FORM D



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

## FORM D

## NOTICE OF SALE OF SECURITIES PURSUANT TO REGULATION D, SECTION 4(6), AND/OR UNIFORM LIMITED OFFERING EXEMPTION

OMB APPROVAL	
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Name of Offering ( check if this is an amendment and name has changed, and indicate change.)  Centerbridge Capital Partners Strategic, L.P.	^
Filing Under (Check box(es) that apply): Rule 504 Rule 505 Rule 506  Type of Filing: New Filing Amen-Iment	Scotton 4(6) ULOE RECEIVED (1)
A. BASIC IDENTIFICATION DATA	DEC 2 0 2002
Enter the information requested about the issuer	DEC T 9 7001
Name of Issuer ( check if this is an amendment and name has changed, and indicate change.)  Centerbridge Capital Partners Strategic, L.P. (the "Partnership")	186
Address of Executive Offices (Number and Street, City, State, Zip Code) 375 Park Avenue, 12th Floor, New York, New York 10152	Telephone Number (Including Area Code) (212) 675 5000
Address of Principal Business Operations (Number and Street, City, State, Zip Code) (if different from Executive Offices)	Telephone Number (Including Area Code)
Brief Description of Business Investment vehicle.	BBOOFSSED.
Type of Business Organization    corporation   limited partnership, already formed   other (please specify):	PHOCEOCED
corporation   I limited partnership, already formed   other (please specify):  limited partnership, to be formed	∠ JAN 1 0 2008
Actual or Estimated Date of Incorporation or Organization:  Month Year  O 6  Actual  Actual  Jurisdiction of Incorporation or Organization: (Enter two-letter U.S. Postal Service abbreviation for State: CN for Canada; FN for other foreign jurisdiction)	Estimated THOMSON FINANCIAL
GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS	

#### Federal:

Who Must File: All issuers making an offering of securities in reliance on an exemption under Regulation D or Section 4(6), 17 CFR 230.501 et seq. or 15 U.S.C. 77d(6).

When to File: A notice must be filed no later than 15 days after the first sale of securities in the offering. A notice is deemed filed with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC) on the earlier of the date it is received by the SEC at the address given below or, if received at that address after the date on which it is due, on the date it was mailed by United States registered or certified mail to that address.

Where to File: U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission, 450 Fifth Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20549.

Copies Required: Five (5) copies of this notice must be filed with the SEC, one of which must be manually signed. Any copies not manually signed must be photocopies of the manually signed copy or bear typed or printed signatures.

Information Required: A new filing must contain all information requested. Amendments need only report the name of the issuer and offering, any changes thereto, the information requested in Part C, and any material changes from the information previously supplied in Parts A and B. Part E and the Appendix need not be filed with the SEC.

Filing Fee: There is no federal filing fee.

#### State:

This notice shall be used to indicate reliance on the Uniform Limited Offering Exemption (ULOE) for sales of securities in those states that have adopted ULOE and that have adopted this form. Issuers relying on ULOE must file a separate notice with the Securities Administrator in each state where sales are to be, or have been made. If a state requires the payment of a fee as a precondition to the claim for the exemption, a fee in the proper amount shall accompany this form. This notice shall be filed in the appropriate states in accordance with state law. The Appendix to the notice constitutes a part of this notice and must be completed.

## **ATTENTION**

Failure to file notice in the appropriate states will not result in a loss of the federal exemption. Conversely, failure to file the appropriate federal notice will not result in a loss of an available state exemption unless such exemption is predicated on the filing of a federal notice.

