

KORN FERRY INTERNATIONAL  
 Form 4  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
 Kaye Stephen D

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 KORN FERRY INTERNATIONAL  
 [KFY]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
 12/01/2016

\_\_\_\_ Director  
 Officer (give title below)  
 \_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 \_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
 CEO of Hay Group

C/O KORN/FERRY INTERNATIONAL, 1900 AVENUE OF THE STARS, SUITE 2600

(Street)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 \_\_\_\_ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

LOS ANGELES, CA 90067

(City) (State) (Zip)

**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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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)
			Code	V Amount (A) or (D) Price			
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	12/01/2016		J	43,526 (1) (2) (3) A (1) (2) (3)	74,636	D	
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	12/01/2016		F	2,241 (4) D \$ 25.38	72,395	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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (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
Kaye Stephen D C/O KORN/FERRY INTERNATIONAL 1900 AVENUE OF THE STARS, SUITE 2600 LOS ANGELES, CA 90067			CEO of Hay Group	

## Signatures

/s/ Jonathan Kuai, 12/05/2016  
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).

(1) As previously disclosed, on December 1, 2015, Korn/Ferry International (the "Company") completed its acquisition of all the issued and outstanding shares and non-interest bearing convertible preferred equity certificates of HG (Luxembourg) S.a.r.l pursuant to that certain Stock Purchase Agreement dated as of September 23, 2015 (the "Purchase Agreement"), by and between HG (Bermuda) Limited ("HG Bermuda") and the Company. Pursuant to the Purchase Agreement, the Company paid HG Bermuda an aggregate purchase price of approximately \$477 million, consisting of (a) approximately \$259 million in cash, net of estimated acquired cash and after giving effect to estimated purchase price adjustments as described in the Purchase Agreement, and (b) 5,922,136 shares of the Company's common stock (the "Consideration Shares"), representing an aggregate value of \$218 million based on the volume weighted average price of the Company's common stock on The New York Stock Exchange

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(Continued from Footnote 1) on each of the 20 consecutive trading days ending on September 21, 2015. Pursuant to the Purchase Agreement, at the closing of the acquisition, HG Bermuda and certain shareholders of HG Bermuda, including the reporting person, executed a lockup agreement (the "Lockup Agreement") with the Company prohibiting HG Bermuda, during the restricted period under the Lockup Agreement, from transferring any Consideration Shares, subject to certain limited exceptions. In accordance with the Lockup Agreement, on December 1, 2016, one-third of the Consideration Shares (the "Released Consideration Shares") were released from the lockup restrictions, and concurrent therewith HG Bermuda distributed on a pro rata basis and for no consideration to each of its shareholders and former shareholders (including the reporting person) his/her/its pro rata portion of the Released Consideration Shares.

- (3) (Continued from Footnote 2) The reporting person acquired 43,526 shares of the Company's common stock upon this pro rata distribution, without payment of consideration.
- (4) Represents a reduction in shares to satisfy the tax withholding obligations of the Company with respect to the vesting, on December 1, 2016, of 6,527 shares of restricted stock held by the reporting person.

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