

FERRELLGAS PARTNERS L P  
Form 3  
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**INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *			2. Date of Event Requiring Statement		3. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol	
Â FERRELL COMPANIES INC			(Month/Day/Year)		FERRELLGAS PARTNERS L P [FGP]	
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	08/01/1999		4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer	
7500 COLLEGE BOULEVARD,Â SUITE 1000					5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	
(Street)					(Check all applicable)	
OVERLAND PARK,Â KSÂ 66210					6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)	
(City)	(State)	(Zip)			___ Form filed by One Reporting Person	
					_X_ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person	

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
Common Units	17,803,883 <u>(1)</u> <u>(2)</u>	D	Â
Common Units	11,087 <u>(1)</u> <u>(2)</u>	I	By Subsidiaries

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

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**Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)**

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	4. Conversion or Exercise Price of	5. Ownership Form of Derivative	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
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Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Derivative Security	Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)
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## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
FERRELL COMPANIES INC 7500 COLLEGE BOULEVARD SUITE 1000 OVERLAND PARK, KS 66210	^	^ X	^	^
FERRELL COS INC EMPLOYEE STOCK OWNERSHIP TRUST 7500 COLLEGE BOULEVARD SUITE 1000 OVERLAND PARK, KS 66210	^	^ X	^	^

## Signatures

/s/ Kevin T. Kelly		10/04/2006
	**Signature of Reporting Person	Date
/s/ Kevin B. Kolb, on behalf of the Ferrell Companies, Inc. Employee Stock Ownership Plan		10/04/2006
	**Signature of Reporting Person	Date

## Explanation of Responses:

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(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) Owned by Ferrell Companies, Inc.
- (2) Owned indirectly by Ferrell Companies, Inc. Employee Stock Ownership Plan, which owns 100% of the Common Stock of Ferrell Companies, Inc.

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