MARTIN MIDSTREAM PARTNERS LP Form 8-K January 28, 2009

# 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): January 27, 2009

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)
- o Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
- 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 7.01. Regulation FD Disclosure.

On January 27, 2009, Martin Midstream Partners L.P. (the Partnership) issued a press release announcing that on February 13, 2009 it will pay a quarterly distribution of \$0.75 per unit to its common and subordinated unitholders of record as of the close of business on February 6, 2009. A copy of the press release is furnished as an exhibit to this Current Report.

In accordance with General Instruction B.2 of Form 8-K, the information set forth in this Item 7.01 and in the attached exhibit shall be deemed to be furnished and not be deemed to be filed for purposes of the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the Exchange Act ).

#### 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 is deemed to be furnished and not deemed to be filed for purposes of the Exchange Act.

**EXHIBIT** 

NUMBER DESCRIPTION

99.1 Press release dated January 27, 2009.

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## **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: January 27, 2009 By: /s/ Robert D. Bondurant

Robert D. Bondurant,

Executive Vice President and

Chief Financial Officer

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