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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Add Neafsey John P.			me and Tic source Par		Po	6. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)							
(Last) (First) (Middle)				rting	ntification I Person, voluntary)	Numbe		statement for nth/Day/Year /03	10	X Director			
(Street) Tulsa, OK 74119							Dat (Mo	f Amendment, e of Original onth/Day/Year)	(() X Pe				
(City)		(Zip)	1	able				urities Acquired,	Dispose				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/ Year)	3. Transaction Code	ode	4. Securitie (A) or Disp (Instr. 3, 4 Amount	posed o		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transactions(s)			7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
Common Unit								(Instr. 3 & 4)	10,000	D			

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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FORM 4 (continued) Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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1. Title o	of 2. Conver-	3.	3A.	4.	5.	6. Date Exercisable	7. Title and	8. Price of	9. Number of	10.	11. Nature		
Derivati	e sion or	Trans-	Deemed	Trans-	Number	and Expiration	Amount of	Derivative	Derivative	Owner-	of Indirect		
Security	Exercise	action	Execution	action	of	Date	Underlying	Security	Securities	ship	Beneficial		
	Price of	Date	Date,	Code	Derivati	(Month/Day/	Securities	(Instr. 5)	Beneficially	Form	Ownership		
(Instr. 3)	Derivative		if any		Securitie	Y ear)	(Instr. 3 & 4)		Owned	of Deriv-	(Instr. 4)		
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		Day/	Day/	8)	(A) or				Reported	Security:			
		Year)	Year)		Dispose	į į			Transaction(s)	Direct			
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						D) rr. &					,	(D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	
			Code	V	(A)		Exer-cisable	Expira- tion Date		Amount or Number of Shares			
Restricted unit	1 for 1						(1)	_	Common Unit		7,000	D	
Phantom unit	1 for 1	4/1/03	A		240		(2)	_	Common Unit	240	3,969	D	
Restricted unit	1 for 1						(3)	_	Common Unit		2,500	D	

Explanation of Responses:

(3) The Restricted units will vest on September 30, 2005 provided that the issuer meets certain financial tests and the subordination period described in the Agreement of Limited Partnership ends. Once vested the restricted units are to be settled in either cash or ARLP common units, at the election of the Compensation Committee.

By: /s/ John P. Neafsey

April 1, 2003

Date

**Signature of Reporting Person

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If space is insufficient, See Instruction 6 for procedure.

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⁽¹⁾ The Restricted units will vest when the issuer meets certain financial test described in the Agreement of Limited Partnership of the Issuer which would typically be no earlier than September 30, 2004. Once vested the restricted units are to be settled in either cash or ARLP common units, at the election of the Compensation Committee.

⁽²⁾ The Phantom units are to be settled in either cash or ARLP common units, at the election of the Compensation Committee, upon the reporting person's death or termination.

^{**}Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).