Rockwood Holdings, Inc. Form 4 September 14, 2009

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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subject to

Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Rockwood Holdings, Inc. [ROC]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

1(b).

(Last)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * CARROLL BRIAN F

(First)

(Middle)

C/O KOHLBERG KRAVIS ROBERTS & CO., L.P., 9 WEST

57TH STREET - 41ST FLOOR

(Street)

(Month/Day/Year)

09/11/2009

Symbol

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

_X__ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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

NEW YORK, NY 10019

(City)	(State)	Zip) Table	e I - Non-De	erivative	Secur	ities Ac	quired, Disposed	of, or Beneficia	ally 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)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Common Stock, par value \$0.01	09/11/2009		Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price \$ 0 (1)	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) 5,392	D	
per share Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share						_	89,711	I	See Footnotes (2) (3)

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

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

CARROLL BRIAN F C/O KOHLBERG KRAVIS ROBERTS & CO., L.P. 9 WEST 57TH STREET - 41ST FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10019

X

Signatures

/s/ Richard J. Kreider, attorney in fact

09/14/2009

Date

**Signature of 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).
- (1) Represents a quarterly grant of unrestricted shares of the Company's common stock as part of the Company's non-management director compensation for the third quarter of 2009.
- (2) The securities are held by Aurora Investments II, LLC. As a member of Aurora Investments II, LLC, the Reporting Person may be deemed to be the beneficial owner of such securities held by Aurora Investments II, LLC.

The filing of this statement shall not be deemed an admission that, for the purposes of Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or otherwise, the Reporting Person is the beneficial owner of any equity securities owned by Aurora Investments II, LLC. The Reporting Person disclaims beneficial ownership of the securities that may be deemed to be beneficially owned by him through Aurora Investments II, LLC, except to the extent of his own pecuniary interest therein.

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