

STONEMOR PARTNERS LP  
Form 4  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
SHANE WILLIAM ROBERT

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
STONEMOR PARTNERS LP  
[STON]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
04/01/2016

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)

C/O STONEMOR PARTNERS L.P., 3600 HORIZON BOULEVARD

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

TREVOSE, PA 19053

(City) (State) (Zip)

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount (A) or (D)	Price	
Common units representing limited partner interests	04/01/2016		P <sup>(1)</sup>		122	A \$ 24.3 <sup>(2)</sup>	38,266 D
Common units representing limited	04/04/2016		P <sup>(1)</sup>		81	A \$ 24.44 <sup>(3)</sup>	38,347 D

partner  
interests

Common  
Units  
representing  
limited  
partner  
interests

64,167 I

By Ten  
Twenty, LP  
(4)

Common  
Units  
representing  
limited  
partner  
interests

28,500 I

By Osiris  
Investments,  
LP (5)

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)

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price or Value of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Restricted Phantom Units	<u>(6)</u>	04/01/2016		A	2,050	<u>(7)</u>	<u>(7)</u>	common units	2,050

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
SHANE WILLIAM ROBERT C/O STONEMOR PARTNERS L.P. 3600 HORIZON BOULEVARD	X			

TREVOSE, PA 19053

## Signatures

/s/ Shirley Herman,  
Attorney-in-Fact

04/05/2016

\_\_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).
- (1) The purchases reported in this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on August 13, 2015.
- (2) The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. The common units were purchased in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$24.30-24.32 inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide to StoneMor Partners L.P., any holder of common units of StoneMor Partners L.P., or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of common units purchased at each separate price within the range set forth in this footnote (2) to this Form 4.
- (3) The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. The common units were purchased in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$24.28-24.44 inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide to StoneMor Partners L.P., any holder of common units of StoneMor Partners L.P., or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of common units purchased at each separate price within the range set forth in this footnote (3) to this Form 4.
- (4) The reporting person is a general partner of Ten Twenty, LP.
- (5) The general partner of Osiris Investments, LP is Osiris Investments LLC. Lawrence Miller and William R. Shane are each a 50% member of Osiris Investments LLC and share investment and voting power over the securities held by Osiris Investments, LP. Mr. Miller and Mr. Shane file separate Section 16 reports.
- (6) Each restricted phantom unit representing limited partner interests is the economic equivalent of one common unit representing limited partner interests. Restricted phantom units become payable, in cash or common units, at the election of the issuer, upon the separation of the reporting person from service or upon the occurrence of certain other events specified in Section 409A of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended.
- (7) See footnote 6.
- (8) Represents restricted phantom units allocated to the reporting person's deferred compensation account, including distribution equivalent rights that accrued under StoneMor Partners L.P. 2014 Long-Term Incentive Plan and under StoneMor Partners L.P. Long-Term Incentive Plan, as amended, credited to such person's deferred compensation account in the form of phantom units and accrued on all phantom units allocated or credited to such account.

### Remarks:

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