

VECTOR GROUP LTD  
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**FORM 4**

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

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
**VECTOR GROUP LTD**  
  
(Last) (First) (Middle)  
  
**100 SE SECOND STREET, 32ND FLOOR**  
  
(Street)  
  
**MIAMI, FL 33131**  
  
(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
**Castle Brands Inc [ROX]**

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
**10/14/2011**

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  
  
(Check all applicable)

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

**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 Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D)	Amount		
				Code	V		
					Price		

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 Derivative Security	2. Conversion or Exercise	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any	4. Transaction Code	5. Number of Derivative Securities	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Am Nur Sha
10% Series A Convertible Preferred Stock	\$ 0.304	10/14/2011	P	217,5397					10/14/2011	<u>(1)</u>	Common Stock	71
Common Stock Purchase Warrants	\$ 0.38	10/14/2011	P	357,796					10/14/2011	10/14/2016	Common Stock	35

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other

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MIAMI, FL 33131

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## Signatures

VECTOR GROUP LTD. BY:/s/ J. Bryant Kirkland III, Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

10/17/2011

\_\_Signature of Reporting Person

Date

## Explanation of Responses:

- \* 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).
- (1) The Series A Convertible Preferred Stock has no expiration date.
- (2) Does not include shares of Common Stock issuable as dividends on the Series A Convertible Preferred Stock upon its conversion or a liquidation of the issuer, which dividends accrue at the rate of 10% per annum.
- (3) The Common Stock Purchase Warrants were issued to the reporting person as part of the purchase of the shares of Series A Convertible Preferred Stock reported in this Form 4.

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