

MAGELLAN MIDSTREAM PARTNERS LP  
 Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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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 \*  
**MEARS MICHAEL N**

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
**ONE WILLIAMS CENTER**  
 (Street)

**TULSA, OK 74172**

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
**MAGELLAN MIDSTREAM PARTNERS LP [MMP]**

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
**01/21/2010**

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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**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)
				(A) or (D)	Price		
Common Units	01/21/2010		M	9,435	\$ 43.33	A	D
Common Units	01/21/2010		F	3,149	\$ 43.33	D	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)

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)	Amount or Number of Shares	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	
Phantom Units	(1)	01/21/2010		A	3,718	12/31/2009	12/31/2009	Common Units	3,718 (2)
Phantom Units	(1)	01/21/2010		A	1,489	12/31/2009	12/31/2009	Common Units	1,489 (4)
Phantom Units	(1)	01/21/2010		M	9,435	01/21/2010	01/21/2010	Common Units	9,435

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
MEARS MICHAEL N ONE WILLIAMS CENTER TULSA, OK 74172			Chief Operating Officer	

## Signatures

Michael N. Mears  
01/25/2010

\_\_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) One-for-one.
- (2) Number of common units may increase or decrease on the vesting date by 20% due to personal performance during the period January 1, 2007 through December 31, 2009.
- (3) Not applicable.
- (4) Mr. Mears' 2007 Long Term Incentive Plan award (the "2007 award") vested on December 31, 2009. On January 21, 2010, the compensation committee of our general partner's board of directors adjusted Mr. Mears' 2007 award by increasing it 20% due to his personal performance during the period January 1, 2007 through December 31, 2009.

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