

KANSAS CITY LIFE INSURANCE CO
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FORM 5

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ANNUAL 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 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
BIXBY ROBERT PHILIP

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
KANSAS CITY LIFE INSURANCE CO [KCLI]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Statement for Issuer's Fiscal Year Ended (Month/Day/Year)
 12/31/2011

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
 CEO and Chairman of the Board

C/O KANSAS CITY LIFE INSURANCE CO, 3520 BROADWAY

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Reporting

(check applicable line)

KANSAS CITY, MO 64111

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(City) (State) (Zip)

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 at end of Issuer's Fiscal Year (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock, \$1.25 par value	12/31/2011		G	2,340 D \$ 0	326,467	D	
Common Stock, \$1.25 par value	12/31/2011		J ⁽¹⁾⁽²⁾	31,860 D \$ 0	2,108,328	I	See ⁽³⁾ ⁽⁴⁾ ₍₅₎

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Mr. Bixby is a general partner of the Partnership and, in that capacity, shares with the other general partners of the Partnership the power to dispose of all of the 2,358,340 shares of Common Stock owned by the Partnership. The shares reported include 1,936,669 shares of

- (3) Common Stock owned by the Partnership, which consist of: (a) 1,725,834 shares attributable to the limited and general partner interests of the Partnership held by the WEB Jr. Trust, for which Mr. Bixby serves as a co-trustee, (b) 177 shares attributable to the general partner interest of the Partnership held by Mr. Bixby individually,

(continue of Footnote 3) and (c) 210,658 shares attributable to the limited partner interests of the Partnership held by the RPB Trusts, for which Mr. Bixby serves as the sole trustee. Mr. Bixby disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares of Common Stock owned by the

- (4) Partnership except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein. The shares reported also include 171,659 shares of the 395,785 shares of Common Stock owned by the Walter E. Bixby Descendents Trust, for which Mr. Bixby serves as a co-trustee. These 171,659 shares are held by that trust for the benefit of Mr. Bixby's children sharing the same household. Mr. Bixby disclaims beneficial ownership of the remaining 224,126 shares held by that trust as he has no pecuniary interest in them.

- (5) The shares reported do not include any shares of Common Stock owned in any of the Issuer's benefit plans.

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