KKR & Co. L.P. Form 4 October 04, 2011

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

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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 may continue.

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1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading **GRUNDFEST JOSEPH** Issuer Symbol KKR & Co. L.P. [KKR] (Check all applicable) (First) (Middle) (Last) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify C/O KKR & CO. L.P., 9 WEST 10/01/2011 below) 57TH STREET, 42ND FLOOR (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

NEW YORK, NY 10019

(City)	(State)	Zip) Table	I - Non-D	erivative S	ecurities A	Acquired, Disposed	of, or Beneficia	lly Owned
1.Title of	2. Transaction Date		3.	4. Securiti			6. Ownership	
Security (Instr. 3)	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if any	Code	on(A) or Dis (D)	sposed of	Securities Beneficially	Form: Direct (D) or	Indirect Beneficial
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3, 4	and 5)	Owned Following	Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Ownership (Instr. 4)
					(A) or	Reported Transaction(s)	(msu. 4)	(Illsu: 4)
			Code V	Amount	(D) Pr	ice (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Units	10/01/2011		M	10,000	A (1)	10,000	I	See Footnote (2)

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)

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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)		es Acquired (Month/Day/Year) isposed of		ate	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Share
Restricted Equity Units	(1)	10/01/2011		M		10,000	<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Common Units	10,000
Restricted Equity Units	(3)	10/03/2011		A	10,000		(3)	(3)	Common Units	10,000

Reporting Owners

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

Signatures

**Signature of Reporting Person

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

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).

Date

- These restricted equity units of KKR & Co. L.P. (which were granted to the Reporting Person on October 1, 2010 and transferred to the Reporting Person's living trust on November 10, 2010) vested on October 1, 2011 and were settled in accordance with their terms for common units of KKR & Co. L.P. on a one-for-one basis.
- (2) These securities are held by the Reporting Person's living trust.
- (3) These restricted equity units of KKR & Co. L.P. were granted under the KKR & Co. L.P. 2010 Equity Incentive Plan and will vest on October 1, 2012 so long as the Reporting Person continues to serve as a director of the general partner of KKR & Co. L.P. or, if earlier, upon the Reporting Person's death or permanent disability or a change in control. KKR & Co. L.P. will deliver to the Reporting Person one common unit of KKR & Co. L.P. for each vested restricted equity unit.

Remarks:

Pursuant to Rule 16a-1(a)(4) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, the Reporting Person states that this filing s Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, *see* Instruction 6 for procedure. Potential persons who are to respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB number.

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