

Kite John A
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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 Kite John A

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 KITE REALTY GROUP TRUST
 [KRG]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
 (Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 KITE REALTY GROUP TRUST, 30
 S MERIDIAN STREET, SUITE
 1100

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
 (Month/Day/Year)
 02/13/2013

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
 Chairman & CEO

(Street)
 INDIANAPOLIS, IN 46204

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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(City) (State) (Zip)

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 Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|
| Common Shares | 02/13/2013 | | A | (A) or (D) Amount 30,812 (1) | \$ 0 305,464 | D | |
| Common Shares | | | | | 8,393 | I | By Spouse |

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

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- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. *See* 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (1) Represents an award of restricted shares which will vest over 3 years as follows: 1/3 of the total number of restricted shares vest on each anniversary of the grant date.

Common Shares of beneficial interest, par value \$.01 per share (the "Common Shares") are issued upon the redemption and tender of
- (2) Limited Partnership units ("LP Units") of Kite Realty Group L.P. on a one for one basis. LP Units have no expiration date, and they are all currently redeemable.
- (3) These units are owned by a limited liability company in which Mr. Kite is a partner.

LP Units are redeemable for an equal number of Common Shares of Kite Realty Group Trust ("Kite") or, at the election of Kite, cash
- (4) equal to the fair market value of such shares. As noted in Footnote 3 above, units have no expiration date and are all currently redeemable for Common Shares or cash at the election of Kite.

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