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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * LYLES KELLY JEAN

(First)

(Street)

(State)

XL SERVICES UK LIMITED, 70

GRACECHURCH STREET

(Middle)

(Zin)

XL GROUP PLC [XL]

(Month/Day/Year)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

02/28/2016

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

Director 10% Owner Other (specify _X__ Officer (give title below)

Chief Regional Officer Ins

(Check all applicable)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person

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6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Person

Issuer

LONDON, X0 EC3V 0XL

(City)	(State)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned								
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)			of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)			
XL Ordinary Shares	02/28/2016		M	10,186 (1)	A	\$ 0 (2)	10,186	D		
XL Ordinary Shares	02/28/2016		M	207 (3)	A	\$ 0 (4)	10,393	D		
XL Ordinary Shares	02/28/2016		F	4,886 (5)	D	\$ 34.64	5,507	D		
XL Ordinary	02/28/2016		M	4,604 (6)	A	\$ 0 (2)	10,111	D		

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Shares

XL Ordinary Shares	02/28/2016	M	89 <u>(7)</u>	A	\$ 0 (4)	10,200	D
XL Ordinary Shares	02/28/2016	F	2,206 (8)	D	\$ 34.64	7,994	D

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

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 $\label{thm:convergence} \begin{tabular}{ll} Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned \\ (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) \end{tabular}$

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)	on Date, if TransactionDerivative Code Securities Acquired		Acquired sposed of	6. Date Exer Expiration D (Month/Day)	7. Title and Amou Underlying Securi (Instr. 3 and 4)		
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amo or Nun of Si
Employee Stock Option (Right to buy)	\$ 34.64	02/28/2016		A	83,473		<u>(9)</u>	02/28/2026	Ordinary Shares	83,
Restricted Stock Units	<u>(2)</u>	02/28/2016		M		10,186	(10)	<u>(10)</u>	Ordinary Shares	10,
Dividend Equivalent Rights	<u>(4)</u>	02/28/2016		M		207	<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Ordinary Shares	20
Restricted Stock Units	<u>(2)</u>	02/28/2016		M		4,604	(11)	<u>(11)</u>	Ordinary Shares	4,6
Dividend Equivalent Units	<u>(4)</u>	02/28/2016		M		89	<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Ordinary Shares	8

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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

LYLES KELLY JEAN XL SERVICES UK LIMITED 70 GRACECHURCH STREET LONDON, X0 EC3V 0XL

Chief Regional Officer Ins

Signatures

Hannah Orowitz, Attorney-in-Fact for Kelly J. Lyles

03/01/2016

**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).
- (1) Shares acquired in relation to the 2014 restricted stock unit award vesting.
- (2) Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one XL ordinary share.
- (3) Shares acquired in relation to the 2014 dividend equivalent unit award vesting.
- Settlement of dividend equivalent rights in connection with vesting of restricted stock units. The rights accrued as dividends were paid on XL ordinary shares and vest proportionately with the restricted stock units to which they relate. Each dividend equivalent right is the economic equivalent of one XL ordinary share.
- (5) Shares disposed of represent withholding to satisfy a tax obligation upon vesting of restricted stock units and associated dividend equivalent units.
- (6) Shares acquired in relation to the 2015 restricted stock unit award vesting.
- (7) Shares acquired in relation to the 2015 dividend equivalent unit award vesting.
- (8) Shares disposed of represent withholding to satisfy a tax obligation upon vesting of restricted stock units and associated dividend equivalent units.
- (9) Exercisable in three equal installments commencing on the first anniversary of the grant.
- (10) Restricted stock units granted on September 9, 2014 vest in four installments on February 28, 2016, 2017, 2018 and 2019, provided the reporting person's employment continues through such vesting dates.
- (11) Restricted stock units granted on February 28, 2015 vest in three equal annual installments on each anniversary of the grant date (February 28, 2016, 2017 and 2018), provided the reporting person's employment continues through such vesting dates

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