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(Print or Type Res	sponses)							
1. Name and Add MULRONEY	ress of Reporting Person <u>*</u> BRIAN	2. Issuer Name and Te Symbol Blackstone Group I	-	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer				
(Last)	(First) (Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Tran		(Check all applicable)				
THE BLACKS	STONE GROUP, 345 UE, 43RD FLOOR	(Month/Day/Year) 06/21/2010	saction	X_ Director10% Owner Officer (give titleOther (specify below) below)				
	(Street)	4. If Amendment, Date Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person				
NEW YORK, NY 10154 — Form filed by More than One Reporting Person								
(City)	(State) (Zip)	Table I - Non-Der	ivative Securities Ac	quired, Disposed of,	, or Beneficial	ly Owned		
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	any	cution Date, if Transacti Code onth/Day/Year) (Instr. 8)	4. Securities onAcquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) or Amount (D) Pri	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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
Common units representing limited	06/21/2010	A	5,000 D \$ (D			
partner interests (1)								

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. orNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	7. Titl Amou Under Secur (Instr.	unt of rlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
MULRONEY BRIAN THE BLACKSTONE GROUP 345 PARK AVENUE, 43RD FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10154	Х					
Signatures						
Robert L. Friedman as Attorney-in-Fact	01/28/2011					
**Signature of Reporting Person		Date				
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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).
- Granted under the 2007 Equity Incentive Plan, these deferred, restricted common units will vest, and the underlying common units will be
 (1) delivered, on 06/21/2011, subject to Mr. Mulroney's continued service on the board of directors of Blackstone Group Management L.L.C., the general partner of The Blackstone Group L.P.

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