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

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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| Name and Address of Reporting Person *         |   |       |                                      | 2.            |  |          |                                   |   |  |                                       |   | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) |   |   |  |                         |
|--|---|-------|--------------------------------------|---------------|--|----------|-----------------------------------|---|--|---------------------------------------|---|---|---|---|--|-------------------------|
| Vector Acquisition Partners, L.P.              |   |       |                                      | R             | Rocket Lab USA, Inc. [ RKLB ]                            |          |                                   |   |  |                                       |   |   |   |   |  |                         |
| (Last)   | (First)   | ) (Mi | iddle)                               | 3.            | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (MM/DD/YYYY)             |          |                                   | Director Officer (gi                    | DirectorX 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) |                                       |   |   |   |   |  |                         |
| ONE MARKET STREET, 23RD<br>FLOOR,              |   |       |                                      | 8/25/2021     |  |          |                                   |   |  |                                       |   |   |   |   |  |                         |
| -  | (Stre   | et)   |                                      | 4.            | If An  | nendme   | nt, Date O                        | rigin                                   | al File  | ed (MM/D                              | D/YYY   | YY) 6. Individual   | or Joint/G  | roup Filing   | (Check Appl  | icable Line)            |
| SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94105 (City) (State) (Zip)   |   |       |                                      |               |  |          |                                   |   |  | Form filed by X Form filed            | Form filed by One Reporting Person X Form filed by More than One Reporting Person |   |   |   |  |                         |
|  |   |       | Table I                              | - Non-Do      | erivat   | ive Secu | ırities Acc                       | quire                                   | ed, Di   | sposed o                              | f, or   | Beneficially Own  | ed  |   |  |                         |
| 1.Title of Security<br>(Instr. 3)              |   |       | 2                                    | t. Trans. Dat | Execu  |          | 3. Trans. Co<br>(Instr. 8)        |   | or Disp  | oosed of (D)<br>3, 4 and 5)<br>(A) or |   | 5. Amount of Securii<br>Following Reported<br>(Instr. 3 and 4)          |   |   | Ownership<br>Form:   | Beneficial<br>Ownership |
|  |   |       |                                      |               |  |          |                                   |   |  |                                       |   | ts, options, conve  |   | ı   | ı  |                         |
| 1. Title of Derivate<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2.<br>Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative | Date  | 3A. Deem<br>Execution<br>Date, if ar | (Instr. 8     | s. Code 5. Number Derivativ Acquired Disposed (Instr. 3, |          | re Securities<br>(A) or<br>of (D) | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date |  | Securi<br>Deriva                      | e and Amount of<br>ities Underlying<br>ative Security<br>3 and 4)                 | Derivative  | derivative<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned | Ownership<br>Form of<br>Derivative<br>Security:       | 11. Nature<br>of Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |                         |
|  | Security  |       |                                      | Code          | V  | (A)      | (D)                               | Date<br>Exerc                           | cisable  | Expiration<br>Date                    |   | Amount or Number of<br>Shares   |   | Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 4) | Direct (D)<br>or Indirect<br>(I) (Instr.<br>4)                     |                         |

#### **Explanation of Responses:**

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1. In connection with the consummation of the transactions contemplated by the Agreement and Plan of Merger, dated March 1, 2021, by and among Vector Acquisition Corporation, Rocket Lab USA, Inc. and Prestige USA Merger Sub, as amended to the date hereof, Vector Acquisition Partners, L.P., and its general partner, Vector Capital Partners V, Ltd., ceased to be insiders of the issuer. 2. This Form 4 was previously filed on August 27, 2021 under the wrong CIK# and is being resubmitted under the correct CIK#.

#### **Reporting Owners**

| Reporting Owner Name / Address    | Relationships |           |         |       |  |  |  |  |
|-----------------------------------|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|--|--|--|--|
| Reporting Owner Name / Address    | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |  |  |  |  |
| Vector Acquisition Partners, L.P. |               |           |         |       |  |  |  |  |
| ONE MARKET STREET, 23RD FLOOR     |               | X         |         |       |  |  |  |  |
| SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94105           |               |           |         |       |  |  |  |  |
| Vector Capital Partners V, Ltd    |               |           |         |       |  |  |  |  |
| ONE MARKET STREET, 23RD FL.       |               | X         |         |       |  |  |  |  |
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| SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94105           |               |           |         |       |  |  |  |  |

### Signatures

| /s/ See signatures included in Exhibit 99.1 | 8/27/2021 |
|---|-----------|
| **Signature of Reporting Person             | Date      |
| /s/ See signatures included in Exhibit 99.1 | 8/27/2021 |
| **Signature of Deporting 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 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).

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This Statement on Form 4 is filed jointly by Vector Acquisition Partners, L.P. and Vector Capital Partners V, Ltd. The principal business address of each of these reporting persons is One Market Street, Steuart Tower, 23rd Floor, San Francisco, CA 94105.

Name of Designated Filer: Vector Acquisition Partners, L.P.

Date of Event Requiring Statement: August 25, 2021

Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol: ROCKET LAB USA, INC. (NASDAQ: RKLB)

VECTOR ACQUISITION PARTNERS, L.P.

By: Vector Capital Partners V, Ltd.,

its general partner

By: /s/ David Baylor

Name: David Baylor

Title: Authorized Signatory

VECTOR CAPITAL PARTNERS V, LTD.

By: /s/ David Baylor

Name: David Baylor

Title: Authorized Signatory