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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting 2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Person * Statement FS Investment Corp III [NONE] **GSO CAPITAL PARTNERS** (Month/Day/Year) LP 04/02/2014 (Last) (First) (Middle) 4. Relationship of Reporting 5. If Amendment, Date Original Person(s) to Issuer Filed(Month/Day/Year) 345 PARK AVENUE,Â (Check all applicable) (Street) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) Director __X__ 10% Owner Form filed by One Reporting Officer Other Person NEW YORK, NYÂ 10154 (give title below) (specify below) _X_ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned 1. Title of Security 2. Amount of Securities 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Beneficially Owned Ownership Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Form: (Instr. 5) Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) See Footnotes (1) (2) (3) (4) (5) (6) Common Stock I 555,556 Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially SEC 1473 (7-02) owned directly or indirectly.

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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)	Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative	5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security:	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
		Title	Security	Direct (D)	

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Date Expiration Amount or or Indirect Exercisable Date Number of (I) Shares (Instr. 5)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships				
1	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other	
GSO CAPITAL PARTNERS LP 345 PARK AVENUE NEW YORK, NY 10154	Â	ÂX	Â	Â	
GSO Advisor Holdings L.L.C. C/O THE BLACKSTONE GROUP L.P. 345 PARK AVENUE NEW YORK, NY 10154	Â	ÂΧ	Â	Â	
Blackstone Holdings I L.P. C/O THE BLACKSTONE GROUP L.P. 345 PARK AVENUE NEW YORK, NY 10154	Â	ÂX	Â	Â	
Blackstone Holdings I/II GP Inc C/O THE BLACKSTONE GROUP L.P. 345 PARK AVENUE NEW YORK, NY 10154	Â	ÂX	Â	Â	
Blackstone Group L.P. 345 PARK AVENUE NEW YORK, NY 10154	Â	ÂX	Â	Â	
Blackstone Group Management L.L.C. C/O THE BLACKSTONE GROUP L.P. 345 PARK AVENUE NEW YORK, NY 10154	Â	ÂX	Â	Â	
Ostrover Douglas I C/O GSO CAPITAL PARTNERS LP 345 PARK AVENUE NEW YORK, NY 10154	Â	ÂX	Â	Â	
Goodman Bennett J C/O GSO CAPITAL PARTNERS LP 345 PARK AVENUE NEW YORK, NY 10154	Â	ÂΧ	Â	Â	
Smith J Albert III C/O GSO CAPITAL PARTNERS LP 345 PARK AVENUE NEW YORK, NY 10154	Â	ÂX	Â	Â	
SCHWARZMAN STEPHEN A C/O THE BLACKSTONE GROUP L.P. 345 PARK AVENUE	Â	ÂX	Â	Â	

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NEW YORK, NYÂ 10154

Signatures

GSO CAPITAL PARTNERS LP, By: /s/ Marisa Beeney, Name: Marisa Beeney, Title: Chief Legal Officer	04/14/2014	
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date	
GSO ADVISOR HOLDINGS L.L.C., By: Blackstone Holdings I L.P., its sole member, By: Blackstone Holdings I/II GP Inc., its general partner, By: /s/ John G. Finley, Name: John G. Finley, Title: Chief Legal Officer	04/14/2014	
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date	
BLACKSTONE HOLDINGS I L.P., By: Blackstone Holdings I/II GP Inc., its general partner, By: /s/ John G. Finley, Name: John G. Finley, Title: Chief Legal Officer	04/14/2014	
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date	
BLACKSTONE HOLDINGS I/II GP INC., By: /s/ John G. Finley, Name: John G. Finley, Title: Chief Legal Officer	04/14/2014	
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date	
THE BLACKSTONE GROUP L.P., By: Blackstone Group Management L.L.C., its general partner, By: /s/ John G. Finley, Name: John G. Finley, Title: Chief Legal Officer		
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date	
BLACKSTONE GROUP MANAGEMENT L.L.C., By: /s/ John G. Finley, Name: John G. Finley, Title: Chief Legal Officer	04/14/2014	
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date	
BENNETT J. GOODMAN, By: /s/ Marisa Beeney, Name: Marisa Beeney, Title: Attorney-in-Fact	04/14/2014	
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date	
J. ALBERT SMITH III, By: /s/ Marisa Beeney, Name: Marisa Beeney, Title: Attorney-in-Fact		
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date	
DOUGLAS I. OSTROVER, By: /s/ Marisa Beeney, Name: Marisa Beeney, Title: Attorney-in-Fact	04/14/2014	
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date	
STEPHEN A. SCHWARZMAN, By: /s/ Stephen A. Schwarzman, Name: Stephen A. Schwarzman		
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date	

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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).
 - Reflects shares of Common Stock, \$0.001 par value per share ("Common Stock") of FS Investment Corporation III (the "Issuer"), in

which GSO FSIC III Holdings LLC holds a direct beneficial interest. GSO Capital Partners LP serves as a managing member of GSO

- (1) FSIC III Holdings LLC. The general partner of GSO Capital Partners LP is GSO Advisor Holdings L.L.C. The managing member of GSO Advisor Holdings L.L.C. is Blackstone Holdings I L.P. Blackstone Holdings I/II GP Inc. is the general partner of Blackstone Holdings I L.P. The Blackstone Group L.P. is the controlling shareholder of Blackstone Holdings I/II GP Inc.
- (2) Blackstone Holdings III L.P. holds 100% of the economic membership interests in GSO FSIC III Holdings LLC.

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The general partner of Blackstone Holdings III L.P. is Blackstone Holdings III GP L.P. The general partner of Blackstone Holdings III GP L.P. is Blackstone Holdings III GP Management L.L.C. The sole member of Blackstone Holdings III GP Management L.L.C. is The Blackstone Group L.P. The general partner of The Blackstone Group L.P. is Blackstone Group Management L.L.C. Blackstone Group Management L.L.C. is wholly-owned by Blackstone's senior managing directors and controlled by its founder, Steven A. Schwarzman. In addition, each of Bennett J. Goodman, J. Albert Smith III and Douglas I. Ostrover may be deemed to have shared investment control with respect to the Common Stock held by GSO FSIC III Holdings LLC.

- (4) Due to the limitations of the Securities and Exchange Commission's EDGAR system, GSO FSIC III Holdings LLC, Blackstone Holdings III L.P., Blackstone Holdings III GP Management L.L.C. are filing a separate Form 3.
- (5) Information with respect to each of the Reporting Persons is given solely by such Reporting Person, and no Reporting Person has responsibility for the accuracy or completeness of information supplied by another Reporting Person.

Each of the Reporting Persons (other than GSO FSIC III Holdings LLC to the extent it directly holds securities reported herein), disclaims beneficial ownership of the securities held by GSO FSIC III Holdings LLC, except to the extent of such Reporting Person's pecuniary interest therein, and, pursuant to Rule 16a-1(a)(4) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, each of the Reporting Persons

(6) (other than GSO FSIC III Holdings LLC to the extent it directly holds securities reported herein) states that the inclusion of these securities in this report shall not be deemed an admission of beneficial ownership of all of the reported securities for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.

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Remarks:

Exhibit 24.1 - Power of Attorney -Bennett J. Goodman Exhibit 24.2 - Power of Attorney - J. Albert Smith III Exhibit 24.3 - Power of Attorney - Douglas I. Ostrover

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