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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * SKERO KATHLEEN			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
			Blackstone Group L.P. [BX]	(Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction				
			(Month/Day/Year)	Director 10% Owner			
345 PARK AVENUE			01/14/2014	_X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) Principal Accounting Officer			
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
(Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line)			
NEW YORK	., NY 10154		Tiled(violitii/Bay/Tear)	_X_ Form filed by One Reporting PersonForm filed by More than One Reporting Person			

(City)	(State) (Zip	Table I	- Non-Der	ivative Sec	urities Acqui	ired, Disposed of	, or Beneficiall	y 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. Securities Acquired or(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) or Amount (D) Price		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 units representing limited partner	01/13/2014		A	11,559 (1)	A \$0	120,761	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	f 2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Title	e and	8. Price of	9. Nu
Derivativ	e Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transacti	orNumber	Expiration D	ate	Amou	nt of	Derivative	Deriv
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	ties	(Instr. 5)	Bene
	Derivative				Securities			(Instr.	3 and 4)		Owne
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					(A) or						Repo
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					4, and 5)						
									Amount		
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							Expiration Date		or Number		
									of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		
				Code v	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Officer Other Director 10% Owner

SKERO KATHLEEN 345 PARK AVENUE NEW YORK, NY 10154

Principal Accounting Officer

Signatures

Tabea Y. Hsi as 01/15/2014 Attorney-In-Fact

**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).

Granted under the 2007 Equity Incentive Plan, 9,632 of these 11,559 deferred restricted common units vest ratably over a four-year period, with 2,408 units vesting on January 1, 2015, 2,408 units vesting on January 1, 2016, 2,408 units vesting on January 1, 2017, and 2,408 units vesting on January 1, 2018, subject to the Reporting Person's continued employment with Blackstone. Also granted under the (1) 2007 Equity Incentive Plan, 1,927 of these deferred restricted common units will vest on the four-year anniversary of the grant date, which is January 1, 2018, subject to the Reporting Person's continued employment with Blackstone. As these deferred restricted common units vest, the underlying common units will be delivered to the Reporting Person. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the units may be delivered earlier upon a change in control of Blackstone.

Remarks:

The Reporting Person disclaims beneficial ownership of these securities except to the extent of their pecuniary interest.

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