FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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(First) C/O KOHLBERG KRAVIS ROBERTS & CO. L.P.

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(State)

10001

(Zip)

30 HUDSON YARDS

(Street) NEW YORK

(City)

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

OMB APPROVAL 3235-0287 Estimated average burden

Instruction 1(b). Filed				d pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940											0.5			
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* KKR Group Partnership L.P.				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Academy Sports & Outdoors, Inc. [ASO]									5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director X 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below)					
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O KOHLBERG KRAVIS ROBERTS & CO. L.P. 30 HUDSON YARDS				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/10/2021														
SU HUDSUN TARDS				4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) Form filed by One Reporting Person Y Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(Street) NEW YORK NY 10001																		
(City) (State) (Zip)																		
			I - Non-Deriva		_		uired									. 1		
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)		2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if any		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3,			I (A) oi	r and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported		6. Ownersl Form: Dire (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	ct Indirect	Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr.		
					Code	v	Amour	nt	(A) or (D)	Price	•	Transaction(s (Instr. 3 and						
Common Stock		05/10/2021			S		2,361,566 I		D	\$30	.96(1)	5,182,031		I	See footno	footnotes ⁽²⁾⁽⁵⁾⁽⁶⁾		
Common Stock		05/10/2021			S		4,686,289		D	\$30.96(1)		10,283,220		I	_	footnotes ⁽³⁾⁽⁵⁾⁽⁶⁾		
Common Stock 05/10/202			05/10/2021			S		6,052,145		D	\$30.96(1)		13,280,351		I	See footno	See footnotes ⁽⁴⁾⁽⁵⁾⁽⁶⁾	
		Tal	ble II - Derivati e.g., pu	ive Secur ıts, calls,										d				
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. No of Deri Secu Acqu (A) C Disp	vative urities uired or oosed o)	6. Dat	te Exerci ation Da th/Day/Y	isable a te	and 7 A S U D S	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) Ben Own Folk		owing orted saction(s)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exerc	cisable	Expira Date		C	Amount or Number of Shares						
		Reporting Person* tnership L.P.																
		(First) KRAVIS ROBEF DS	(Middle) RTS & CO. L.P.															
(Street) NEW YORK NY 10001																		
(City)		(State)	(Zip)															
		Reporting Person* Idings Corp.																

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* KKR & Co. Inc.								
(Last) C/O KOHLBERO 30 HUDSON YA	(First) 5 KRAVIS ROBERTS RDS	(Middle) & CO. L.P.						
(Street) NEW YORK	NY	10001						
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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* KKR Management LLP								
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C/O KOHLBERO	G KRAVIS ROBERTS RDS	& CO. L.P.						
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Explanation of Responses:

- 1. This amount represents the \$32.00 secondary public offering price per share of common stock of Academy Sports and Outdoors, Inc. ("Common Stock") less the underwriting discount of \$1.04 per share for shares sold pursuant to an underwritten public offering.
- 2. These shares of Common Stock are held by KKR 2006 Allstar Blocker L.P.
- $3.\ These\ shares\ of\ Common\ Stock\ are\ held\ by\ Allstar\ Co-Invest\ Blocker\ L.P.\ The\ general\ partner\ of\ Allstar\ Co-Invest\ Blocker\ L.P.\ is\ Allstar\ Co-Invest\ GP\ LLC.$
- 4. These shares of Common Stock are held by Allstar LLC. The managing member of Allstar LLC is KKR 2006 Fund (Allstar) L.P. The general partner of KKR 2006 Fund (Allstar) L.P. is KKR Associates 2006 AIV L.P.
- 5. KKR 2006 AIV GP LLC is the general partner of each of KKR 2006 Allstar Blocker L.P. and KKR Associates 2006 AIV L.P. and the sole member of Allstar Co-Invest GP LLC. The sole member of KKR 2006 AIV GP LLC is KKR Group Partnership L.P. KKR Group Holdings Corp. is the general partner of KKR Group Partnership L.P. KKR & Co. Inc. is the sole shareholder of KKR Group Holdings Corp. KKR Management LLP is the Series I preferred stockholder of KKR & Co. Inc. Messrs. Henry R. Kravis and George R. Roberts are the founding partners of KKR Management LLP.
- 6. Each of the Reporting Persons disclaims beneficial ownership of the securities reported herein, except to the extent of such Reporting Person's pecuniary interest therein. The filing of this statement shall not be deemed to be an admission that, for purposes of Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or otherwise, the Reporting Persons are the beneficial owners of any securities reported herein.

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** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

05/12/2021

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

- * 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).

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