Oaktree Capital Group, LLC Form 4 March 09, 2015

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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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

See Instruction

obligations

may continue.

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Keele Larry W

(First)

(Street)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

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Security

(Instr. 3)

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

Oaktree Capital Group, LLC [OAK]

(Check all applicable)

(Month/Day/Year)

C/O OAKTREE CAPITAL GROUP, 03/06/2015 X_ Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify

below) below) Principal

4. If Amendment, Date Original

(Instr. 8)

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

(Instr. 4)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

LOS ANGELES, CA 90071

LLC. 333 SOUTH GRAND

AVENUE, 28TH FLOOR

(City) (State) (Zip) 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 1. Title of

3. 4. Securities (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial (I) Ownership

Following Reported (A)

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price

(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

or

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

(Month/Day/Year)

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(Instr. 4)

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

1. Title of Derivative Conversion

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed

(Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

5. Number of TransactionDerivative

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date**

7. Title and Amount 8. Pric of Underlying

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Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)		Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		(Month/Day/Year)		Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		Securit (Instr.
				Code '	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
OCGH Units	<u>(1)</u> <u>(2)</u> <u>(3)</u>	03/06/2015		M			173,911	(2)(3)	(2)(3)	Class A Units	173,911	\$ 51.

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
1	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Keele Larry W							
C/O OAKTREE CAPITAL GROUP, LLC	X		Dringing1				
333 SOUTH GRAND AVENUE, 28TH FLOOR	Λ		Principal				
LOS ANGELES, CA 90071							

Signatures

/s/ Richard Ting, Attorney-in-fact

03/09/2015

**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).

In connection with the March 2015 public offering (the "Offering") of the Issuer's Class A units (the "Class A units"), the Reporting Person exchanged 173,911 limited partnership units ("OCGH units") in Oaktree Capital Group Holdings, L.P. ("OCGH") for cash at a

- (1) purchase price per OCGH unit of \$51.70, which is equal to the price per Class A unit in the Offering paid to the Issuer by the underwriter, with adjustments to account for the Reporting Person's disproportionate interest in the historical incentive income of certain of the Issuer's closed-end funds, as further described in footnotes 2 and 3 below.
 - Each OCGH unit represents a limited partnership interest in OCGH. Pursuant to an exchange agreement and subject to certain restrictions, including the approval of the exchange by the Issuer's board of directors, each holder of OCGH units has the right to exchange his or her vested OCGH units into, at the option of the Issuer's board of directors, Class A units on a one-for-one basis, an
- (2) equivalent amount of cash based on then-prevailing market prices, other consideration of equal value or any combination of the foregoing, with adjustments, as applicable, to account for the disproportionate sharing among certain OCGH unitholders of the historical incentive income of certain of the Issuer's closed-end funds that held their final closing before the Issuer's May 2007 restructuring. (Continued in footnote 3)
- The adjustments will be made pursuant to the OCGH limited partnership agreement to account for the fact that, as a result of the May 2007 restructuring, the interests of certain OCGH unitholders in historical incentive income are disproportionately larger or smaller than their pro rata interest in the Issuer's business, depending on when the unitholder's interest in the Issuer's business was acquired.

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