

Blackstone Group L.P.  
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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, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
Solotar Joan

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O THE BLACKSTONE GROUP, 345 PARK AVENUE, 43RD FLOOR

(Street)

NEW YORK, NY 10154

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
Blackstone Group L.P. [BX]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
04/29/2014

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_ 10% Owner  
\_X\_ Officer (give title below) \_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
SMD, External Relations

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
\_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)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction 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 representing limited partner interests	04/29/2014		C <sup>(2)</sup>	6,600 A \$ 0 <sub>(2)</sub>	6,600 <sup>(4)</sup>	D	
Common units representing limited partner	04/29/2014		G <sup>(3)</sup>	V 6,600 D \$ 0 0		D	

interests

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 (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)	Amount or Number of Shares	
					Code	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Blackstone Holdings partnership units <sup>(1)</sup>	<u>(1)</u>	04/29/2014		C <sup>(2)</sup>	6,600	<u>(1)</u> / <u>(1)</u>	Common units representing limited partner interests	6,600	

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships		
	Director	10% Owner	Officer
Solotar Joan C/O THE BLACKSTONE GROUP 345 PARK AVENUE, 43RD FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10154			Other
			SMD, External Relations

## Signatures

Tabea Y. Hsi as Attorney-In-Fact 05/01/2014

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).

- A "Blackstone Holdings partnership" unit collectively refers to one limited partner interest in each of Blackstone Holdings I L.P., Blackstone Holdings II L.P., Blackstone Holdings III L.P., and Blackstone Holdings IV L.P. Subject to the minimum retained ownership requirements and transfer restrictions set forth in the partnership agreements of the Blackstone partnerships, the Reporting Person has the rights, exercisable from time to time, to exchange each Blackstone Holdings partnership unit for one common unit of The Blackstone Group L.P. The Blackstone Holdings partnership units have no expiration date and may not be exchanged at any time prior to December 31, 2014 other than pursuant to transactions or programs approved by Blackstone.
- (1) Pursuant to an exchange agreement, the Reporting Person exchanged 6,600 Blackstone Holdings partnership units for an equal number of common units of The Blackstone Group L.P.
  - (2) The Reporting Person donated a total of 6,600 Blackstone common units to two charitable organizations.
  - (3) Since the date of the Reporting Person's last ownership report, she transferred 11,694 common units representing limited partner interests pursuant to Rule 16a-12. The Reporting Person no longer reports such transferred securities as beneficially owned.

### Remarks:

The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of the securities reported except to the extent of her pecuniary interest.

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