

Carlyle Group L.P.  
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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 \*  
Buser Curtis L.

(Last) (First) (Middle)

1001 PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE,  
NW

(Street)

WASHINGTON, DC 20004

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
Carlyle Group L.P. [CG]

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

02/01/2016

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)

Chief Financial Officer

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	02/01/2016		A		80,043	A(1)	\$ 0 193,378
Common Units	02/01/2016		A		11,211	A(2)	\$ 0 204,589
Common Units	02/01/2016		S		2,470	D(3)	\$ 13.38 202,119

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 Owned Beneficially (Instr. 5)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Buser Curtis L. 1001 PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE, NW WASHINGTON, DC 20004			Chief Financial Officer	

## Signatures

/s/ Jeffrey W. Ferguson by power of attorney for Curtis L. Buser  
 \*\*Signature of Reporting Person  
 Date: 02/03/2016

## 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 securities are deferred restricted common unit awards. These securities will vest 40% on August 1, 2017, an additional 30% on August 1, 2018 and the remaining 30% on August 1, 2019, subject to the reporting person's continued service at the company on the applicable vesting date.
  - (2) These securities are deferred restricted common unit awards. These securities will vest 100% on August 1, 2017, subject to the reporting person's continued service at the company on the vesting date.
  - (3) These common units were sold on behalf of the reporting person to cover tax withholding obligations in connection with the vesting of deferred restricted common units, the grant of which was previously reported.
  - (4) The price reported in column 4 is a weighted average price. These common units were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$13.34 to \$13.45, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide to The Carlyle Group L.P., any security holder of The Carlyle Group L.P. or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of common units purchased at each separate price within the range set forth in this footnote.

**Remarks:**

Pursuant to Rule 16a-1(a)(4) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, the reporting person herein states that this fi

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