		A. BASIC IDENT	IFICATION DATA		
2. Enter the information rec	quested for the following	ng			
Each promote	er of the issuer, if the i	ssuer has been organized wi	thin the past five years;		
<ul> <li>Each benefic issuer;</li> </ul>	ial owner having the p	ower to vote or dispose, or o	lirect the vote or disposition	of, 10% or more of	a class of equity securities of the
Each executive	ve officer and director	of corporate issuers and of	corporate general and manag	ing partners of parti	nership issuers; and
Each general	and managing partner	of partnership issuers.			
Check Box(es) that Apply:	Promoter	Beneficial Owner	Executive Officer	Director	General and/or Managing Partner
Full Name (Last name first, if i Centerbridge Partners, L.P.	ndividual)				
Business or Residence Address 375 Park Avenue, 12 <sup>th</sup> Floor,				. <u> </u>	
Check Box(es) that Apply:	Promoter	Beneficial Owner	Executive Officer	Director	General and/or Managing Partner
Full Name (Last name first, if Centerbridge Associates, L.P	,	ser")			
Business or Residence Address	•				
375 Park Avenue, 12th Floor,	New York, New Yor	k 10152			
Check Box(es) that Apply:	Promoter	Beneficial Owner	Executive Officer	Director	General and/or  Managing Partner
Full Name (Last name first, if Centerbridge GP Investors, l	=				
Business or Residence Address 375 Park Avenue, 12th Floor,					
Check Box(es) that Apply:	Promoter	Beneficial Owner	Executive Officer	Director	General and/or Managing Partner*
Full Name (Last name first, if Aronson, Jeffrey H.	individual)				
Business or Residence Address 375 Park Avenue, 12th Floor,	•				
Check Box(es) that Apply:	Promoter	Beneficial Owner	Executive Officer	Director	General and/or Managing Partner*
Full Name (Last name first, if Gallogly, Mark T.	individual)	\ <u>-</u>			
Business or Residence Address		-			
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Full Name (Last name first, if Gelfand, Jeffrey A.	individual)				
Business or Residence Addres 375 Park Avenue, 12th Floor,					
Check Box(es) that Apply:	Promoter	Beneficial Owner	Executive Officer	. Director	General and/or Managing Partner
Full Name (Last name first, if	individual)				
Business or Residence Addres	s (Number and Street,	City, State, Zip Code)			
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<sup>\*</sup> Managing Principal and Managing Member

					B. IN	FORMATI	ON ABOU	r offeri	NG		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·			
B. INFORMATION ABOUT OFFERING  1. Has the issuer sold, or does the issuer intend to sell, to non-accredited investors in this offering?									YES  \$10,000	NO ⊠ ,000*				
* The General Partner reserves the right to accept lesser amounts.  3. Does the offering permit joint ownership of a single unit?  4. Enter the information requested for each person who has been or will be paid or given, directly or indirectly, any commission or similar remuneration for solicitation of purchasers in connection with sales of securities in the offering. If a person to be listed is an associated person or agent of a broker or dealer registered with the SEC and/or with a state or states, list the name of the broker or dealer. If more than five (5) persons to be listed are associated persons of such a broker or dealer, you may set forth the information for that broker or dealer only.									YES	NO				
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(Use blank sheet, or copy and use additional copies of this sheet, as necessary.)

