#### CF GROUP MANAGEMENT INC

Form 4 May 08, 2012

# FORM 4

### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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See Instruction 1(b).

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES** 

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

BGC Partners, Inc. [BGCP]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* CF GROUP MANAGEMENT INC

(First)

499 PARK AVENUE

(Last)

(City)

Security

(Instr. 3)

(Street)

(Middle)

(Month/Day/Year) 05/04/2012

Symbol

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

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\_ Director 10% Owner Other (specify Officer (give title 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

NEW YORK, NY 10022

(State) 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed

(Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Month/Day/Year)

(Zip)

4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code (Instr. 8)

Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

Code V Amount (D) Price

(A)

or

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported

Transaction(s)

(Instr. 4)

6. Ownership

Form: Direct

Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

(9-02)

7. Nature of

(Instr. 3 and 4)

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 3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed 5. Number of 6. Date Exercisable and 7. Title and Amount 4 Derivative Conversion (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction Derivative **Expiration Date** Underlying Securitie Security or Exercise Code Securities (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 3 and 4) (Instr. 3) Price of (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Acquired (A)

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	Derivative Security		or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)							
			Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amour or Number of Shar
BGC Holdings Exchangeable Limited Partnership Interests (1)	<u>(2)</u>	05/04/2012	A(1)(3)		34,160 (1) (3)		(2)	(2)	Class A or Class B Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share (2)	34,16

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
• 0	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
CF GROUP MANAGEMENT INC 499 PARK AVENUE NEW YORK, NY 10022	X	X						
Signatures								
Howard W. Lutnick, Chief Executive Officer	05/08/2012							

### **Explanation of Responses:**

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

- \* 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).
- On May 4, 2012, Cantor Fitzgerald, L.P. ("CFLP") purchased from BGC Holdings, L.P. ("BGC Holdings") an aggregate of 34,160

Date

- exchangeable limited partnership interests in BGC Holdings (the "Interests") at a price of \$3.96 per Interest in transactions exempt

  (1) pursuant to Rule 16b-3 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, in accordance with the Agreement of Limited Partnership of BGC Holdings, as amended and restated as of March 31, 2008 (as further amended from time to time, the "BGC Holdings Agreement").
  - The exchange rights with respect to the Interests are exercisable at any time for shares of Class B Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share ("Class B Common Stock"), of BGC Partners, Inc. ("BGC Partners") (or, at CFLP's option or if there are no additional authorized
- (2) but unissued shares of Class B Common Stock, shares of Class A Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share ("Class A Common Stock"), of BGC Partners) on a one-for-one basis (subject to adjustment). The shares of Class B Common Stock are convertible at any time on a one-for-one basis (subject to adjustment) into shares of Class A Common Stock.
- Includes 9,380 Interests purchased from BGC Holdings as a result of the redemption of 9,380 non-exchangeable founding partner units, at an aggregate purchase price of \$37,145, and 24,780 Interests purchased from BGC Holdings pursuant to the Sixth Amendment of the BGC Holdings as a result of the redemption of 24,780 non-exchangeable founding partner units, at an aggregate purchase price of \$98,129.
- (4) Does not include exchange rights with respect to an aggregate of 12,996,325 Interests assumed in previous reports to have been exercised for shares of Class A Common Stock to satisfy CFLP's deferred share distribution obligations pursuant to rights provided to certain current and former partners of CFLP on April 1, 2008 and February 14, 2012. As of the date of this report, an aggregate of 17,473,709

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shares of Class A Common Stock remain subject to CFLP's deferred share distribution obligations pursuant to rights to receive shares provided to certain current and former partners of CFLP on April 1, 2008 (15,545,606 remaining shares) and the deferral by certain partners of CFLP of receipt of shares distributed by CFLP on February 14, 2012 in connection with payment of previous quarterly CFLP distributions (1,928,103 remaining shares).

As of the date of this report, the aggregate 17,473,709 remaining shares of Class A Common Stock subject to CFLP's deferred share distribution obligations are assumed to be funded with (i) 588,119 shares of Class A Common Stock acquired by CFLP upon exercise of exchange rights with respect to 588,119 Interests on May 28, 2010, (ii) 3,889,265 shares of Class A Common Stock acquired by CFLP upon exercise of exchange rights with respect to 3,889,265 Interests on May 5, 2011, and (iii) the future exercise of exchange rights with respect to 12,996,325 Interests for 12,996,325 shares of Class A Common Stock. As of the date of this report, CFLP held an aggregate of 48,782,933 Interests.

- (6) Due to a typographical error, the number of shares in Column 9 of Table II in a Form 4 filed by CFLP on March 15, 2012 was incorrectly inserted as 35,169,615 and should have been 35,752,448.
- CF Group Management, Inc. ("CFGM") is the Managing General Partner of CFLP. CFGM disclaims beneficial ownership of all such securities in excess of its pecuniary interest, if any, and this report shall not be deemed an admission that CFGM is the beneficial owner of, or has pecuniary interest in, any such excess securities for purposes of Section 16 or the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or for any other purpose.

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