signature of Reporting Person | Date | | | | |
| By: RCG Carpathia Master Fund, Ltd; By: /s/ Owen S. Littman, Authorized Signatory | | | | | |
| **Signature of Reporting Person | Date | | | | |
| By: RCG Enterprise, Ltd; By: /s/ Owen S. Littman, Authorized Signatory | | | | | |
| **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).
- Each Reporting Person may be deemed to be a member of a Section 13(d) group that owns more than 10% of the Issuer's outstanding shares of Common Stock. To enable all of the Reporting Persons to gain access to the Securities and Exchange Commission's electronic filing system (which only accepts a maximum of 10 joint filers per report), this report is the first of two identical reports relating to the same transaction being filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission.
- Each Reporting Person disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares of Common Stock reported herein except to the extent of its pecuniary interest therein, and this report shall not be deemed to be an admission that any Reporting Person is the beneficial owner of such shares of Common Stock for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.
- The Reporting Persons may also be deemed to beneficially own an aggregate of 2,223,400 shares of Common Stock underlying warrants convertible into Common Stock at a ratio of one warrant for one share of Common Stock (the "Warrants"). Each

 Reporting Person disclaims beneficial ownership of the Warrants except to the extent of its pecuniary interest therein, and this report shall not be deemed to be an admission that any Reporting Person is the beneficial owner of the Warrants for purposes of Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or for any other purpose.
- Shares of Common Stock beneficially owned by RCG Carpathia Master Fund, Ltd (Carpathia). As the investment advisor of Carpathia, Ramius Capital Group, L.L.C. (Ramius) may be deemed to beneficially own the shares of Common Stock beneficially owned by Carpathia.
- Shares of Common Stock beneficially owned by RCG Baldwin, L.P. (Baldwin). As the general partner of Baldwin, Ramius Advisors, LLC (Ramius Advisors) may be deemed to beneficially own the shares of Common Stock beneficially owned by Baldwin. As the sole member of Ramius Advisors, Ramius may be deemed to beneficially own the shares of Common Stock beneficially owned by Ramius Advisors.

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- Shares of Common Stock beneficially owned by RCG Crimson, LP (Crimson). As the general partner of Crimson, Ramius may be deemed to beneficially own the shares of Common Stock beneficially owned by Crimson.
- Shares of Common Stock beneficially owned by RCG Enterprise, Ltd (RCG Enterprise). As the investment manager of RCG Enterprise, Ramius may be deemed to beneficially own the shares of Common Stock beneficially owned by RCG Enterprise. As a result of a reorganization of certain of the Reporting Persons and their affiliates, the shares of Common Stock previously reported as being beneficially owned by Ramius Securities, L.L.C. (Ramius Securities) were transferred to RCG Enterprise, its affiliate. As of the date hereof, Ramius Securities no longer beneficially owns any shares of Common Stock.

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