GOLDBERG MICHAEL B

Form 4

January 18, 2007

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Last)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Kelso GP VII, LLC

(Middle)

(First)

320 PARK AVENUE, 24TH **FLOOR**

(Street)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

Eagle Bulk Shipping Inc. [EGLE]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)

01/16/2007

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director Officer (give title below)

X__ 10% Owner X_ Other (specify below)

See Footnote 2

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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Person

NEW YORK, NY 10022

(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 4. Securities Acquired (A) 5. Amount of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction Disposed of (D) Securities Ownership (Instr. 3) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Beneficially Form: (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Owned Direct (D) Following

Code V

(A) or (Instr. 3 and 4) (D) Price

or Indirect Reported (I)Transaction(s)

(Instr. 4)

Common Stock, par

value 01/16/2007

\$0.01 per share

7,202,679 S

(1)

Amount

D

16.93

127,778 (1)

I (2) (3) (4) (5)(6)

By Eagle Ventures LLC

7. Nature of

Indirect

Beneficial

Ownership

(Instr. 4)

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$\label{thm:convertible} \begin{tabular}{ll} Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned \\ (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) \end{tabular}$

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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
Triporous Control Control	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Kelso GP VII, LLC 320 PARK AVENUE 24TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10022		X		See Footnote 2			
GOLDBERG MICHAEL B C/O KELSO & COMPANY 320 PARK AVENUE, 24TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10022	X	X		See Footnote 2			
Loverro Frank J C/O KELSO & COMPANY 320 PARK AVENUE, 24TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10022	X	X		See Footnote 2			
NICKELL FRANK T C/O KELSO & COMPANY 320 PARK AVENUE, 24TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10022		X					
WALL THOMAS R IV C/O KELSO & COMPANY 350 PARK AVENUE, 24TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10022		X					
MATELICH GEORGE E C/O KELSO & COMPANY 320 PARK AVENUE, 24TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10022		X					

Reporting Owners 2

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NEW YORK, NY 10022

Signatures

/s/ James J. Connors, II 01/18/2007

**Signature of Reporting Date

Person

Explanation of Responses:

- * 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 amounts reflect the record ownership of and transactions in common stock ("Common Stock"), par value \$0.01 per share, of

 (1) Eagle Bulk Shipping Inc. by Eagle Ventures LLC. Each reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of such shares of Common Stock except to the extent of such person's pecuniary interest therein, if any.
- Michael B. Goldberg and Frank J. Loverro are members of the board of directors of Eagle Bulk Shipping Inc. and are managing (2) members of each of KEP VI, LLC ("KEP VI") and Kelso GP VII, LLC ("GP VII, LLC"). Messrs. Goldberg and Loverro disclaim beneficial ownership of any Common Stock included herein except to the extent of their pecuniary interest therein.
 - Each of KEP VI and Kelso Investment Associates VII, L.P. ("KIA VII"), by virtue of its status as a member of Eagle Ventures LLC, may be deemed to share beneficial ownership of shares of Common Stock owned by Eagle Ventures LLC. Each of KIA VII and KEP VI share investment and voting power along with the other members of Eagle Ventures LLC with respect to Common Stock owned by
- (3) Eagle Ventures LLC, but disclaim beneficial ownership of such Common Stock except to the extent of its pecuniary interest therein.

 Messrs. Nickell, Wall, Matelich, Goldberg, Wahrhaftig, Bynum, Berney, Loverro and Connors may be deemed to share beneficial ownership of securities owned of record by Eagle Ventures LLC or indirectly by KEP VI or KIA VII, by virtue of their status as managing members of KEP VI and Kelso GP VII, LLC ("GP VII, LLC"), but disclaim beneficial ownership of such Common Stock except to the extent of their pecuniary interest therein.
- Each of KIA VII and KEP VI, due to their common control, may be deemed to beneficially own the Common Stock owned by the other. Each of KIA VII and KEP VI disclaim beneficial ownership of Common Stock owned by the other, if any, except to the extent of such first person's pecuniary interest therein, if any.
- GP VII, LLC is the general partner of Kelso GP VII, L.P. ("GP VII, L.P."). GP VII, L.P. is the general partner of KIA VII. Each of GP VII, LLC and GP VII, L.P. disclaim beneficial ownership of all of the Common Stock reported herein except to the extent of its pecuniary interest therein, if any.
- Each of GP VII, LLC and GP VII, L.P., due to their common control, could be deemed to beneficially own the Common Stock owned by the other. Each of GP VII, LLC and GP VII, L.P. disclaim beneficial ownership of Common Stock owned by the other or directly by Eagle Ventures LLC, except to the extent of such first person's pecuniary interest therein, if any.

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