KENNEDY KEVIN W Form 4 April 16, 2003

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	UNITED STATES SECT Wash:	URITIES AND EX					
		FORM 4					
	STATEMENT OF CHA	ANGES IN BENEF	'ICIAL OWNERSHIP				
	Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940						
[] Check this box if no longer obligations may continue. See	_					
1.	Name and Address of Reporting I	======== Person*					
	Kennedy,	Kevin	W.				
	(Last) c/o Goldman, Sachs & Co. 85 Broad Street	(First)	(Middle)				
		(Street)					
	New York,	New York	10004				
	(City)	(State)	(Zip)				
=== 2.	Issuer Name and Ticker or Trad:	eeeeeeeeeeeeeeeeeeee					
	The Goldman Sachs Group, Inc. (GS)						
3.	I.R.S. Identification Number of	f Reporting Pe	erson, if an entity (voluntary)				
4.	Statement for Month/Day/Year						
	April 14, 2003						
5.	If Amendment, Date of Original	 (Month/Day/Ye	======================================				
6.	Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)						
	Director		[] 10% Owner				

[X] Officer (give t	citle below)	[] Ot	her	(specify below)			
Executive V	/ice President	. – Human Ca	pital Ma	nager	nent 			
7. Individual or Joint/Gro	e Reporting Pe	erson		=====		==		
	Table I -				:ies Acquired, D .y Owned	ispose	====== d of, =======	===
		Deemed	Transac	İ	4. Securities Acq Disposed of (D (Instr. 3, 4 a)		
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	•	Date, if any(Month/	(Instr.		Amount	(A) or (D)		
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share			 S		10,000	 D	 \$73.56	
Common Stock par value \$0.01 per share	 	 	 				 	
Common Stock par value \$0.01 per share	 	 	(2)	V		 	 	
Common Stock par value \$0.01 per share	 	 	 (3)	V		 	 	

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

FORM 4 (continued)

Common Stock

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^{*} If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

Table II Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owne (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)										
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	cise	1	cu-	4.	Secur	ities	Date		Securities	
	Price	13.	tion	Trans-	Acqui	red (A)	Exercisa	able and	(Instr. 3 and	d 4)
	of	Trans-	Date	action	or Di	sposed	Expirati	ion Date		
1.	Der-	action	if	Code	of (D)	(Month/D	Day/Year)		Amount
Title of	iva-	Date	any,	(Instr	(Inst	r. 3,			-	or
Derivative	tive	(Month	/ (MM/	8)	4 and	5)	Date	Expira-		Number
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Explanation of Responses:

- (1): Through The Goldman Sachs Defined Contribution Plan
- (2): Reflects the distribution of 47,629 shares of the Issuer's common stock from this grantor retained annuity trust to the Reporting Person on March 26, 2003. This trust is no longer a beneficial owner of the Issuer's securities. This distribution was exempt from Section 16 pursuant to Rule 16a-13 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Act").
- (3): Reflects the distribution of 93,761 shares of the Issuer's common stock from this grantor retained annuity trust to the Reporting Person on March 26, 2003. This distribution was exempt from Section 16 pursuant to Rule 16a-13 under the Act.
- (4): As trustee of grantor retained annuity trust
- (5): Reflects the distribution of 32,308 shares of the Issuer's common stock from this grantor retained annuity trust to the Reporting Person on March 26, 2003. This distribution was exempt from Section 16 pursuant to Rule 16a-13 under the Act.
- (6): On March 26, 2003, the Reporting Person donated 93,761 shares of the Issuer's common stock to a grantor retained annuity trust of which the Reporting Person is the sole trustee and the sole current beneficiary. This distribution was exempt from Section 16 pursuant to Rule 16a-13 under the Act.
- (7): On March 26, 2003, the Reporting Person donated 79,937 shares of the Issuer's common stock to a grantor retained annuity trust of which the Reporting Person is the sole trustee and the sole current beneficiary. This distribution was exempt from Section 16 pursuant to Rule 16a-13 under the Act.

By: /s/ Edward T. Joel April 16, 2003

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Attorney-in-fact

** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations.

See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed.

If space provided is insufficient, see Instruction 6 for procedures.

Alternatively, this Form is permitted to be submitted to the Commission in electronic format at the option of the reporting person pursuant to Rule 101(b) (4) of Regulation S-T.

POWER OF ATTORNEY

The undersigned does hereby appoint Roger S. Begelman, Edward T. Joel, Saskia Brookfield Martin and Susan P. Goddard (and any other employee of The Goldman Sachs Group, Inc. or one of its affiliates designated in writing by one of the attorneys-in-fact) his lawful attorneys, and each of them his true and lawful attorney, with power to act without the other, and with full power of substitution and resubstitution, to execute for him and in his name any Statement of Changes in Beneficial Ownership on Form 4 and any Annual Statement of Changes in Beneficial Ownership on Form 5, or any similar or successor form, which may be required to be filed by him with the Securities and Exchange Commission pursuant to Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended and any and all instruments necessary or incidental therewith, hereby granting unto said attorneys and each of them full power and authority to do and perform in the name and on behalf of the undersigned, and in any and all capacities, every act and thing whatsoever required or necessary to be done in and about the premises, as fully and to all intents and purposes as the undersigned might or could do in person, hereby ratifying and approving the act of said attorneys and each of them.

This power of attorney shall not be affected by the subsequent disability or incompetence of the principal. This power of attorney shall remain in full force and effect until either revoked in writing by the undersigned or until such time as the person or persons to whom power of attorney has been hereby granted cease(s) to be an employee of The Goldman Sachs Group, Inc. or one of its affiliates.

IN WITNESS thereof the $\,$ undersigned $\,$ hereunto signed his name this 31st day of January 2003.

/s/ Kevin W. Kennedy
----Kevin W. Kennedy