FORM 4

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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

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)				
LANE, SUITE		(Middle) LLC, 8176 PARK	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/16/2011	X Director 10% Owner X Officer (give (specify title below) below) Director and CEO				
(Street) DALLAS	тх	75231	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	(Che	dividual or Joint/G ck Applicable Line orm filed by One R)		
(City)	(State)	(Zip)		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	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership			
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)			
Common Shares	05/16/2011		J ⁽¹⁾		4,138,651	Α	\$ 0 ⁽¹⁾	4,138,651	D				
Common Shares	05/16/2011		Р		10,000	Α	\$ 18 ⁽²⁾	4,148,651	D				
Common Shares	05/16/2011		J ⁽³⁾		6,729,864	Α	\$ 0 ⁽³⁾	6,729,864	I	See footnote. ⁽³⁾			
Common Shares	05/18/2011		A ⁽⁴⁾		2,588,235	Α	\$ 0 ⁽⁴⁾	6,736,886	D				

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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)	erivative Conversion Date ecurity or Exercise (Mo		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 Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Common Shares (Right to Receive)	(5)	05/18/2011		A		647,059		(6)	(6)	Common Shares	647,059	\$ 0 ⁽⁶⁾	647,059	D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. In connection with a corporate reorganization, which involved Kosmos Energy Holdings becoming wholly-owned by the Issuer, and the Issuer's initial public offering described in the prospectus dated May 11, 2011, the reporting person received 3,990,304 common shares in exchange for his vested units in Kosmos Energy Holdings, the Issuer's predecessor, and 148,347 restricted shares in exchange for his unvested profit units in Kosmos Energy Holdings under the Issuer's Long Term Incentive Plan (the "Plan"). Subject to the terms of the Plan and an award agreement under the Plan, the restricted shares are scheduled to vest on June 13, 2011, which is when the reporting person's profit units were scheduled to vest.

2. The price to the public in the Issuer's initial public offering.

3. These shares granted under the Plan are directly owned by Maxted Family Investments, Ltd., an entity controlled by the reporting person. In connection with the Issuer's corporate reorganization and initial public offering, Maxted Family Investments, Ltd., received 4,915,277 common shares in exchange for its vested units in Kosmos Energy Holdings and 1,814,587 restricted shares in exchange for its unvested profit units under the Plan. Subject to the terms of the Plan and an award agreement under the Plan, these restricted shares are scheduled to vest on the same dates as the exchanged profit units were scheduled to vest, as follows: 37,087 of these restricted shares are scheduled to vest on June 13, 2011, and 1,777,500 of these restricted shares are scheduled to vest 50% on June 11, 2011 and 50% on June 11, 2012. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of these shares except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.

4. These restricted shares were granted under the Plan and are scheduled to vest 25% on each of the first four anniversaries of May 16, 2011, subject to the terms of the Plan and an award agreement under the Plan.

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6. In connection with the Issuer's initial public offering, the reporting person acquired a contractual right to receive restricted shares under the Plan within 30 days after the offering. These restricted shares are scheduled to vest 25% on each of the first four anniversaries of May 16, 2011 based on the satisfaction of certain performance conditions, in accordance with the terms of the Plan and an award agreement to be issued under the Plan.

<u>/s/ Phillip Feiner, as</u> Attorney-in-Fact

05/18/2011

** Signature of Reporting Date Person

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

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

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