FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person [*] MAXTED BRIAN F			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Kosmos Energy Ltd. [KOS]	(Chec	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O KOSMOS ENERGY, LLC		, ,	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/04/2016		Director Officer (give title below) Chief Explorati	10% Owner Other (specify below) on Officer				
8176 PARK LANE, STE. 500			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Ind Line)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)					
(Street)				X	Form filed by One Re	porting Person				
DALLAS	TX	75231			Form filed by More th Person	an One Reporting				
(City)	(State)	(Zip)								
		Table I - Non-D	erivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Bene	ficially	Owned					

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 Disposed Of and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
			Code V Amount (A) or (D) Price Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) (Instr (Instr		(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)				
Common Shares	01/04/2016		F		14,972(1)	D	\$5.2	1,679,601	D	
Common Shares								6,729,864	Ι	See footnote ⁽²⁾
Common Shares								1,161,576	I	See footnote ⁽³⁾
Common Shares								474,625	Ι	See footnote ⁽⁴⁾

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. Transact Code (In 8)		of Deriv Secu Acqu (A) o Dispo of (D	curities squired (D) (D) (C) (D) (C) (C) (C) (C) (C) (C) (C) (C) (C) (C		7. Title Amour Securi Underl Deriva Securi 3 and 4	nt of ties ying tive ty (Instr.	of	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership	
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				

Explanation of Responses:

1. These shares were withheld by the Issuer to satisfy the tax withholding requirement arising from the vesting of restricted shares granted to the reporting person under the Issuer's Long Term Incentive Plan. 2. These shares are directly owned by Maxted Family Investments, Ltd., an entity controlled by the reporting person. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of these shares except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.

3. These shares are directly held by the reporting person's wife. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of these shares except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.

4. These shares are directly owned by Maxted Holdings, LLC, an entity controlled by the reporting person. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of these shares except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.

/s/ Phillip Feiner, as Attorney-01/11/2016

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** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

* 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).

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