

MAXTED BRIAN F  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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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 \*  
MAXTED BRIAN F

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
Kosmos Energy Ltd. [KOS]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
C/O KOSMOS ENERGY,  
LLC, 8176 PARK LANE, SUITE  
500

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
01/31/2018

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  
Chief Exploration Officer

(Street)  
DALLAS, TX 75231

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 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 Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|
| common shares                   | 01/31/2018                           |  | A                              | (A) or (D)<br>Amount<br>89,500<br>(1)                             | \$ 0  | 2,145,614  | D                                 |
| common shares                   |                                      |  |                                |   | 6,729,864   | I  | See footnote (2)                  |
| common shares                   |                                      |  |                                |   | 1,174,397   | I  | See footnote (3)                  |
| common shares                   |                                      |  |                                |   | 474,625   | I  | See footnote (4)                  |

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 Acquired (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) | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 5) |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|--|--|
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## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address  | Relationships |           |                           |       |
|---|---------------|-----------|---------------------------|-------|
|   | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer                   | Other |
| MAXTED BRIAN F<br>C/O KOSMOS ENERGY, LLC<br>8176 PARK LANE, SUITE 500<br>DALLAS, TX 75231 | X             |           | Chief Exploration Officer |       |

## Signatures

By: /s/ Richard Stephens, as  
Attorney-in-Fact  
02/02/2018

\_\_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).
- (1) These restricted share units were granted under the Issuer's Long Term Incentive Plan (the "Plan") and are scheduled to vest with respect to one-third of the total number of shares on January 1 of each of 2019, 2020 and 2021, subject to the terms of the Plan and the applicable award agreement issued thereunder.
- (2) These shares are directly owned by Maxted Family Investments, Ltd., an entity controlled by the reporting person. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of these shares except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.
- (3) These shares are directly held by the reporting person's wife and reflect a gift of 13,821 shares made by the reporting person on June 1, 2016 upon the vesting of restricted share units granted to the reporting person. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of these shares except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.

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- (4) These shares are directly owned by Maxted Holdings, LLC, an entity controlled by the reporting person. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of these shares except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.

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