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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting 2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Person * Statement Carlyle Group L.P. [CG] CLARE PETER J (Month/Day/Year) 01/01/2018 (Last) (First) (Middle) 4. Relationship of Reporting 5. If Amendment, Date Original Person(s) to Issuer Filed(Month/Day/Year) 1001 PENNSYLVANIA (Check all applicable) AVENUE, NW (Street) 6. Individual or Joint/Group 10% Owner _X_ Director _X__ Officer Other Filing(Check Applicable Line) (give title below) (specify below) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Co-Chief Investment Officer Person WASHINGTON, DCÂ 20004 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial 1. Title of Security 2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Ownership Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Form: (Instr. 5) Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) Â 27,381 (1) Common Units D Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially SEC 1473 (7-02) owned directly or indirectly. Persons who respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a

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

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(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 Derivative	5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security:	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
		Title	Security	Direct (D)	

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	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date		Amount or Number of Shares		or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Carlyle Holdings partnership units	(2)	(2)	Common Units representing limited partnership interests	4,337,398	\$ <u>(2)</u>	D	Â
Carlyle Holdings partnership units	(2)	(2)	Common Units representing limited partnership interests	273,632	\$ <u>(2)</u>	I	See Footnote (3)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
F	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
CLARE PETER J			Co-Chief			
1001 PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE, NW	ÂΧ	Â	Investment	Â		
WASHINGTON, DC 20004			Officer			

Signatures

/s/ Jeffrey W. Ferguson, by Power of Attorney for Peter J. Clare

01/02/2018

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * 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).
- (1) Of these 27,381 securities, 18,660 are common units and 8,721 are deferred restricted common units. The 8,721 deferred restricted common units are scheduled to vest on August 1, 2018, provided that Mr. Clare continues to provide services to the issuer.
- Pursuant to the terms of the exchange agreement and subject to certain requirements and restrictions, the partnership units of Carlyle Holdings are exchangeable for common units of The Carlyle Group L.P. on a one-for-one basis.
- (3) Such Carlyle Holdings partnership units are held by a trust for the benefit of the Reporting Person's family. The Reporting Person is the special purpose trustee of the trust and has sole investment power over the units.

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Remarks:

Pursuant to Rule 16a-1(a)(4) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, the reporting per Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, See Instruction 6 for procedure.

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