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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 Ad	dress of Re	porting Per	son *	2. I	ssuer	Name a	nd Tic	ker or T	radin	g Symbo	ol	5. Relationshi (Check all app		rting Person	(s) to Issuer
KKR Group	Partner	ship L.P.			KR F REF		state	Finan	ce T	rust In	ıc. [	Director		_X_ 10%	Owner
(Last)	(First	) (Mic	ldle)	3. I	Date o	f Earlie	st Tran	saction	(MM/D	D/YYYY)	)	Officer (giv	ve title below	(r) Othe	er (specify below)
C/O KOHLI & CO. L.P., SUITE 4200				S			9/	/1/202	0						
SUITE 4200	(Stre	eet)		4. I	f Ame	endmen	t, Date	Origina	l Filed	d (MM/DI	D/YYYY)	6. Individual	or Joint/Gi	roup Filing (	Check Applicable Line)
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			Гable I - Ne	on-Der	ivativ	e Secui	ities A	cquire	l, Dis <sub>l</sub>	posed of	f, or Ben	eficially Own	ed		
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)			2. Trans. Da	te 2A. D Execu Date,	tion	3. Trans (Instr. 8		4. Securior Dispo (Instr. 3,	sed of (			int of Securities Ber ng Reported Transac and 4)		Ownership Form: Direct (D)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
						Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price				or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	
Common Stock												20000000		I	See Footnotes (1)(3)(5)(6)
Common Stock			9/1/2020			s		20657	D	\$18.5	2)	1987959		I	See Footnotes (4)(5)(6)
	Tab	ole II - Der	ivative Seci	ırities	Benef	icially (	Owned	( <i>e.g.</i> , p	uts, c	alls, wa	rrants, o	options, conve	rtible secu	ırities)	
1. Title of Derivate Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative	Date		4. Trans. (Instr. 8)	Д А П	Number Derivative Acquired ( Disposed of Instr. 3, 4	Securitie A) or f (D)		e Exerci tion Da				Derivative Security	derivative Securities Beneficially Owned	10. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: 11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
	Security			Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exerci	sable E	xpiration late	Title Shar	ount or Number of		Transaction(s)	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- (1) Represents 20,000,000 shares of common stock ("Common Stock") of KKR Real Estate Finance Trust Inc. (the "Issuer") held by KKR REFT Holdings L.P. continuously since the initial public offering of the Issuer. KKR REFT Holdings L.P. did not sell any shares reported in this Form 4. As described below, this Form 4 is being filed to report the sale of shares by a vehicle holding shares primarily for the benefit of a third party unaffiliated with KKR.
- (2) The price reported is a weighted average price per share of Common Stock of the Issuer sold by Tactical Value SPN-KREF Holdings L.P., a vehicle holding shares primarily for the benefit of a third party unaffiliated with KKR. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$18.50 to \$18.55, inclusive. The reporting persons undertake to provide to the Issuer, any security holder of the Issuer, or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the range set forth in this footnote.
- (3) The general partner of KKR REFT Holdings L.P. is KKR REFT Holdings GP LLC, which is wholly owned by KKR REFT Asset Holdings LLC. KKR REFT Asset Holdings LLC is owned by KKR Group Partnership L.P. and KKR Financial Holdings LLC, whose common shares are wholly owned by KKR Group Partnership L.P. The general partner of KKR Group Partnership L.P. is KKR Group Holdings Corp.
- (4) Shares of Common Stock of the Issuer are held by Tactical Value SPN-KREF Holdings L.P. The general partner of Tactical Value SPN-KREF Holdings L.P. is Tactical Value SPN-SPV GP LLC, the sole member of which is KKR Tactical Value SPN L.P., the general partner of which is KKR Associates TV SPN L.P. The general partner of KKR Associates TV SPN L.P. is KKR TV SPN GP Limited, the sole shareholder of which is KKR Group Partnership L.P. The general partner of KKR Group Partnership L.P. is KKR Group Holdings Corp.
- (5) KKR & Co. Inc. is the sole shareholder of KKR Group Holdings Corp. KKR Management LLP is the Series I preferred stockholder of KKR & Co. Inc. Henry R. Kravis and George R. Roberts are the founding partners of KKR Management LLP.
- (6) Each of the Reporting Persons disclaims beneficial ownership of the securities reported herein, except to the extent of such Reporting Person's pecuniary interest therein. The filing of this statement shall not be deemed to be an admission that, for purposes of Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or otherwise, the Reporting Persons are the beneficial owners of any securities reported herein.

