VECTOR GROUP LTD

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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

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See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * LEBOW BENNETT S

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

VECTOR GROUP LTD [VGR]

(Check all applicable)

C/O VECTOR GROUP LTD., 100

(First)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)

_X__ Director X__ 10% Owner _ Other (specify Officer (give title below)

S.E. SECOND STREET; 32ND **FLOOR**

> (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

03/30/2010

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

(Middle)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

MIAMI, FL 33131

(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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities a proposed of (Instr. 3, 4 and Amount	of (D)	red (A)	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 Stock	03/30/2010		J(1)	1,050,000	A	\$ 0 (1)	1,050,000	D		
Common Stock	03/30/2010		J <u>(2)</u>	300,000	D	\$ 0 (2)	5,716,064	I	By LeBow Gamma Limited Partnership	
Common Stock	03/30/2010		J(2)	300,000	A	\$ 0 (2)	300,000	I	By LeBow Alpha LLLP (7)	

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Common Stock	03/30/2010	J(3)	300,000	D	\$ 0 (3)	0	I	By LeBow Alpha LLLP (7)
Common Stock	03/30/2010	J <u>(3)</u>	300,000	A	\$ 0 (3)	1,350,000 (4)	D	
Common Stock						3,138,248 (5)	I	By LeBow Epsilon 2001 Limited Partnership

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	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. orNumber of Derivative Securities		ate	7. Titl Amou Under Securi (Instr.	int of lying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Own
	Security				Acquired (A) or						Follo Repo
					Disposed of (D)						Trans (Instr
					(Instr. 3, 4, and 5)						(
					., and 3)				Amount		
						Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	or Number of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
LEBOW BENNETT S						
C/O VECTOR GROUP LTD.	v	v				
100 S.E. SECOND STREET; 32ND FLOOR	X	X				
MIAMI, FL 33131						

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/s/ Bennett S. LeBow 03/30/2010

**Signature of Date
Reporting Person

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).
- Represents a transfer from LeBow Family Irrevocable Trust (the "Trust") to Mr. LeBow. The beneficiaries of the Trust are the children (1) and grandchildren of Mr. LeBow. Mr. LeBow does not possess beneficial ownership of the shares held by the Trust for the purpose of Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.
- (2) Represents a transfer from LeBow Gamma Limited Partnership to LeBow Alpha LLLP.
- (3) Represents a transfer from LeBow Alpha LLLP to Mr. LeBow.
- (4) Consists of 1,350,000 shares which Mr. LeBow transferred to LeBow Epsilon 2001 Limited Partnership on March 30, 2010. Following this transfer, Mr. LeBow directly beneficially owned zero shares of the issuer's common stock.
- Includes: (i) 1,788,248 shares which LeBow Epsilon Investments Trust transferred to LeBow Epsilon 2001 Limited Partnership on March 30, 2010; and (ii) 1,350,000 shares which Mr. LeBow transferred to LeBow Epsilon 2001 Limited Partnership on March 30, 2010.

 Following the transfer of 1,788,248 shares from LeBow Epsilon Investments Trust to LeBow Epsilon 2001 Limited Partnership, LeBow Epsilon Investments Trust beneficially owned zero shares of the issuer's common stock.
- LeBow Gamma Limited Partnership is a Delaware limited partnership. Bennett S. LeBow Revocable Trust is the sole stockholder of LeBow Holdings, Inc., a Nevada corporation, which is the sole stockholder of LeBow Gamma, Inc., a Nevada corporation, which is the general partner of LeBow Gamma Limited Partnership. Mr. LeBow is the sole trustee of Bennett S. LeBow Revocable Trust, a director and officer of LeBow Holdings, Inc. and a director and officer of LeBow Gamma, Inc.
- (7) LeBow Alpha LLLP is a Delaware limited liability limited partnership. LeBow Holdings, Inc. is the general partner of LeBow Alpha
- LeBow Epsilon 2001 Limited Partnership is a Delaware limited partnership. LeBow Epsilon 2001 LLC, a Delaware limited liability (8) company, is the general partner of LeBow Epsilon 2001 Limited Partnership. Mr. LeBow is a manager and sole member of LeBow Epsilon 2001 LLC.

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