

McGowan Thomas K  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
 McGowan Thomas K

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)  
 02/27/2012

\_\_\_\_ Director  
 Officer (give title below)  
 \_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 \_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
 President & COO

(Street)  
 INDIANAPOLIS, IN 46204

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

(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)
				(A) or (D)	Amount	Price	
				Code	V		
Common Shares	02/27/2012		A	(1)	22,795	\$ 0	200,172 D
Common Shares	02/27/2012		A	(2)	3,875	\$ 0	204,047 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)

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of 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. Price of Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)
Limited Partnership Units of Kite Realty Group, L.P.	(3)					(3) (3)	Common Shares	593,649
Limited Partnership Units of Kite Realty Group, L.P.	(3)					(3) (3)	Common Shares	93,905
Limited Partnership Units of Kite Realty Group, L.P.	(3)					(3) (3)	Common Shares	20,000

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
McGowan Thomas K KITE REALTY GROUP TRUST 30 S MERIDIAN STREET, SUITE 1100 INDIANAPOLIS, IN 46204			President & COO	

## Signatures

Thomas K.  
McGowan

02/29/2012

\*\*Signature of  
Reporting Person

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).
- (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.
- (2) Represents an award of restricted shares which will vest over 5 years as follows: 1/5 of the total number of restricted shares vest on each anniversary of the grant date.
- (3) Common Shares of beneficial interest, par value of \$.01 per share (the "Common Shares") are issued upon the redemption of 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 currently redeemable for Common Shares or cash at the election of Kite Realty Group Trust.
- (4) The number of units is lower due to the reporting person's transfer of 682,569 units pursuant to a domestic relations order.

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