

Rockwood Holdings, Inc.
Form 4
December 12, 2014

FORM 4

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

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Masters J Kent

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O ROCKWOOD HOLDINGS,
INC., 100 OVERLOOK CENTER

(Street)

PRINCETON, NJ 08540

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol

Rockwood Holdings, Inc. [ROC]

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

12/11/2014

4. If Amendment, Date Original
Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

☒ Director ☐ 10% Owner
☐ Officer (give title below) ☐ Other (specify below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
☒ Form filed by One Reporting Person
☐ Form filed by More than One Reporting
Person

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)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount (A) or (D)	Price	
Common Stock, par value \$0.01	12/11/2014		M		7,878	A \$ 31.73	25,264 D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01	12/11/2014		S		7,878	D \$ 77.6423 (1)	17,386 D

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

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(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Options (right to buy)	\$ 31.73	12/11/2014		M	7,878	(2) 05/16/2017	Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	7,878

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director 10% Owner Officer Other
Masters J Kent C/O ROCKWOOD HOLDINGS, INC. 100 OVERLOOK CENTER PRINCETON, NJ 08540	X

Signatures

/s/ Michael W. Valente as
Attorney-in-Fact
12/12/2014

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

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This transaction was executed in multiple trades at share prices ranging from \$77.6410 to \$77.6610. The price reported above reflects the
(1) weighted average sale price. The reporting person hereby undertakes to provide upon request to the SEC staff, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer, full information regarding the number of shares and prices at which the transaction was effected.

(2) These options were granted on May 26, 2007 and vested one third on each of the first three anniversaries of the grant date and expire on May 16, 2017.

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