

Hudson Global, Inc.
Form SC 13D/A
July 12, 2012

UNITED STATES
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

SCHEDULE 13D
Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934
(Amendment No. 3)*

Hudson Global, Inc.
(Name of Issuer)

Common Stock, \$0.001 par value
(Title Class of Securities)

443787106
(CUSIP Number)

Dan Friedberg
Sagard Capital Partners, L.P.
325 Greenwich Avenue
Greenwich, CT 06830
(203) 629-6700

(Name, Address and Telephone Number of Person
Authorized to Receive Notices and Communications)

July 10, 2012
(Date of Event which Requires Filing of this Statement)

If the filing person has previously filed a statement on Schedule 13G to report the acquisition that is the subject of this Schedule 13D, and is filing this schedule because of Rule 13d-1(e), 13d-1(f) or 13d-1(g), check the following box [].

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*The remainder of this cover page shall be filled out for a reporting person's initial filing on this form with respect to the subject class of securities, and for any subsequent amendment containing information which would alter disclosures provided in a prior cover page.

The information required on the remainder of this cover page shall not be deemed to be “filed” for the purpose of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (“Act”) or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section of the Act but shall be subject to all other provisions of the Act (however, see the Notes).

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1 NAME OF REPORTING PERSON: Sagard Capital Partners, L.P.

I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NO. OF ABOVE PERSON (Entities Only): 20-3332164

2 CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP

(b)

(a)

3 SEC USE ONLY

4 SOURCE OF FUNDS

WC

5 CHECK BOX IF DISCLOSURE OF LEGAL PROCEEDINGS IS REQUIRED PURSUANT TO ITEMS 2(d) or 2(e)

6 CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION

Delaware

NUMBER OF
SHARES 7

SOLE VOTING POWER

0

BENEFICIALLY
OWNED BY 8

SHARED VOTING POWER

4,153,848

EACH
REPORTING 9

SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER

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PERSON
WITH 10

SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER

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11 AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON

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12 CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (11) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES

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13 PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (11)

12.5%

14 TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON

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1 NAME OF REPORTING PERSON: Sagard Capital Partners GP, Inc.

I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NO. OF ABOVE PERSON (Entities Only): 20-3331555

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1 NAME OF REPORTING PERSON: Sagard Capital Partners Management Corp.

I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NO. OF ABOVE PERSON (Entities Only): 20-2402055

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Item 1. Security and Issuer.

This Amendment No. 3 to Schedule 13D (this "Statement") relates to the beneficial ownership of Common Stock, \$0.001 par value per share (the "Shares") of Hudson Global, Inc., formerly known as Hudson Highland Group, Inc., a Delaware corporation (the "Issuer"). This Statement is being filed on behalf of the Reporting Persons and amends and supplements the Schedule 13D filed by the Reporting Persons dated April 9, 2012, as heretofore amended. Unless otherwise defined, all capitalized terms used herein shall have the respective meanings given such terms in the initial Schedule 13D.

Item 3. Source and Amount of Funds or Other Consideration.

The 507,400 additional Shares (in addition to the 3,646,448 Shares reflected in the initial Schedule 13D and Amendments No. 1 and 2 thereto) reported herein as being currently beneficially owned were acquired via open market purchases.

The aggregate purchase price for the additional Shares reported herein as beneficially owned by the Reporting Persons is \$2,050,426.00. All Shares held by Sagard were acquired with Sagard's working capital.

Item 5. Interest in Securities of the Issuer.

Items 5(a)-(c) are hereby amended and restated in their entirety as follows:

(a) As of July 11, 2012, each Reporting Person beneficially owned 4,153,848 Shares, which represented 12.5% of the outstanding Shares, based upon 33,249,192 Shares outstanding on March 31, 2012, as reflected in the Issuer's Form 10-Q filed May 2, 2012.

In accordance with Securities and Exchange Commission Release No. 34-39538 (January 12, 1998) (the "Release") this filing reflects the securities beneficially owned by PCC and certain of its subsidiaries, including Sagard. The filing does not reflect securities beneficially owned, if any, by any subsidiaries of PCC whose ownership of securities is disaggregated from that of PCC in accordance with the Release

The beneficial ownership reflected in the remainder of this Item 5, and in the cover pages, reflect beneficial ownership as of July 11, 2012.

(b) Sole power to vote or direct the vote: 0

Shared power to vote or direct the vote: 4,153,848

Sole power to dispose or to direct the disposition: 0

Shared power to dispose or direct the disposition: 4,153,848

The power to vote or to direct the vote or to dispose or direct the disposition of the Shares reported herein is shared among the Reporting Persons.

(c) The following transactions have been effected by Sagard over the last 60 days:

Purchases

Trade Date	Price	Quantity
5/14/12	\$4.2226	3,420
5/15/12	\$4.1709	6,200
5/16/12	\$4.1269	8,426
5/17/12	\$4.0865	5,495
5/18/12	\$4.0800	7,500
5/21/12	\$4.1266	2,404
5/22/12	\$4.0393	7,560
5/23/12	\$3.8837	6,015
5/23/12	\$3.8355	5,000
5/24/12	\$3.9891	6,751
5/24/12	\$3.9731	10,000
5/25/12	\$4.0511	2,300
5/29/12	\$4.0562	18,400
5/30/12	\$4.0081	9,000
5/31/12	\$3.9450	7,094
6/1/12	\$3.6933	6,904
6/4/12	\$3.6158	32,260
6/5/12	\$3.8103	5,357
6/6/12	\$3.9480	1,500
6/7/12	\$3.9303	4,928
6/8/12	\$3.8611	2,500
6/19/12	\$3.7222	45,000
6/20/12	\$3.7500	105,000
6/21/12	\$3.5290	5,000
6/22/12	\$3.6923	200,000
6/25/12	\$3.5000	5,000
6/26/12	\$3.5112	25,000
6/27/12	\$3.6000	10,000
7/2/12	\$3.9918	25,000
7/5/12	\$4.1495	100,000
7/6/12	\$4.0625	80,000
7/9/12	\$4.0498	50,000
7/10/12	\$4.0250	100,000
7/11/12	\$3.9500	112,400

Note: Purchases of Shares from May 14, 2012 through June 22, 2012 reflected in the preceding table have previously been reflected in Amendment No. 2 to Schedule 13D.

SIGNATURE

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, I certify that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

Date: July 12, 2012

SAGARD CAPITAL PARTNERS, L.P.

By: Sagard Capital Partners GP, Inc., its general partner

By: /s/ Dan Friedberg
Name: Dan Friedberg
Title: President

SAGARD CAPITAL PARTNERS GP, INC.

By: /s/ Dan Friedberg
Name: Dan Friedberg
Title: President

SAGARD CAPITAL PARTNERS MANAGEMENT
CORP.

By: /s/ Dan Friedberg
Name: Dan Friedberg
Title: President