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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

See Instruction

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Atlas Resource Partners L.P. [ARP]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)			
(Month/Day/Year) 04/03/2013	_X_ Director10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)			
4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acq	Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned			
S 3 0 4	Atlas Resource Partners, L.P. [ARP] De Date of Earliest Transaction Month/Day/Year) 04/03/2013 De If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)			

(City)	(State) (2	Table	I - Non-De	erivative S	ecurit	ies Ac	quired, Disposed (of, or Beneficia	lly Owned
1.Title of	2. Transaction Date	2A. Deemed	3.	4. Securit	ies		5. Amount of	6. Ownership	7. Nature of
Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transactio	nAcquired	(A) or	r	Securities	Form: Direct	Indirect
(Instr. 3)		any	Code	Disposed of (D)		Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial	
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3,	4 and :	5)	Owned	Indirect (I)	Ownership
							Following	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)
					(1)		Reported		
					(A)		Transaction(s)		
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Units	04/03/2013		M	217	A	<u>(1)</u>	10,702	D	

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

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transact Code (Instr. 8)	5. NumliorDerivati Securiti Acquire or Dispo (D) (Instr. 3 and 5)	ve es d (A) osed of	6. Date Exer Expiration E (Month/Day	ate	7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Securities	8. Pr Deri Secu (Inst
				Code V	' (A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Phantom Units	(1)	04/03/2013		M		217	<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Common Units	217	
Phantom Units	(1)	04/03/2013		A	1,035		(2)	(2)	Common Units	1,035	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
• 0	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Wolf Bruce M 1845 WALNUT STREET 10TH FLOOR PHILADELPHIA, PA 19103	X						

Signatures

Lisa Washington, Attorney-In-Fact 04/05/2013

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * 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).
- The reporting person is a participant in the Atlas Resource Partners, L.P. (the "Partnership") 2012 Long-Term Incentive Plan (the "Plan").

 The reporting person received 869 phantom units under the Plan on April 3, 2012. Each phantom unit represents the right to receive, upon vesting, either one common unit of limited partner interest of the Partnership or its then fair market value in cash. The phantom units vest 25% per year. The reporting person elected to receive common units of the Partnership in connection with the vesting.
- The reporting person received 1,035 phantom units under the Plan on April 3, 2013. Each phantom unit represents the right to receive, upon vesting, either one common unit of limited partner interest of the Partnership or its then fair market value in cash. The phantom units vest 25% per year.

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