

Blackstone Group L.P.  
Form 8-K  
August 03, 2012

**UNITED STATES**  
**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

**WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549**

**FORM 8-K**

**CURRENT REPORT**

**Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the**  
**Securities Exchange Act of 1934**

**Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): August 3, 2012**

**The Blackstone Group L.P.**

**(Exact name of Registrant as specified in its charter)**

**Delaware**  
**(State or other jurisdiction**  
  
**of incorporation)**

**001-33551**  
**(Commission**  
  
**File Number)**

**20-8875684**  
**(I.R.S. Employer**  
  
**Identification No.)**

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**345 Park Avenue**

**New York, New York**  
(Address of principal executive offices)

**(212) 583-5000**

**10154**  
(Zip Code)

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

**NOT APPLICABLE**

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions (see General Instruction A.2. below):

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- .. Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

**Item 7.01 Regulation FD Disclosure.**

Attached as Exhibit 99.1 to this filing is The Blackstone Group L.P.'s historical disclosure of certain financial measures presented on a basis consistent with the presentation in Blackstone's July 19, 2012 report of its 2012 second quarter results of operations. All information in Exhibit 99.1 is furnished but not filed.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

(d) Exhibits.

Exhibit No.	Description
99.1	The Blackstone Group L.P. Supplemental Financial Information

**SIGNATURE**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

Date: August 3, 2012

**The Blackstone Group L.P.**

By: Blackstone Group Management L.L.C.,  
its General Partner

By: /s/ Laurence A. Tosi  
Name: Laurence A. Tosi  
Title: Chief Financial Officer