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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(b).

(Last)

(City)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * LAZARUS ROCHELLE B

(Middle)

(Zin)

(First)

C/O THE BLACKSTONE **GROUP, 345 PARK AVENUE**

(Street)

(State)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

Blackstone Group L.P. [BX]

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

07/09/2018

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

NEW YORK, NY 10154

(City)	(State) (Zip	Table I	- Non-Deri	vative Sec	curitie	s Acqu	ired, Disposed of	, or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	Disposed (Instr. 3,	4. Securities nAcquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) or		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)
Common units representing	07/09/2018		Code V $A^{(1)}$	Amount 4,247	(D)	Price \$ 0	39,590	D	
limited			_	,		, ,	,		

interests Common

partner

units representing limited

partner

interests

2,950

See I footnote (2)

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

	 Title of 	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Title	e and	8. Price of	9
	Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if Transactio		orNumber	Expiration Date		Amou	nt of	Derivative	J
	Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/Year)		Underlying		Security	,
(Instr. 3)		Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative	e		Securities	(Instr. 5)]	
		Derivative				Securities			(Instr.	str. 3 and 4)		(
		Security				Acquired						J
						(A) or						J
						Disposed						7
						of (D)						(
						(Instr. 3,						
						4, and 5)						
										Amount		
										or		
								Expiration Date	Title Numb			
										of		
					Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		
					Code v	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

LAZARUS ROCHELLE B C/O THE BLACKSTONE GROUP 345 PARK AVENUE NEW YORK, NY 10154

X

Signatures

Tabea Y. Hsi as Attorney-In-Fact 07/11/2018

**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).
- Granted under the 2007 Equity Incentive Plan, these deferred restricted units will vest, and the underlying common units will be
 (1) delivered, on July 9, 2019 subject to the Reporting Person's continued service on the board of directors of Blackstone Group Management L.L.C., the general partner of The Blackstone Group L.P.
- (2) These units are held in trusts for the benefit of the Reporting Person's children, over which the Reporting Person shares investment control.

Remarks:

Reporting Owners 2

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The Reporting Person disclaims beneficial ownership of these securities except to the extent of her pecuniary interest.

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