

KKR & CO. INC.

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FORM 4

(Statement of Changes in Beneficial Ownership)

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FORM 4

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP
OF SECURITIES**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934
or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * RUSSO PATRICIA F <small>(Last) (First) (Middle)</small> C/O KKR & CO. L.P., 9 WEST 57TH STREET, 42ND FLOOR <small>(Street)</small> NEW YORK, NY 10019 <small>(City) (State) (Zip)</small>	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol KKR & Co. L.P. [KKR]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) <input checked="checked" type="checkbox"/> X Director <input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner <input type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify below)
	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (MM/DD/YYYY) <p align="center">10/1/2012</p>	
	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed (MM/DD/YYYY)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) <input checked="checked" type="checkbox"/> X Form filed by One Reporting Person <input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Trans. Date	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any	3. Trans. Code (Instr. 8)			4. Securities Acquired (A) 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 Units	10/1/2012		M		10000	A	(1)	13000		D	

Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g. , puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivate Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Trans. Date	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any	4. Trans. 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		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
					(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Restricted Equity Units	(1)	10/1/2012		M		10000	(1)	(1)	Common Units	10000	\$0	10000	D	

Explanation of Responses:

(1) 10,000 restricted equity units of KKR & Co. L.P. vested on October 1, 2012 and were settled for common units of KKR & Co. L.P. on a one-for-one basis. The remaining 10,000 restricted equity units will generally vest on October 1, 2013, and upon vesting, may be settled by delivery of common units of KKR & Co. L.P. on a one-for-one basis.

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
RUSSO PATRICIA F C/O KKR & CO. L.P. 9 WEST 57TH STREET, 42ND FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10019	X			

Signatures

David J. Sorkin, Attorney-in-fact

10/3/2012

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

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).

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