SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

SCHEDULE 13G

UNDER THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

(Amendment No. 4)*

Stellus Private Credit BDC

(Name of Issuer)

Common Stock, par value $0.01 per share

(Title of Class of Securities)

(CUSIP Number)

09/30/2026

(Date of Event Which Requires Filing of this Statement)

Check the appropriate box to designate the rule pursuant to which this Schedule is filed:

- ☑ Rule 13d-1(b)
- ☐ Rule 13d-1(c)
- ☐ Rule 13d-1(d)

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1	Names of Reporting Persons Cliffwater Corporate Lending Fund
2	Check the appropriate box if a member of a Group (see instructions) ☐ (a) ☐ (b)
3	Sec Use Only
4	Citizenship or Place of Organization DELAWARE

Number of Shares Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person With:	5	Sole Voting Power 0.00
	6	Shared Voting Power 707,854.00
	7	Sole Dispositive Power 0.00
	8	Shared Dispositive Power 2,351,722.00
9		Aggregate Amount Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person 2,351,722.00
10		Check box if the aggregate amount in row (9) excludes certain shares (See Instructions) ☐
11		Percent of class represented by amount in row (9) 16.6 %
12		Type of Reporting Person (See Instructions) IV

Comment for Type of Reporting Person: * The reporting person has agreed to waive voting power with respect to all shares held by it in excess of five percent of the class.

SCHEDULE 13G

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1		Names of Reporting Persons Cliffwater Enhanced Lending Fund
2		Check the appropriate box if a member of a Group (see instructions) ☐ (a) ☐ (b)
3		Sec Use Only
4		Citizenship or Place of Organization DELAWARE
Number of Shares Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person With:	5	Sole Voting Power 0.00
	6	Shared Voting Power 707,854.00
	7	Sole Dispositive Power 0.00
	8	Shared Dispositive Power 1,175,861.00
9		Aggregate Amount Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person 1,175,861.00

10	Check box if the aggregate amount in row (9) excludes certain shares (See Instructions)	☐
11	Percent of class represented by amount in row (9)	8.3 %
12	Type of Reporting Person (See Instructions)	IV

Comment for Type of Reporting Person: * The reporting person has agreed to waive voting power with respect to all shares held by it in excess of five percent of the class.

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1	Names of Reporting Persons	New York State Nurses Association Pension Plan
2	Check the appropriate box if a member of a Group (see instructions)	☐ (a) ☐ (b)
3	Sec Use Only	
4	Citizenship or Place of Organization	NEW YORK
Number of Shares Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person With:	5 Sole Voting Power	0.00
	6 Shared Voting Power	1,414,803.00
	7 Sole Dispositive Power	0.00
	8 Shared Dispositive Power	1,414,803.00
9	Aggregate Amount Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person	1,414,803.00
10	Check box if the aggregate amount in row (9) excludes certain shares (See Instructions)	☐
11	Percent of class represented by amount in row (9)	10.0 %
12	Type of Reporting Person (See Instructions)	EP

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1	Names of Reporting Persons Cliffwater LLC	
2	Check the appropriate box if a member of a Group (see instructions) ☐ (a) ☐ (b)	
3	Sec Use Only	
4	Citizenship or Place of Organization DELAWARE	
Number of Shares Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person With:	5 Sole Voting Power 0.00	
	6 Shared Voting Power 2,830,512.00	
	7 Sole Dispositive Power 0.00	
	8 Shared Dispositive Power 4,942,386.00	
9	Aggregate Amount Beneficially Owned by Each Reporting Person 4,942,386.00	
10	Check box if the aggregate amount in row (9) excludes certain shares (See Instructions) ☐	
11	Percent of class represented by amount in row (9) 34.8 %	
12	Type of Reporting Person (See Instructions) IA	

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Item 1.

(a) Name of issuer:

Stellus Private Credit BDC

(b) Address of issuer's principal executive offices:

4400 Post Oak Parkway, Suite 2200, Houston, TX 77027

Item 2.

