FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* BELL MARC N					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol VECTOR GROUP LTD [VGR]						(Che	ck all applic Directo	able)		Ssuer Dwner (specify	
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O VECTOR GROUP LTD.					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/27/2019							below)	SVP	belov	(Specify)	
4400 BISCAYNE BLVD; 10TH FLOOR					If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)					6 In	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable					
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(City)	(St	tate)	(Zip)									Person				
	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned															
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						Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transact (Instr. 3 a	ion(s)		(Instr. 4)			
	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	e (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	ate, Transaction Code (Instr		n of		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amoun of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)		Ownershi Form: Direct (D) or Indirec (I) (Instr. 4	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares					
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$11.46	02/27/2019		A		37,500		02/27/2023 ⁽¹⁾	02/27/2029	Common Stock	37,500	\$0.00	37,500	D		

Explanation of Responses:

1. Subject to acceleration upon a "change of control" (as defined) or termination of employment due to death or disability.

Remarks:

/s/Marc N. Bell

02/27/2019

** 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).
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