## FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

<b>STATEMENT</b>	OF CHANGES	S IN BENEFICIA	L OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  LAMONT WILLIAM M JR						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol KIRBY CORP [ KEX ]										5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  X Director 10% Owner				
(Last) 2651 N.	,	rst) (	(Middle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/23/2013									Office below	r (give title )		Other (s below)	pecify	
(Street)  DALLA:  (City)			75201 (Zip)		4. If	f Ame	ndment,	Date	of Original	Filed	(Month/D	ay/Year)		Line	) K Form	filed by One	e Repo	(Check Apporting Person	ı	
		Tab	le I - Nor	n-Deriv	ative	e Se	curitie	s Ac	quired,	Disp	osed o	of, or E	ene	ficiall	y Owne					
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transa Date (Month/D				action 2A. Deen Execution 2ay/Year) if any		A. Deemed xecution Date, any		, Transaction Disposed Code (Instr. 5)		rities Acquired (A) o ed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 a			Benefic Owned	es ially Following	Form	: Direct c r Indirect E str. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership			
						Code	v	Amount	(A)	(A) or (D) Price		Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				Instr. 4)				
Common Stock, par value \$.10 per share 04/23/					3/2013	/2013		A <sup>(1)</sup>		1,000 A		A	\$0	61	61,284		D			
Common Stock, par value \$.10 per share													391,670			I	Wife <sup>(2)</sup>			
Common Stock, par value \$.10 per share													681,662			I 7	Γrusts <sup>(3)</sup>			
		Т	able II -						uired, D s, option						Owned					
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deeme Execution if any (Month/Da	Date,	4. Transa Code (1 8)		of E		Expiration	Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)			8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficiall Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	ly	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisabl		opiration	Title	or Nu of	umber						
Director Stock Option (Right to	\$75.17	04/23/2013			A		6,000		10/23/2013	3 04	1/23/2023	Commo Stock	<sup>n</sup> 6,	.000	\$75.17	6,000		D		

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- $1.\ Restricted\ Stock\ granted\ under\ the\ 2000\ Nonemployee\ Director\ Stock\ Option\ Plan\ for\ Kirby\ Corporation.$
- 2. Shares owned beneficially and of record by Mr. Lamont's wife of which Mr. Lamont disclaims any beneficial ownership.
- 3. Shares owned by trusts of which Mr. Lamont's wife, Mary Noel Lamont, is the beneficiary. Mr. Lamont disclaims beneficial ownership of these shares.

## Remarks:

<u>G. Stephen Holcomb, Agent</u> <u>and Attorney-in-Fact</u>

04/25/2013

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

 $Reminder: Report \ on \ a \ separate \ line \ for \ each \ class \ of \ securities \ beneficially \ owned \ directly \ or \ indirectly.$ 

- $^{\star}$  If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
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