FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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

| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* GAMCO INVESTORS, INC. ET AL | | | | | WE | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol WESTWOOD HOLDINGS GROUP INC [WHG] | | | | | | | | Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director | | | | |
|--|--------------|-------------------|--|---|--|--|--------|---|-------------------------------|---|--------------------|---|--|---|--|--|---|-----|
| (Last) (First) (Middle) ONE CORPORATE CENTER | | | | | | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/12/2012 | | | | | | | | Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) | | | | ` ' |
| (Street) RYE (City) | NY | 7 10 | 0580 (ip) |) | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | | | | | | ′ I | 5. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable ine) Form filed by One Reporting Person X Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | | | | | |
| | | Table | eI- | Non-Deriva | ative | Secu | uritie | s Ac | quired | l, Di | sposed of | f, or B | enefici | ally | Owne | ed | | |
| Da | | | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Y | Year) Executi | | eemed tion Date, h/Day/Year) | | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | | 4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 5) | | | and Securiti Benefic Owned | | icially d | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership | |
| | | | | | | | | Code | v | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price | | | | (Instr. 4) | (Instr. 4) | |
| Common Stock 01/12/20 | | | | 12 | | | | S | | 1,000 | D | \$37. | .65 | 90 | 09,400 | $D^{(1)}$ | | |
| Common Stock 01/13/201 | | | 12 | | | | S | | 1,700 | D \$38. | | 626 907,700 | | D ⁽¹⁾ | | | | |
| Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Derivative Conversion Date Exec Security or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if an | | у | | 4. Fransaction Code (Instr. 3) | | 5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | | tion [| cisable and Date /Year) | 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4) | | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | | 9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s (Instr. 4) | Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | | |
| | | | | | Code | v | (A) | (D) | Date Exerci | sable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | | | | | |
| | d Address of | Reporting Person* | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

| GAMCO INVESTORS, INC. ET AL | | | | | |
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| (Street) | | | | | |
| RYE | NY | 10580 | | | |
| (City) | (State) | (Zip) | | | |
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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* GABELLI MARIO J | | | | | | | | |
|---|-------------|----------|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| (Last) | (First) | (Middle) | | | | | | |
| C/O GAMCO INV | ESTORS, INC | | | | | | | |
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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* GGCP, INC. | | | | | | | | |
| (Last) | (First) | (Middle) | | | | | | |
| 140 GREENWICH AVENUE | | | | | | | | |
| (Street) | | | | | | | | |
| GREENWICH | CT | 06830 | | | | | | |
| (City) | (State) | (Zip) | | | | | | |

Explanation of Responses:

1. These securities are owned by GAMCO Investors, Inc. ("GBL"). GGCP, Inc. and Mr. Mario J. Gabelli have less than a 100% interest in GBL and hereby disclaim ownership of these securities in excess of their pecuniary interests.

/s/ Douglas R. Jamieson, Attorney-In-Fact for MARIO J. GABELLI, GGCP, INC., and GAMCO INVESTORS, INC.

** 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).

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, see Instruction 6 for procedure.

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