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GOLDMAN SACHS GROUP INC Sy			Symbol	Name and			-	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(7))		R MORG		C. [KI	MI]						
(Last) (First) (Middle) 200 WEST STREET			3. Date of Earliest Transaction(Month/Day/Year)06/25/2012					Director X10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)			
				ndment, Date Original th/Day/Year)				 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) Form filed by One Reporting Person 			
NEW YORK	K, NY 10282							_X_ Form filed by Person	More than One F	Reporting	
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table	e I - Non-De	erivative	Securi	ties Ac	quired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficia	lly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction D (Month/Day/Yea	ar) Executio any	emed on Date, if Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	Disposed (Instr. 3,	l (A) of l of (D 4 and (A) or	9) 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)		
Class P Common Stock	06/25/2012			Code V X	Amount 246	(D) D	Price (<u>4</u>)	238,416	I	See footnotes (1) (2) (3) (4)	

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number onof 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. De Se (Ir
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Warrants (right to buy)	\$ 40	06/25/2012		Х	384	(5)	05/25/2017	Class P Common Stock	384	
Call Option (obligation to sell)		06/25/2012		Х	6	(5)	01/19/2013	See footnote (4)	<u>(4)</u>	

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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
GOLDMAN SACHS GROUP INC 200 WEST STREET NEW YORK, NY 10282		Х					
GOLDMAN SACHS & CO 200 WEST STREET NEW YORK, NY 10282		Х		See footnotes (1), (2) and (3)			
Signatures							
/s/ Yvette Kosic, Attorney-in-fact	07/06/2012	2					
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date						
/s/ Yvette Kosic, Attorney-in-fact	07/06/2012	2					
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date						

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(1) This statement is being filed by The Goldman Sachs Group, Inc. ("GS Group") and Goldman, Sachs & Co. ("Goldman Sachs" and together with GS Group, the "Reporting Persons"). Goldman Sachs is a wholly-owned subsidiary of GS Group. The Reporting Persons

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disclaim beneficial ownership of the securities reported herein except to the extent of their pecuniary interest therein, if any, and this report shall not be deemed an admission that any such entity is the beneficial owner of, or has any pecuniary interest in, such securities for purposes of Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or for any other purpose.

The shares of Class P Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share (the "Common Stock"), Warrants and Call Options of Kinder Morgan, Inc. (the "Company") reported herein as indirectly exercised were beneficially owned directly by Goldman Sachs and indirectly by GS

(2) Inc. (the Company) reported neterin as indirectly exercised were beneficiarly owned uncertly by Goldman Sachs and indirectly by Goldman Sachs or another wholly-owned subsidiary of GS Group will remit appropriate profits, if any, to the Company.

In addition, Goldman Sachs held open short positions of 74,449 Common Stock, 113,694 Warrants, and 71 shares of El Paso Energy Capital Trust I 4.75% Trust Convertible Preferred Securities (the "El Paso Trust Preferred"). Each share of El Paso Trust Preferred is

(3) convertible into 0.7195778 shares of Common Stock and 1.099904 Warrants. Additionally, Goldman Sachs may be deemed to have indirectly held open short positions of 221 shares of Common Stock through Goldman Sachs' open short positions of depositary receipts of Utilities HOLDRs Trust, which holds shares of several issuers, one of which is the Company.

Each call option is exercisable for 41 shares of Common Stock, 64 Warrants and \$1,492.38 in cash. The aggregate value paid for the
(4) exercise of the six call options was \$10,500. In exchange for the \$10,500, 246 shares of Common Stock, 384 Warrants and \$8,954.28 were delivered.

(5) Immediately exercisable.

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