BLITZER MICHAEL
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
BLITZER MICHAEL

(Last) (First) (Middle)

11 EAST 44TH STREET, SUITE 704

(Street)

NEW YORK, NY 10017

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading Symbol
SIGNATURE GROUP HOLDINGS INC [SGGH.PK]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
10/27/2010

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

__X__ Director
_____ 10% Owner
_____ Officer (give title below)
_____ Other (specify below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
_X_ 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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock								760,000 (1)	I	Kingstown Capital Partners, LLC
Common Stock (2)	10/27/2010(2)		A		45,181 (2)	A	$ 0.83	45,181 (2)	D	

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned
(*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. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
								Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		
				Code	V	(A)	(D)						

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
BLITZER MICHAEL 11 EAST 44TH STREET SUITE 704 NEW YORK, NY 10017	X			

Signatures

/s/ Michael Blitzer	10/29/2010
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date

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).

(1) Michael Blitzer is a Managing Partner of Kingstown Capital Partners, LLC, the general partner of Kingstown Partners Master Fund, Ltd, which purchased 300,000 common shares and now beneficially owns 3,800,000 shares of the issuer. Michael Blitzer is deemed to have beneficial ownership of the shares via his general partner's 20% profit allocation.

(2) On October 27, 2010, the Board of Directors of Signature Group Holdings, Inc. approved a compensation package for each of it's independent Directors which includes annual compensation of $75,000 of restricted stock. The restricted stock shall vest at the end of each year of the grant, subject to immediate vesting in the event of a change of control. The initial grants were issued on October 27, 2010 in the amount of $37,500 for each independent Director for the period relating to their services from June 11, 2010 through December 31, 2010 which shall be deemed vested on January 1, 2011.

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