

# KKR & CO. INC. Reported by SORKIN DAVID

## FORM 4

(Statement of Changes in Beneficial Ownership)

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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Name and Address of Reporting Person *					2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol							5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)				
Sorkin David							Co. L.P. [					Director 10% Owner				
(Last) (First) (Middle)				3. I	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (MM/DD/YYYY)							X Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)				
C/O KKR & CO. L.P., 9 WEST 57TH STREET, 42ND FLOOR					11/14/2011							General Counsel and Secretary				
(Street)				4. I	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed (MM/DD/YYYY)							6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)				
NEW YORK, NY 10019 (City) (State) (Zip)												X_Form filed by One Reporting Person 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)			]	Exec	Deemed ution if any	(Instr. 8)		or Dis	posed of (E 3, 4 and 5) (A) or	Fo (In	ollowing Reported Transaction(s) Ownership of In Form: Direct (D) Ownership of In Bene			7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
	Tab	ole II - Deri	vative Sec	urities B	Bene	eficia	lly Owned (	[e.g.,]	puts	, calls, w	arrants, o	options, conve	rtible sec	urities)		
(Instr. 3)	Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative	3. Trans. Date	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any	4. Trans. Code (Instr. 8)	Acquired Disposed		mber of ative Securities ired (A) or sed of (D) . 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date		7. Title and Securities U Derivative S (Instr. 3 and	derlying Derivative Security		Securities Beneficially Owned	Ownership Form of Derivative Security:	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
	Security			Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercis		Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	
KKR Holdings L.P. Units (2)	<u>(2)</u>	11/14/2011		<b>G</b> (1)(3)	v		247500 (3)	<u>(2</u>		<u>(2)</u>	Common Units (2)	247500 (3)	\$0	250000 (4)	I	See footnote (5)
KKR Holdings L.P. Units (2)	(2)							(2)	)	(2)	Common Units (2)	3167216		3167216 (4)	D	

#### **Explanation of Responses:**

- (1) This Form 4 reflects a gift and certain transfers of KKR Holdings L.P. units for estate planning purposes involving a limited partnership (the "Partnership"), whose general partner (the "General Partner") is a limited liability company of which the Reporting Person is the sole member and investment manager and whose limited partner is a trust (the "Trust") of which the Reporting Person is not a trustee. The gift and transfers reflected in this Form 4 were exempt from reporting and/or matching pursuant to Rules 16a-13 and/or Rule 16b-5 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (the "Exchange Act").
- (2) Pursuant to an exchange agreement as contemplated by KKR & Co. L.P.'s prospectus dated September 21, 2011, filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on September 23, 2011, units of KKR Holdings L.P. are exchangeable for KKR Group Partnership Units (which term refers collectively to Class A partner interests in each of KKR Management Holdings L.P. and KKR Fund Holdings L.P.) on a one-for-one basis, and KKR Group Partnership Units are exchangeable for common units of KKR & Co. L.P. on a one-for-one basis. In this Form 4 filing and in future filings, the Title of Derivative Security will be listed as "KKR Holdings L.P. Units" in replacement of "KKR Group Partnership Units."
- (3) On November 14, 2011, for estate planning purposes, the Reporting Person made a gift of his limited partnership interests in the Partnership to the Trust. Following this gift, the Trust owns a 99% limited partnership interest in the Partnership. The General Partner holds a 1% general partnership interest in the Partnership. The number reported reflects the portion of units of KKR Holdings L.P. held by the Partnership that corresponds to the limited partnership interests held by the Trust.
- (4) On October 1, 2011, (i) the Reporting Person contributed 2,500 units of KKR Holdings L.P. from the Reporting Person's direct ownership to the General Partner, (ii) the General Partner contributed such 2,500 units of KKR Holdings L.P. to the Partnership in return for which the General Partner received a 1% general partnership interest and (iii) the Reporting Person contributed 247,500 units of KKR Holdings L.P. from the Reporting Person's direct ownership to the Partnership in return for which he received a 99% limited partnership interest. These contributions, which were exempt from reporting pursuant to Rule 16a-13 under the Exchange Act, merely changed the form of the Reporting Person's pecuniary interest in such securities from direct to indirect and from one form of indirect to another form of indirect.
- (5) These units of KKR Holdings L.P. are held by the Partnership, and the number reported reflects the aggregate number of units of KKR Holdings L.P. held by the Partnership.

#### Remarks:

Pursuant to Rule 16a-1(a)(4) under the Exchange Act, the Reporting Person states that this filing shall not be an admission that the Reporting Person is the beneficial owner of any of the securities reported herein, and the Reporting Person disclaims beneficial ownership of such securities except to the extent of the Reporting Person's pecuniary interest therein.

### **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
reporting Owner Ivame / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
Sorkin David								
C/O KKR & CO. L.P.			General Counsel and Secretary	,				
9 WEST 57TH STREET, 42ND FLOOR			Seneral Sounser and Secretary					
NEW YORK, NY 10019								

#### **Signatures**

/s/ David J. Sorkin, Attorney-in-Fact

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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).
- \*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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