## Remarks:

Exhibit 24 - Power of Attorney

Because no more than 10 reporting persons can file any one Form 4 through the Securities and Exchange Commission's EDGAR system, certain affiliates of the Reporting Persons have filed a separate Form 4.

**Reporting Owners** 

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Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
KKR Group Partnership L.P.				
C/O KOHLBERG KRAVIS ROBERTS & CO. L.P.		X		
9 WEST 57TH STREET, SUITE 4200		Λ		
NEW YORK, NY 10019				
ROBERTS GEORGE R				
C/O KKR & CO. INC.		X		
9 WEST 57TH STREET, SUITE 4200		A		
NEW YORK, NY 10019				
KRAVIS HENRY R				
C/O KKR & CO. INC.		X		
9 WEST 57TH STREET, SUITE 4200		Λ		
NEW YORK, NY 10019				
KKR Management LLP				
C/O KOHLBERG KRAVIS ROBERTS & CO. L.P.		X		
9 WEST 57TH STREET, SUITE 4200		A		
NEW YORK, NY 10019				
KKR & Co. Inc.				
C/O KKR & CO. INC.		X		
9 WEST 57TH STREET, SUITE 4200		A		
NEW YORK, NY 10019				
KKR Group Holdings Corp.				
C/O KOHLBERG KRAVIS ROBERTS & CO. L.P.		X		
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NEW YORK, NY 10019				

## **Signatures**

**Signature of Reporting Person	Date
GEORGE R. ROBERTS By: /s/ Terence P. Gallagher Name: Terence P. Gallagher Title: Attorney-in-fact	9/3/2020
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date
HENRY R. KRAVIS By: /s/ Terence P. Gallagher Name: Terence P. Gallagher Title: Attorney-in-fact	9/3/2020
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date
·	9/3/2020
·	9/3/2020 Date
Chief Financial Officer  **Signature of Reporting Person  KKR & CO. INC. By: /s/ Terence P. Gallagher Name: Terence P. Gallagher Title: Attorney-in-fact for Robert H. Lewin, Chief	Date
KKR MANAGEMENT LLP By: /s/ Terence P. Gallagher Name: Terence P. Gallagher Title: Attorney-in-fact for Robert H. Lewin, Chief Financial Officer  **Signature of Reporting Person  KKR & CO. INC. By: /s/ Terence P. Gallagher Name: Terence P. Gallagher Title: Attorney-in-fact for Robert H. Lewin, Chief Financial Officer  **Signature of Reporting Person	9/3/2020  Date  9/3/2020  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).

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

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Date

## POWER OF ATTORNEY

Know all men by these presents that Robert H. Lewin does hereby make, constitute and appoint David J. Sorkin, Terence P. Gallagher, and Christopher Lee, or any one of them, as a true and lawful attorney-in-fact of the undersigned with full powers of substitution and revocation, for and in the name, place and stead of the undersigned (both in the undersigned's individual capacity and as a manager or member of any limited liability company, as a partner of any partnership, as an officer of any corporate or other entity, or in the undersigned's capacity in a position similar to the foregoing at any entity, in each case, for which the undersigned is otherwise authorized to sign), to execute and deliver such forms, schedules, statements and other documents as may be required to be filed from time to time with the Securities and Exchange Commission with respect to: (i) Sections 13(d), 13(g), 13(f), 13(h) and 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, including without limitation, Schedule 13D, Schedule 13G, Form 13F, Form 13H, Form 3, Form 4 and Form 5 and (ii) in connection with any applications for EDGAR access codes, including without limitation the Form ID.

/s/ Robert H. Lewin

Name: Robert H. Lewin

Date: January 14, 2020