MARTIN MIDSTREAM PARTNERS LP Form 8-K November 06, 2007

# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549 FORM 8-K CURRENT REPORT

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d)

of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of report (date of earliest event reported): November 6, 2007 MARTIN MIDSTREAM PARTNERS L.P.

(Exact name of Registrant as specified in its charter)

DELAWARE 000-50056 05-0527861

(State of incorporation or organization)

(Commission file number)

(I.R.S. employer identification number)

4200 STONE ROAD KILGORE, TEXAS

75662

(Address of principal executive offices)

(Zip code)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code: (903) 983-6200 (Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions (*see* General Instruction A.2. below):

- o Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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- o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

#### Item 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On November 6, 2007, Martin Midstream Partners L.P. (the Partnership ) issued a press release reporting its financial results for the third quarter ended September 30, 2007.

A copy of the press release is furnished as Exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report and will be published on the Partnership s website at www.martinmidstream.com. In accordance with General Instruction B.2 of Form 8-K, the information set forth herein and in the press release is deemed to be furnished and shall not be deemed to be filed for purposes of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the Exchange Act ).

As previously reported, on November 7, 2007, at 8:30 a.m. Central Time, the Partnership will hold an investors conference call to discuss the Partnership s financial results for the third quarter ended September 30, 2007. The supplemental financial data, including certain non-generally accepted accounting principle financial measures, that will be discussed during the investors conference call is included in the above referenced press release.

# Item 5.02 Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.

On November 1, 2007 Martin Midstream GP LLC, the Partnership s general partner, appointed Mr. Randall L. Tauscher, age 42, as Executive Vice President with responsibilities for the Partnership s sulfur segment. Prior to joining the Partnership s general partner, Mr. Tauscher was employed by Koch Industries for over 18 years, most recently holding the office of Senior Vice President of the Koch Carbon Division. Mr. Tauscher s responsibilities at Koch Industries included overseeing the supply and trading of petroleum coke, sulfur, and ocean freight. Mr. Tauscher holds a Bachelor of Business Administration degree from Kansas State University.

There are no family relationships between Mr. Tauscher and any director or executive officer of the Partnership which would require disclosure under Item 401(d) of Regulation S-K and no transactions between Mr. Tauscher or any of his immediate family members and the Partnership which would require disclosure under Item 404(a) of Regulation S-K.

There is no arrangement or understanding between Mr. Tauscher and any other persons pursuant to which he was appointed Executive Vice President.

Mr. Tauscher has not entered into an employment agreement with Martin Midstream GP LLC. The compensation costs associated with the services provided by Mr. Tauscher will be allocated to the Partnership in accordance with the Partnership s omnibus agreement with Martin Resource Management Corporation. For a discussion of the omnibus agreement and the allocation of compensation expenses, please see Item 13. Certain Relationships and Related Transactions Agreements and Item 11. Executive Compensation in the Partnership s annual report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2006 filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on March 5, 2007.

#### Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

#### (d) Exhibits

In accordance with General Instruction B.2 of Form 8-K, the information set forth in the attached Exhibit 99.1 is deemed to be furnished and shall not be deemed to be filed for purposes of the Exchange Act.

Exhibit

Number Description

99.1 Press release dated November 6, 2007.

#### **SIGNATURES**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

MARTIN MIDSTREAM PARTNERS L.P.

By: Martin Midstream GP LLC,

Its General Partner

Date: November 6, 2007 By: /s/ Robert D. Bondurant

Robert D. Bondurant,

Executive Vice President and

Chief Financial Officer

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