## FORM 4

# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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# STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  LAWRENCE CHARLES BERDON						2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol  KIRBY CORP [ KEX ]									neck all app	olicable) ctor			% Ov	Owner	
(Last) 55 WAU SUITE 10	(Fi GH DRIVE 000	,	Middl	e)		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/31/2007									X Officer (give title Other (specify below) below)  Chairman of the Board						
(Street) HOUSTO			7700 (Zip)	7	4.	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)     X Form filed by One Reporting Person     Form filed by More than One Reporting Person						
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Tran			2. Transaction	Execution Date,			3. Tra	quir unsac de (II	ction	Oisposed  4. Securities And Disposed Of (	Acquire	d (A) or	5. Amount of			6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
						(Monthibay/Tear)		Ë	Code V		Amount	(A) or (D)	A) or Price		Reported Transactio (Instr. 3 an					n(s)	
Common Stock, par value \$.10, per share				10/31/200	17	7		S	5		26,400	D	\$45.68	96	1,538,057		D				
Common Stock, par value \$.10 per share			10/31/200	7			S	5		22,600	D	\$45.68	96	496,756		I		Trusts <sup>(1)</sup>			
Common Stock, par value \$.10 per share 11/01/20				11/01/200	7	,		S	5		74,800	D	\$45.7453		1,463,257		D				
Common	Common Stock, par value \$.10 per share 11/01/2007				7	,		S	5		63,700 D \$45.74		\$45.74	.7453 433,056		)56	I		Trusts <sup>(1)</sup>		
Common Stock, par value \$.10 per share					_											227	I		Partnership <sup>(2)</sup>		
Common										8,106			]	I 401		1K Plan					
		Ta	able	II - Derivat (e.g., p							sposed of , converti				Owned						
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Exed if an	cution Date,		ansaction of Derivati Securiti Acquirie (A) or Dispose of (D) (Instr. 3, and 5)		itive ities red sed	Expi	iration	ercisable and Date y/Year)	Amo Secu Unde Deriv Secu	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		Derivative descurity Security	9. Numb derivativ Securiti Benefic Owned Followin Reporte Transac (Instr. 4)	ve es ially ng ed etion(s)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4		11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
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#### **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. These shares are owned by four trusts. Mr. Lawrence is not a beneficiary under any of the trusts, but under the terms of the instruments pursuant to which all four trusts were created, Mr. Lawrence does have the right to reacquire the property constituting the principal of the trusts, including, but not limited to, the shares owned by the trusts by substituting property of equal value therefor.
- 2. These shares are owned by the Lawrence Family Interest, LP, a limited partnership of which entities wholly owned by Mr. Lawrence and his wife are the general partners, and of which Mr. Lawrence and three of the trusts described in footnote (1) are the limited partners.

## Remarks:

G. Stephen Holcomb, Agent and Attorney-in-Fact

11/02/2007

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

- \* 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).

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