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Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol 2. Date of Event 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person Requiring Statement Carlyle Group Inc. [CG] Larson Bruce M. (Month/Day/Year) 02/03/2021 4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 5. If Amendment, Date of Original (Last) (First) (Middle) Issuer Filed (Month/Day/Year) (Check all applicable) 1001 PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE, Director 10% Owner NW 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing Officer (give Other (specify (Check Applicable Line) title below) below) Form filed by One Reporting Person Chief Human Resources Officer (Street) Form filed by More than One WASHINGTON DC 20004 Reporting Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned 2. Amount of Securities 1. Title of Security (Instr. 4) 3. Ownership 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Beneficially Owned (Instr. Form: Direct Ownership (Instr. 5) (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) 165,216(1) Common Stock **Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned** (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) 3. Title and Amount of Securities 1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4) 2. Date Exercisable and 6. Nature of Conversion Indirect Beneficial **Expiration Date Underlying Derivative Security** Ownership (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 4) or Exercise Form: Ownership (Instr.

Explanation of Responses:

1. These securities are restricted stock unit awards, of which 2,112 will vest on August 1, 2021; 23,201 will vest on February 1, 2022; 18,840 will vest on August 1, 2022; 23,201 will vest on February 1, 2023; 14,130 will vest on August 1, 2023; 23,201 will vest on February 1, 2024; 14,129 will vest on August 1, 2024; and 46,402 will vest on February 1, 2025, in each case subject to the reporting person's continued service at the company on the applicable vesting date.

Title

Remarks:

/s/ Jeffrey W. Ferguson by

Price of

Security

Derivative

Power of Attorney for

02/12/2021

Bruce M. Larson

Amount

Number

Shares

or

** Signature of Reporting

Date

Direct (D)

or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) 5)

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

Date

Exercisable

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5 (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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POWER OF ATTORNEY AND CONFIRMING STATEMENT

This Power of Attorney and Confirming Statement (this "Statement") confirms that the undersigned has authorized and designated each of Kewsong Lee, Curtis Buser, Jeffrey Ferguson and Anne Frederick to execute and file on the undersigned's behalf all Forms 3, 4, and 5 (including any amendments thereto) that the undersigned may be required to file with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission as a result of the undersigned's ownership of or transactions in securities of The Carlyle Group Inc. (the "Company"). The authority of Kewsong Lee, Curtis Buser, Jeffrey Ferguson and Anne Frederick under this Statement shall continue until the undersigned is no longer required to file Forms 3, 4, and 5 with regard to his ownership of or transactions in securities of The Carlyle Group Inc., unless earlier revoked in writing. The undersigned acknowledges that Kewsong Lee, Curtis Buser, Jeffrey Ferguson and Anne Frederick are not assuming any of the undersigned's responsibilities to comply with Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended.

In witness whereof, this Statement is signed and dated as of the date set forth below.

Date: Feb. 8, 2021 By: /s/ Bruce Larson

Name: Bruce Larson