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1 NAME OF REPORTING PERSONS
I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NOS. OF ABOVE PERSONS (ENTITIES ONLY)

The Bear Stearns Companies Inc.**
IRS # 13-3286161

2 CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP*
(a) []
(b) []

3 SEC USE ONLY

4 SOURCE OF FUNDS*
WC, 00

5 CHECK BOX IF DISCLOSURE OF LEGAL PROCEEDINGS IS REQUIRED
PURSUANT TO ITEMS 2(d) OR 2(e) []

6 CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION

Delaware

7 SOLE VOTING POWER
NUMBER OF SHARES 0

8 SHARED VOTING POWER
BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH

9 SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER
REPORTING PERSON 0

10 SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER

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WITH

0

11 AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON

0

12 CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (11) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES*

13 PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (11)

0%

14 TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON*

HC

*SEE INSTRUCTIONS BEFORE FILLING OUT!

1 NAME OF REPORTING PERSONS
I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NOS. OF ABOVE PERSONS (ENTITIES ONLY)

Bear, Stearns & Co. Inc.**
IRS # 13-3299429

2 CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP*

(a)

(b)

3 SEC USE ONLY

4 SOURCE OF FUNDS*

WC, OO

5 CHECK BOX IF DISCLOSURE OF LEGAL PROCEEDINGS IS REQUIRED
PURSUANT TO ITEMS 2(d) OR 2(e)

6 CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION

Delaware

7 SOLE VOTING POWER

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NUMBER OF
SHARES 0

BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON

8 SHARED VOTING POWER

9 SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER

0

10 SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER

0

11 AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON

0

12 CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (11) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES*

13 PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (11)

0%

14 TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON*

BD

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Schedule 13D Amendment No. 3

This statement constitutes Amendment No. 3 to the statement on Schedule 13D (the "Schedule 13D") filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission by Bear, Stearns & Co. Inc. ("Bear Stearns") with respect to its ownership of the Common Stock of The Carbide/Graphite Group, Inc. (the "Issuer").

Item 3: Source and Amount of Funds or Other Consideration

Not applicable

Item 5: Interest in Securities of the Issuer (as of 11/06/01)

(a) The responses of Bear Stearns to Rows (11) through (13) of the cover page of this Amendment No. 3 to Schedule 13D are

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incorporated herein by reference. To the best of Bear Stearns' knowledge, none of its executive officers or directors beneficially own any Common Stock of the Issuer.

- (b) The responses of Bear Stearns to Rows (7) through (10) of the cover page of this Amendment No. 3 to Schedule 13D are incorporated herein by reference.
- (c) Since the date of its initial filing on Schedule 13D, Bear Stearns has effected transactions in the Common Stock of the Issuer. Information concerning transactions in the Common Stock effected by Bear Stearns is set forth on Appendix I.
- (d) Not Applicable.
- (e) As of November 06, 2001, Bear Stearns ceased to be the beneficial owner of more than five percent of Carbide/Graphite Group, Inc. Common Stock since the date of its original filings.

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**Bear Stearns & Co. is a subsidiary of The Bear Stearns Companies Inc.

Signature:

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, I certify that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

November 13, 2001

(Date)

/s/

(Signature)

Aldo Parcesepe/Senior Managing Director

(Name/Title)

APPENDIX I

The Carbide/Graphite Group Inc.

Trading from 9/21/01 through 11/06/01
(Various Firm Accounts)

***** 11/06 *****
874,952- CARBIDE/GRAPHITE GROUP INC
***** 11/02 *****

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