1.	Enter the aggregate offering price of securities included in this offering and the total amount already sold. Enter "0" if answer is "none" or "zero." If the transaction is an exchange offering, check this box and indicate in the columns below the amounts of the securities offered for exchange and already exchanged.				
	Type of Security	Aggregate Offering Price			Amount Aiready Sold
	Debt	\$	-0-	\$	-0-
	Equity	<u>-</u> -	-0-	s	-0-
	Common Preferred	<u> </u>		_	
	Convertible Securities (including warrants)	5	-0-	S	-0-
	Partnership Interests	\$	150,000,000	\$	106,087,174
	Other (Specify )	\$	-0-	S	-0-
	Total	\$	150,000,000	\$	106,087,174
	Answer also in Appendix, Column 3, if filing under ULOE.				
2.	Enter the number of accredited and non-accredited investors who have purchased securities in this offering and the aggregate dollar amounts of their purchases. For offerings under Rule 504, indicate the number of persons who have purchased securities and the aggregate dollar amount of their purchases on the total line. Enter "0" if answer is "none" or "zero."  Accredited Investors		Number Investors	s	Aggregate Dollar Amount of Purchases 106,087,174
	Non-accredited investors		-0-	S	-0-
	Total (for filings under Rule 504 only)	_	NA	\$	NA
3.	If this filing is for an offering under Rule 504 or 505, enter the information requested for all securities sold by the issuer, to date, in offerings of the types indicated, in the twelve (12) months prior to the first sale of securities in this offering. Classify securities by type listed in Part C - Question 1.  Type of offering		Type of Security		Dollar Amount Sold
	Rule 505	_	NA	\$	NA
	Regulation A	_	NA	\$	NA
	Rule 504	_	NA	\$	NA
	Total	_	NA	\$	NA
4.	a. Furnish a statement of all expenses in connection with the issuance and distribution of the securities in this offering. Exclude amounts relating solely to organization expenses of the issuer. The information may be given as subject to future contingencies. If the amount of an expenditure is not known, furnish an estimate and check the box to the left of the estimate.				
	Transfer Agent's Fees		🛛	\$	-0-
	Printing and Engraving Costs		🖂	\$	1,000
	Legal Fees	•••••	🛛	\$	67,000
	Accounting Fees		🖂	\$	1,000
	Engineering Fees		🖂	\$	-0-
	Sales Commissions (specify finders' fees separately)	•••••	🛛	\$	283,000
	Other Expenses (identify) Travel, telephone and miscellaneous		🖂	\$	18,000
	Total		I⊠I		170 000

C. OFFERING PRICE, NUMBER OF INVESTORS, EXPENSES AND USE OF PROCEEDS

b. Enter the difference between the aggregate offering price given in response to Part C - Question 1 and total	
expense furnished in response to Part C - Question 4.a. This difference is the "adjusted gross proceeds to the	
issuer."	\$149,630,000

C. OFFERING PRICE, NUMBER OF INVESTORS, EXPENSES AND USE OF PROCEEDS

5. Indicate below the amount of the adjusted gross proceeds to the issuer used or proposed to be used for each of the purposes shown. If the amount for any purpose is not known, furnish an estimate and check the box to the left of the estimate. The total of the payments listed must equal the adjusted gross proceeds to the issuer set forth in response to Part C - Question 4.b above.

Payments to Officers Directors & Payments to **Affiliates** Others Salaries and fees -0-Purchase of real estate.... Purchase, rental or leasing and installation of machinery and equipment ..... -0-Construction or leasing of plant buildings and facil ties Acquisition of other businesses (including the value of securities involved in this offering that may be used in exchange for the assets or securities of another issuer pursuant to a merger)..... Repayment of indebtedness Working capital -0--0-\$149,630,000 Other (specify) Portfolio Investments  $\boxtimes$  s \$149,630,000  $\boxtimes$  s -0-**⊠** s. 149,630,000 Total Payments Listed (column totals added) D. FEDERAL SIGNATURE The issuer has duly caused this notice to be signed by the undersigned duly authorized person. If this notice if filed under Rule 505, the following signature constitutes an undertaking by the issuer to furnish to the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission, upon written request of its staff, the information furnished by the issuer to any non-accredited investor pursuant to paragraph (b)(2) of Rule 502 Issuer (Print or Type) 81 gnature Date Centerbridge Capital Partners Strategic, L.P. Name (Print or Type) Title of Signer (Plint or Type)
Chief Financial Officer, Senior Managing Director, Secretary and Treasurer of Centerbridge GP

Investors, LLC, the General Partner of Centerbridge Associates, L.P., the General Partner of the

### **ATTENTION**

Intentional misstatements or omissions of fact constitute federal criminal violations. (See 18 U.S.C. 1001).

Partnership

Jeffrey A. Gelfand