VECTOR GROUP LTD

Form 4 June 11, 2010

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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See Instruction 1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * SHARPE JEAN E

(First)

(Street)

(State)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

VECTOR GROUP LTD [VGR]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Last)

(City)

(Middle)

(Zip)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Check all applicable)

350 CHERRY STREET

(Month/Day/Year) 06/11/2010

X_ Director Officer (give title below)

10% Owner Other (specify

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

BEDFORD HILLS, NY 10507

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3) anv (Month/Day/Year)

4. Securities Acquired 5. Amount of Transaction(A) or Disposed of Code (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Beneficial Indirect (I) Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

(9-02)

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price

(A)

or

Common Stock

06/11/2010

 $A^{(1)}$ 10,000 A

\$0 69,149

D

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)

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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
1 8	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
SHARPE JEAN E 350 CHERRY STREET BEDFORD HILLS, NY 10507	X						

Signatures

/s/ Jean E.
Sharpe

**Signature of Reporting Person

O6/11/2010

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(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).
- On June 11, 2010, Vector Group Ltd. ("VGR") awarded the reporting person 10,000 shares of VGR's common stock for services as a director of VGR.

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