BEAR STEARNS COMPANIES INC Form SC 13D/A November 14, 2001

> SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

> > SCHEDULE 13D (Rule 13d-101)

INFORMATION TO BE INCLUDED IN STATEMENTS FILED PURSUANT TO RULE 13d-1(a) AND AMENDMENTS THERETO FILED PURSUANT TO RULE 13d-2(a)

(Amendment No.)(3)

The Carbide/Graphite Group, Inc.

(Name of Issuer)

Common Stock

(Title of Class of Securities)

140777103

(CUSIP Number)

Allen B. Holeman, Bear, Stearns & Co. Inc. 115 South Jefferson Road, Whippany, NJ 07981 (973) 793-2202

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

> > November 06, 2001

(Date of Event which Requires Filing of This Statement)

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Schedule 13D Amendment No. 3						

This statement constitutes Amendment No. 3 to the statement on Schedule 13D (the "Schedule 13D") filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission by Bear, Stearns & Co. Inc. ("Bear Stearns") with respect to its ownership of the Common Stock of The Carbide/Graphite Group, Inc. (the "Issuer").

Item 3: Source and Amount of Funds or Other Consideration

Not applicable

Item 5: Interest in Securities of the Issuer (as of 11/06/01)

(a) The responses of Bear Stearns to Rows (11) through (13) of the cover page of this Amendment No. 3 to Schedule 13D are

incorporated herein by reference. To the best of Bear Stearns' knowledge, none of its executive officers or directors beneficially own any Common Stock of the Issuer.

- (b) The responses of Bear Stearns to Rows (7) through (10) of the cover page of this Amendment No. 3 to Schedule 13D are incorporated herein by reference.
- (c) Since the date of its initial filing on Schedule 13D, Bear Stearns has effected transactions in the Common Stock of the Issuer. Information concerning transactions in the Common Stock effected by Bear Stearns is set forth on Appendix I.
- (d) Not Applicable.
- (e) As of November 06, 2001, Bear Stearns ceased to be the beneficial owner of more than five percent of Carbide/Graphite Group, Inc. Common Stock since the date of its original filings.

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**Bear Stearns & Co. is a subsidiary of The Bear Stearns Companies Inc.

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.

November 13, 2001

(Date)

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(Signature)

Aldo Parcesepe/Senior Managing Director (Name/Title)

APPENDIX I

The Carbide/Graphite Group Inc.

Trading from 9/21/01 through 11/06/01 (Various Firm Accounts)

***** 11/06 ***** 874,952- CARBIDE/GRAPHITE GROUP INC ***** 11/02 *****

48- CARBIDE/GRAPHITE GROUP INC

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