(a) Name of person filing:

This Schedule 13G is being filed on behalf of the following: (i) Cliffwater Corporate Lending Fund, a Delaware statutory trust ("CCLF"); (ii) Cliffwater Enhanced Lending Fund, a Delaware statutory trust ("CELF"); (iii) New York State Nurses Pension Plan (the "Pension Plan"); and (iv) Cliffwater LLC, a Delaware limited liability company (the "Adviser"). CCLF, CELF, the Pension Plan, and the Adviser are collectively referred to as the "Reporting Persons." The Adviser is the investment adviser of CCLF, CELF, and the Pension Plan. The reporting persons are reporting indirect beneficial ownership of the Issuer's Common Shares as a result of their investment in Stellus Private Credit BDC Feeder LP.

(b) Address or principal business office or, if none, residence:

c/o UMB Fund Services, Inc., 235 West Galena Street, Milwaukee, WI 53212

(c) Citizenship:

See Item 2(a)

(d) Title of class of securities:

Common Stock, par value $0.01 per share

(e) CUSIP No.:

Item 3. If this statement is filed pursuant to §§ 240.13d-1(b) or 240.13d-2(b) or (c), check whether the person filing is a:

(a) ☐ Broker or dealer registered under section 15 of the Act (15 U.S.C. 78o);

(b) ☐ Bank as defined in section 3(a)(6) of the Act (15 U.S.C. 78c);

(c) ☐ Insurance company as defined in section 3(a)(19) of the Act (15 U.S.C. 78c);

(d) ☑ Investment company registered under section 8 of the Investment Company Act of 1940 (15 U.S.C. 80a-8);

(e) ☑ An investment adviser in accordance with § 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(E);

(f) ☑ An employee benefit plan or endowment fund in accordance with § 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(F);

(g) ☐ A parent holding company or control person in accordance with § 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(G);

(h) ☐ A savings associations as defined in Section 3(b) of the Federal Deposit Insurance Act (12 U.S.C. 1813);

(i) ☐ A church plan that is excluded from the definition of an investment company under section 3(c)(14) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 (15 U.S.C. 80a-3);

(j) ☐ A non-U.S. institution in accordance with § 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(J). If filing as a non-U.S. institution in accordance with § 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(J),
please specify the type of institution:

(k) ☐ Group, in accordance with Rule 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(K).

Item 4. Ownership

(a) Amount beneficially owned:

The information contained in Rows 5-11 of the respective cover pages of the filing persons is incorporated herein by reference for Item 4. CCLF and CELF have waived voting power with respect to any common shares beneficially owned by them in excess of five percent of the class.

(b) Percent of class:

See Item 4(a) %

(c) Number of shares as to which the person has:

(i) Sole power to vote or to direct the vote:

See Item 4(a)

(ii) Shared power to vote or to direct the vote:

See Item 4(a)

(iii) Sole power to dispose or to direct the disposition of:

See Item 4(a)

(iv) Shared power to dispose or to direct the disposition of:

See Item 4(a)

Item 5. Ownership of 5 Percent or Less of a Class.

Item 6. Ownership of more than 5 Percent on Behalf of Another Person.

Not Applicable

Item 7. Identification and Classification of the Subsidiary Which Acquired the Security Being Reported on by the Parent Holding Company or Control Person.

Not Applicable

Item 8. Identification and Classification of Members of the Group.

Not Applicable

Item 9. Notice of Dissolution of Group.

Not Applicable

Item 10. Certifications:

By signing below I certify that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the securities referred to above were acquired and are held in the ordinary course of business and were not acquired and are not held for the purpose of or with the effect of changing or influencing the control of the issuer of the securities and were not acquired and are not held in connection with or as a participant in any transaction having that purpose or effect, other than activities solely in connection with a nomination under § 240.14a-11.

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.

Cliffwater Corporate Lending Fund

Signature: /s/ Stephen Nesbitt
Name/Title: Stephen Nesbitt/Chief Executive Officer of Cliffwater LLC
Date: 11/13/2026

Cliffwater Enhanced Lending Fund

Signature: /s/ Stephen Nesbitt
Name/Title: Stephen Nesbitt/Chief Executive Officer of Cliffwater LLC
Date: 11/13/2026

New York State Nurses Association Pension Plan

Signature: /s/ Stephen Nesbitt
Name/Title: Stephen Nesbitt/Chief Executive Officer of Cliffwater LLC
Date: 11/13/2026

Cliffwater LLC

Signature: /s/ Stephen Nesbitt
Name/Title: Stephen Nesbitt/Chief Executive Officer
Date: 11/13/2026