Blackstone Group L.P. Form 3 July 18, 2016 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION OMB APPROVAL FORM 3 Washington, D.C. 20549 OMB 3235-0104 Number:

INITIAL STATEMENT OF 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 Ad Person <u>*</u> BREYER		oorting	Statement (Month/Day/Year)	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Blackstone Group L.P. [BX]						
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	07/14/2016	4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)			
C/O THE BLACKSTONE GROUP L.P., 345 PARK AVENUE (Street)				(Check all applicable) XDirector10% Owner OfficerOther (give title below) (specify below)		Owner	 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person 			
NEW YORK	,A NYA 1	.0154					Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - I	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned						
1.Title of Securi (Instr. 4)	ty		2. Amount of Beneficially (Instr. 4)		3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nat Owner (Instr.	1			
Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficia owned directly or indirectly.				cially S	SEC 1473 (7-02)				
Persons who respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB control number.										

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

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)		4. Conversion or Exercise Price of	5. Ownership Form of Derivative	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of	Derivative Security	Security: Direct (D)	

January 31,

2005

0.5

Expires:

response...

Estimated average burden hours per

Shares

or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address		Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
BREYER JAMES C/O THE BLACKSTONE GROUP L.F 345 PARK AVENUE NEW YORK, NY 10154	ÂX	Â	Â	Â			
Signatures							
Tabea Y. Hsi as07Attorney-In-Fact07	/18/2016						
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date						

Explanation of Responses:

No securities are beneficially owned

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(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).

Â

Remarks:

Exhibit List: Exhibit 24 - Power of Attorney

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.