FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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

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(First)	(Middle)		3. Date of Ea	rliest Tran	sacti	on (MM/	DD/YYY	(Y)			, below)		
1800 AVENUE OF THE STARS, SUITE 1400				11.	/15/	2024			Co-Founder, CEO and President				
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	Tabl	le I - Non-I	Derivative Se	curities A	.cqui	ired, Di	sposed	of, or Be	neficially Owned				
		2. Trans. Date	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any	3. Trans. Co (Instr. 8)	ode	Disposed	of (D)	aired (A) or	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	Form:	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
				Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			(Instr. 4)		
		11/15/2024		C		250,000	A	\$0	250,000	I	By Atticus Enterprises LLC		
		11/15/2024		S (1)		16,732	D	\$167.33 ⁽²⁾	233,268	I	By Atticus Enterprises LLC		
		11/15/2024		S (1)		3,364	D	\$168 (<u>3</u>)	229,904	I	By Atticus Enterprises LLC		
		11/18/2024		S ⁽¹⁾		3,700	D	\$166.75 ⁽⁴⁾	226,204	I	By Atticus Enterprises LLC		
		11/18/2024		S ⁽¹⁾		12,125	D	\$167.39 ⁽⁵⁾	214,079	I	By Atticus Enterprises LLC		
		11/19/2024		S(1)		1,745	D	\$166.91 ⁽⁶⁾	212,334	I	By Atticus Enterprises LLC		
		11/19/2024		S(1)		2,500	D	\$168.43 ⁽⁷⁾	209,834	I	By Atticus Enterprises LLC		
		11/19/2024		S(1)		4,144	D	\$168.99 (8)	205,690	I	By Atticus Enterprises LLC		
		11/19/2024		S(1)		12,136	D	\$170.1 ⁽²⁾	193,554	I	By Atticus Enterprises LLC		
									1,375,000 (10)	D			
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	Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)														
1. Title of Derivate Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Trans. Date		4. Trans. Code (Instr. 8)				and Expiration Date		Securities Underlying Derivative Security		Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	Securities Beneficially Owned	Ownership Form of Derivative	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
	Security			Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	or Indirect	
Ares Operating Group Units	<u>(11)</u>	11/15/2024		С			250,000	(11)	<u>(11)</u>	Class A Common Stock	250,000	<u>(11)</u>	9,021,596	I	By Ares Owners Holdings L.P. (12)

Explanation of Responses:

- (1) This transaction was effected pursuant to a 10b5-1 trading plan adopted on December 14, 2023 by the reporting person, or a vehicle controlled by him.
- (2) The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold on November 15, 2024 in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$166.73 to \$167.72. The reporting person undertakes to provide to the issuer, any security holder of the issuer, or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the ranges set forth in this footnote and footnotes 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 and 9.
- (3) The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold on November 15, 2024 in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$167.73 to \$168.50.
- (4) The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold on November 18, 2024 in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$166.02 to \$167.01.
- (5) The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold on November 18, 2024 in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$167.03 to \$167.95.
- (6) The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold on November 19, 2024 in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$166.28 to \$167.25.
- (7) The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold on November 19, 2024 in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$167.65 to \$168.63.
- (8) The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold on November 19, 2024 in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$168.67 to \$169.47.
- (9) The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold on November 19, 2024 in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$169.68 to \$170.36.
- (10) Represents 1,375,000 restricted units granted under an equity incentive plan of Ares Management Corporation. Each restricted unit represents the right to receive one share of Class A Common Stock upon vesting. The restricted units vest in installments in accordance with the applicable restricted unit award agreement.
- (11) Pursuant to the terms of the Fifth Amended and Restated Exchange Agreement (the "Exchange Agreement"), dated as of April 1, 2021, among Ares Management Corporation, Ares Holdings L.P. and each Ares Operating Group Limited Partner (as defined in the Exchange Agreement), and subject to certain requirements and restrictions, the partnership units of the Ares Operating Group ("AOG Units") are exchangeable for shares of Class A Common Stock on a one-for-one basis.
- (12) The reporting person or a vehicle controlled by him is a limited partner in Ares Owners Holdings L.P. ("AOH"), the direct holder of the shares of AOG Units. The AOG Units indirectly held by the reporting person are the number of AOG Units that he has a right to receive as a limited partner in AOH.

Reporting Owners

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Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
Arougheti Michael J 1800 AVENUE OF THE STARS SUITE 1400 LOS ANGELES, CA 90067			Co-Founder, CEO and President					

Signatures

/s/ Anton Feingold, by power of attorney

**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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