

TransDigm Group INC  
 Form 3  
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**INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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 Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section  
 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Â Kruse Kevin (Last) (First) (Middle)  C/O WARBURG PINCUS & CO., Â 466 LEXINGTON AVENUE (Street)  NEW YORK, Â NY Â 10017 (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year) 03/14/2006	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol TransDigm Group INC [TDG]	4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director <input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner <input type="checkbox"/> Officer <input type="checkbox"/> Other (give title below)    (specify below)	5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person <input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person
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**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	30,601,875	I	See Footnotes <u>(1)</u> <u>(2)</u>

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

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**Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)**

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative	5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security:	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
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Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Security	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)
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### Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Kruse Kevin C/O WARBURG PINCUS & CO. 466 LEXINGTON AVENUE NEW YORK, NY 10017	X	X	X	X

### Signatures

/s/ Kevin Kruse                      03/14/2006

\_\_Signature of                      Date  
Reporting Person

### Explanation of Responses:

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(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).
- The stockholder is Warburg Pincus Private Equity VIII, L.P., including two affiliated partnerships ("WP VIII"). Warburg Pincus Partners LLC ("WP Partners LLC"), a subsidiary of Warburg Pincus & Co. ("WP"), is the sole general partner of WP VIII. WP VIII is managed by Warburg Pincus LLC ("WP LLC" and together with WP, WP VIII and WP Partners LLC, the "Warburg Entities"). Kevin Kruse, a director of TransDigm Group Incorporated, a Delaware corporation, is a general partner of WP and a managing director and member of WP LLC. All shares indicated as owned by Kevin Kruse are included because of his affiliation with the Warburg Entities. Kevin Kruse may be deemed to have an indirect pecuniary interest (within the meaning of Rule 16a-1 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934) in an indeterminate portion of the shares owned by WP VIII. Kevin Kruse disclaims beneficial ownership of all shares held by the Warburg Entities.
- (1) Charles R. Kaye and Joseph P. Landy are Managing General Partners of WP and Managing Members of WP LLC and may be deemed to control the Warburg Entities. Messrs. Kaye and Landy disclaim beneficial ownership of all shares held by the Warburg Entities. The address of the Warburg Entities is 466 Lexington Avenue, New York, New York 10017.
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