Kosmos Energy Ltd. Form 4 January 05, 2017

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).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * NOBEL PAUL			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Kosmos Energy Ltd. [KOS]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check an approact)			
C/O KOSMOS ENERGY, LLC, 8176 PARK LANE, SUITE 500			(Month/Day/Year) 01/03/2017	Director 10% OwnerX Officer (give title Other (specify below) Senior VP, CAO			
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
DALLAS, TX	75231		Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			

(City)	(State) (Z	Zip) Table	e I - Non-Do	erivative S	Securi	ities Acq	quired, Disposed o	of, or Beneficial	ly 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)	4. Securities Acquired n(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned	Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)
Common Shares	01/03/2017		F	5,687 (1)	D	\$ 7.01	194,982	D	
Common Shares	01/03/2017		F	2,850 (2)	D	\$ 7.01	192,132	D	

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)

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				Code v	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Officer Other Director 10% Owner

NOBEL PAUL C/O KOSMOS ENERGY, LLC 8176 PARK LANE, SUITE 500 DALLAS, TX 75231

Senior VP, CAO

Signatures

By: /s/ Phillip Feiner, as Attorney-in-Fact

01/05/2017

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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- 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).
- These shares were withheld by the Issuer to satisfy the tax withholding requirement arising from the vesting of restricted share units **(1)** granted to the reporting person under the Issuer's Long Term Incentive Plan.
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