FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name a	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol VECTOR GROUP LTD [ VGR ]									5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)										
LORBER HOWARD M														X Direc				6 Owr		
(Last) (First) (Middle)					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/27/2023									X Officer (give title below)			Other (specify below)			
C/O VECTOR GROUP LTD.														President and CEO						
4400 BISCAYNE BLVD; 10TH FLOOR					4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)						
(Street) MIAMI FL 33137													X Form filed by One Reporting Person  Form filed by More than One Reporting  Person							
(City) (State) (Zip)				Rule 10b5-1(c) Transaction Indication																
					Check this box to indicate that a transaction was made pursuant to a contract, instruction or written plan that is intended to satisfy the affirmative defense conditions of Rule 10b5-1(c). See Instruction 10.															
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year				2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)			action (Instr.	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 ar				5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership				
						Code	v	Amount (A) or (D)		or	Pri	ice	Reported Transaction (Instr. 3 and	on(s) (Instr. 4				•)		
Common Stock 05/27/2023						F		26	,312	D	\$1	11.855(1)	2,440,178		D					
Common Stock														2,629,035		I		By: Lorber Alpha II Limited Partnership <sup>(2)</sup>		
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	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)								7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)			10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercis	sable	Expiration ble Date		Γitle	Amount or Number of Shares							

## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. Represents withholdings of shares as payment of the reporting person's tax liabilities incident to the vesting of 62,500 shares of restricted stock, which were awarded to reporting person on May 27, 2020. The shares withheld were valued at \$11.855 per share, which represented the average of the low (\$11.75) and high (\$11.96) stock prices of the Issuer's Common Stock on May 26, 2023, the last trading day before the date of vesting, which was on a non-trading day (Saturday).

2. Lorber Alpha II LLC, a Delaware limited liability company, is the general partner of Lorber Alpha II Limited Partnership, a Nevada limited partnership. The Reporting Person serves as the Managing Member of Lorber Alpha II LLC and has voting and dispositive power with respect to such shares.

## Remarks

Exhibit 24 - Power of Attorney (previously filed as Exhibit 24 to Form 4 dated November 12, 2014.)

/s/ J. Bryant Kirkland III, Attorney-In-Fact 05/30/2023

\*\* 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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