FORM 3

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* SCHLOSSTEIN RALPH		2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year) 05/21/2009 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Evercore Partners Inc. [EVR]						
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O EVERCORE PARTNERS INC.				4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner			5. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	
55 EAST 52ND STREET, 43RD FLOOR				X Officer (give title below)	Other (spec		. Individual or Joint pplicable Line)	/Group Filing (Check
(Street)			President and CEO			X Form filed by One Reporting Person		
NEW YORK NY 10055							Form filed by More than One Reporting Person	
(City) (State)	(Zip)							
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned								
1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)				Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)			. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership Instr. 5)	
Shares of Class B common stock, par value \$.01 per share				1	D			
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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)								
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)		2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Title and Amount of Securiti Underlying Derivative Security	(Instr. 4) Conve		se Form:	(Instr. 5)
		Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Price of Derivativ Security	Direct (D) e or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Partnership units of Everce	ore LP	(2)	(2)	Shares of Class A common stock, par value \$.01 per share	927,644	(2)	D	
Partnership units of Evercore LP		(2)	(2)	Shares of Class A common stock, par value \$.01 per share	463,822	(2)	I	Partnership units held by trust ⁽³⁾

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. These shares of Class B common stock are held in trust for the benefit of Mr. Schlosstein's family. Mr. Schlosstein disclaims beneficial ownership of these shares of Class B common stock, and the filing of this report is not an admission that Mr. Schlosstein is the beneficial owner of these shares of Class B common stock for the purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.
- 2. Pursuant to the Certificate of Incorporation of Evercore Partners Inc., the Evercore LP partnership units are, subject to certain restrictions in the Evercore LP partnership agreement, exchangeable on a one-for-one basis for shares of Evercore Partners Inc. Class A common stock, subject to customary conversion rate adjustments for stock splits, stock dividends and reclassifications.
- 3. These Evercore LP partnership units are held in trust for the benefit of Mr. Schlosstein's family. Mr. Schlosstein disclaims beneficial ownership of these partnership units, and the filing of this report is not an admission that Mr. Schlosstein is the beneficial owner of these partnership units for the purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.

/s/ Adam B. Frankel, as Attorney-in-fact 05/26/2009

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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 5 (b)(v).
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