FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person [*] BCP IV GP L.L.C.					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Kosmos Energy Ltd. [KOS]									5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director X 10% Owner								
(Last) (First) (Middle)							3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/21/2013									Officer (give title Other (specify below) below)						
C/O THE BLACKSTONE GROUP L.P. 345 PARK AVENUE					4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								· I	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)								
(Street) NEW YORK NY				10154														n filed	by One Re by More th	•	•	
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1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)			2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		Exe if ar	Deemed ution Date, y uth/Day/Year)		Co	Transactio Code (Ins							5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
									de	v	Amount		(A) or (D)	Price		Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)				
Common Shares			02/21/2013						5		11,555,266		D	\$10.	5875 ⁽¹⁾	106,761,445		I		See Footnotes ⁽²⁾⁽⁷⁾⁽⁸⁾		
Common Shares			02/21/2013						S		188,444 D		D	\$10.5875 ⁽¹⁾		1,741,071		1		See Footnotes ⁽³⁾⁽⁷⁾⁽⁸⁾		
Common Shares			02/21/2013					S		304,796 D		D	\$10.5875 ⁽¹⁾		2,816,074		I		See Footnotes ⁽⁴⁾⁽⁷⁾⁽⁸⁾			
Common Shares			02/21/2013					S		253,071 D		D	\$10.5875 ⁽¹⁾		2,338,172		Ι		See Footnotes ⁽⁵⁾⁽⁷⁾⁽⁸⁾			
Common Shares			02	2/21/2013	3			S			34,362		D	\$10.	5875 ⁽¹⁾	317,477				See Footn	otes ⁽⁶⁾⁽⁷⁾⁽⁸⁾	
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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person [*] BCP IV GP L.L.C.																						
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(Street) NEW YORK NY			10154																			
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(Last)	(First)	(Middle)						
C/O THE BLACI 345 PARK AVEN	KSTONE GROUP L.	Р.						
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(Street) NEW YORK	NY	10154						
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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* BLACKSTONE CAPITAL PARTNERS CAYMAN IV- A LP								
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)						
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(City)	(State)	(Zip)						
PARTNERS (Last)	(First) KSTONE GROUP L.	(Middle)						
(Street) NEW YORK	NY	10154						
(City)	(State)	(Zip)						
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* Blackstone Family Investment Partnership (Cayman) IV-A SMD L.P.								
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O THE BLACKSTONE GROUP L.P. 345 PARK AVENUE								
(Street) NEW YORK	NY	10154						
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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person [*] Blackstone Participation Partnership (Cayman) IV L.P.						
(Last) C/O THE BLACK 345 PARK AVEN	(First) STONE GROUP L.P. UE	(Middle)				
(Street) NEW YORK (City)	NY (State)	10154 (Zip)				

Explanation of Responses:

1. This amount represents the \$11.00 secondary public offering price per common share, par value \$0.01 (the "Common Shares") of Kosmos Energy Ltd. (the "Issuer") less the underwriting discount of \$0.4125 per share.

2. These Common Shares are held by Blackstone Capital Partners (Cayman) IV L.P. ("BCP Cayman IV").

3. These Common Shares are held by Blackstone Capital Partners (Cayman) IV-A L.P. ("BCP Cayman IV-A").

4. These Common Shares are held by Blackstone Family Investment Partnership (Cayman) IV-A L.P. ("BFIP").

5. These Common Shares are held by Blackstone Family Investment Partnership (Cayman) IV-A SMD L.P. ("BFIP SMD").

6. These Common Shares are held by Blackstone Participation Partnership (Cayman) IV L.P. ("BPP").

7. The general partner of BFIP SMD is Blackstone Family GP L.L.C. which is controlled by Mr. Stephen A. Schwarzman, its founder. The general partner of BCP Cayman IV and BCP Cayman IV-A is Blackstone Management Associates (Cayman) IV L.P. ("BMA"). A general partner of BMA, BFIP, and BPP is BCP IV GP L.L.C ("BCP IV"). Blackstone Holdings III L.P. is the sole member of BCP IV. The general partner of Blackstone Holdings III L.P. is Blackstone Holdings III GP L.P. The general partner of Blackstone Holdings III GP Management L.L.C. The sole member of Blackstone Holdings III GP Management L.L.C. The sole member of Blackstone Holdings III GP Management L.L.C. The sole member of Blackstone Group L.P. is Blackstone Group Management L.L.C. Blackstone Group Management Management Glavatement Glavatement

8. Each of the Reporting Persons disclaims beneficial ownership of the securities reported herein, except to the extent of such Reporting Person's pecuniary interest therein. The filing of this statement shall not be deemed to be an admission that, for purposes of Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or otherwise, the Reporting Persons are the beneficial owners of any securities reported herein.

Remarks:

Because no more than 10 reporting persons can file any one Form 4 through the Securities and Exchange Commission's EDGAR system, Blackstone Management Associates (Cayman) IV L.P., Blackstone Family GP L.L.C., Blackstone Holdings III L.P., Blackstone Holdings III GP L.P., Blackstone Holdings III G

/s/ John G. Finley, Chief Legal 02/25/2013 Officer of BCP IV GP L.L.C. /s/ John G. Finley, Chief Legal Officer, BCP IV GP L.L.C. general partner of Blackstone Management Associates 02/25/2013 (Cayman) IV L.P., general partner of Blackstone Capital Partners (Cayman) IV L.P. /s/ John G. Finley, Chief Legal Officer, BCP IV GP L.L.C., general partner of Blackstone 02/25/2013 Management Associates (Cayman) IV L.P., general partner of Blackstone Capital Partners (Cayman) IV-A L.P. /s/ John G. Finley, Chief Legal Officer, BCP IV GP L.L.C. general partner of Blackstone 02/25/2013 Family Investment Partnership (Cayman) IV-A L.P. /s/ John G. Finley, Chief Legal Officer, Blackstone Family GP L.L.C. general partner of Blackstone Family Investment 02/25/2013 Partnership (Cayman) IV-A SMD L.P. /s/ John G. Finley, Chief Legal Officer, BCP IV GP L.L.C., general partner of Blackstone 02/25/2013 Participation Partnership (Cayman) IV L.P.

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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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