

BGC Partners, Inc.
Form 4
December 24, 2015

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 *
CF GROUP MANAGEMENT INC

(Last) (First) (Middle)

499 PARK AVENUE

(Street)

NEW YORK, NY 10022

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

BGC Partners, Inc. [BGCP]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

12/21/2015

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)

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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)
Class A Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	12/21/2015		J ⁽¹⁾	V 115,443 ⁽¹⁾	A \$ 0 2,715,127	D	
Class A Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	12/21/2015		J	2,503,522 ⁽¹⁾	D \$ 0 23,493,516	I	See footnote <u>(2)</u>

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

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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 Own Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
CF GROUP MANAGEMENT INC 499 PARK AVENUE NEW YORK, NY 10022	X	X		

Signatures

/s/ Howard W. Lutnick, President and Chief Executive
Officer

12/23/2015

__Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

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- On December 21, 2015, Cantor Fitzgerald, L.P. ("CFLP") distributed to its partners pro rata an aggregate of 2,503,522 shares of BGC Partners, Inc. Class A Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share ("Class A Common Stock"), which includes the 115,443 shares of Class
- (1) A Common Stock referred to in the first row of Table 1 that were acquired by CF Group Management, Inc. ("CFGM") in a transaction exempt under Rule 16a-9(a). The shares distributed by CFLP are already outstanding shares of BGC Partners, Inc. and will not impact the fully diluted shares outstanding of BGC Partners, Inc.
- (2) CFGM is the Managing General Partner of CFLP, and the reporting person is the Chief Executive Officer and sole stockholder of CFGM. KBCR is a non-managing General Partner of CFLP, and the reporting person is the managing member of KBCR. The reporting person is the managing member of LFA. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of all shares held by CFLP, CFGM, KBCR and LFA in excess of his pecuniary interest, if any, and this report shall not be deemed an admission that he is he beneficial owner of, or has

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pecuniary interest in, any such excess shares for the purposes of Section 16 of the Exchange Act or for any other purpose.

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