GOLDBERG MICHAEL B

Form 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Last)

(City)

Common

Stock

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * **KELSO INVESTMENT**

(Street)

(State)

12/11/2012

ASSOCIATES VII LP

(First) (Middle) 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

KAR Auction Services, Inc. [KAR]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

C/O: KELSO AND COMPANY, 320 12/11/2012

Director Officer (give title

10% Owner Other (specify

below)

PARK AVENUE. 24TH FLOOR

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

Applicable Line)

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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

Issuer

NEW YORK, NY 10022

1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3) Code

(Zip)

(Month/Day/Year)

4. Securities Acquired (A) or TransactionDisposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)

7. Nature of Ownership Indirect Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)

(Instr. 4)

Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

(A) Code V Amount

6,585,111

(1)

or (D) Price \$

16.7125

D

(Instr. 3 and 4) 38,738,129 (2) (3) (4) (5)

(6) (7) (8)

By KAR **Holdings** II, LLC

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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| 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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8) | 5. forNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | | ate | Amou Unde Secur | rlying | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) |
|---|---|---|---|---------------------------------------|--|---------------------|--------------------|-----------------------|--|---|
| | | | | Code V | (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|--|--|
| in the state of th | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | | |
| KELSO INVESTMENT ASSOCIATES VII LP C/O: KELSO AND COMPANY 320 PARK AVENUE, 24TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10022 | | X | | | | |
| Kelso GP VII, L.P. C/O: KELSO AND COMPANY 320 PARK AVENUE, 24TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10022 | | X | | | | |
| Kelso GP VII, LLC C/O: KELSO AND COMPANY 320 PARK AVENUE, 24TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10022 | | X | | | | |
| Collins Christopher L C/O: KELSO AND COMPANY 320 PARK AVENUE, 24TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10022 | | X | | | | |
| GOLDBERG MICHAEL B C/O: KELSO AND COMPANY 320 PARK AVENUE, 24TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10022 | X | X | | | | |
| Moore Church M C/O: KELSO AND COMPANY 320 PARK AVENUE, 24TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10022 | X | X | | | | |

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Signatures

(6)

*By: /s/ James J. Connors, II, as Attorney-in-Fact

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Kelso GP VII, L.P. By: * 12/13/2012

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Kelso GP VII, LLC By: * 12/13/2012

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Christopher L. Collins By: * 12/13/2012

**Signature of Reporting Person Dat

Michael B. Goldberg By: * 12/13/2012

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Church M. Moore By: * 12/13/2012

**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) Reflects sales of shares of common stock of KAR Auction Services, Inc. in a secondary offering by KAR Holdings II, LLC that closed on December 11, 2012.
 - Includes (i) 15,794,975 shares of common stock held of record by KAR Holdings II, LLC (which are attributable to Axle Holdings II, LLC), by virtue of Kelso Investment Associates VII, L.P.'s (KIA VII) ownership interest in Axle Holdings II, LLC, (ii) 3,911,135
- shares of common stock held of record by KAR Holdings II, LLC (which are attributable to Axle Holdings II, LLC), by virtue of KEP VI, LLC's (KEP VI) ownership interest in Axle Holdings II, LLC, (iii) 15,254,672 shares of common stock held of record by KAR Holdings II, LLC, by virtue of KIA VII's ownership interest in KAR Holdings II, LLC and (iv) 3,777,347 shares of common stock held of record by KAR Holdings II, LLC, by virtue of KEP VI's ownership interest in KAR Holdings II, LLC.
- Kelso GP VII, LLC (GP VII LLC) is the general partner of Kelso GP VII, L.P. (GP VII LP). GP VII LP is the general partner of KIA VII. KIA VII is the majority owner of KAR Holdings II, LLC. Each of GP VII LLC, GP VII LP and KIA VII disclaims beneficial ownership of the securities owned of record by KAR Holdings II, LLC, except to the extent of their respective pecuniary interests
- (3) ownership of the securities owned of record by KAR Holdings II, LLC, except to the extent of their respective pecuniary interests therein, and the inclusion of these securities in this report shall not be deemed an admission of beneficial ownership of all the reported securities for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purposes.
- Each of GP VII LLC, GP VII LP and KIA VII, due to their common control, could be deemed to beneficially own each other's securities. GP VII LLC disclaims beneficial ownership of all of the securities owned of record, or deemed beneficially owned, by each of GP VII LP and KIA VII, except to the extent of its pecuniary interest therein, and the inclusion of these securities in this report shall not be deemed an admission of beneficial ownership of all the reported securities for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purposes.
- (5) GP VII LP disclaims beneficial ownership of all of the securities owned of record, or deemed beneficially owned, by each of GP VII LLC and KIA VII, except, in the case of KIA VII, to the extent of its pecuniary interest therein, and the inclusion of these securities in this report shall not be deemed an admission of beneficial ownership of all the reported securities for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purposes. KIA VII disclaims beneficial ownership of all of the securities owned of record, or deemed beneficially owned, by each of GP VII LLC and GP VII LP, and the inclusion of these securities in this report shall not be deemed an admission of beneficial ownership of all the reported securities for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purposes.
 - KEP VI and GP VII LLC due to their common control could be deemed to beneficially own each other's securities. KEP VI disclaims beneficial ownership of all of the securities owned of record, or deemed beneficially owned, by each of GP VII LLC, GP VII LP and KIA VII, and the inclusion of these securities in this report shall not be deemed an admission of beneficial ownership of all the reported securities for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purposes. Each of GP VII LLC, GP VII LP and KIA VII disclaims beneficial ownership of all of the securities owned of record, or deemed beneficially owned, by KEP VI, and the inclusion of these securities in this report shall not be deemed an admission of beneficial ownership of all the reported securities for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purposes.

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- KEP VI disclaims beneficial ownership of the securities owned of record by KAR Holdings II, LLC, except to the extent of its pecuniary interest therein, and the inclusion of these securities in this report shall not be deemed an admission of beneficial ownership of the reported securities for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purposes.
 - Messrs. Berney, Bynum, Connors, Goldberg, Loverro, Matelich, Nickell, Wahrhaftig, Wall, Moore, Osborne and Collins may be deemed to share beneficial ownership of securities owned of record or beneficially owned by GP VII LLC, GP VII LP, KIA VII, KEP
- VI and KAR Holdings II, LLC, by virtue of their status as managing members of GP VII LLC and KEP VI, but disclaim beneficial ownership of such securities, and this report shall not be deemed an admission that any of Messrs. Berney, Bynum, Connors, Goldberg, Loverro, Matelich, Nickell, Wahrhaftig, Wall, Moore, Osborne and Collins is the beneficial owner of these securities for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purposes.

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