

JOLAS PAUL M
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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 *
JOLAS PAUL M

(Last) (First) (Middle)
2001 BRYAN STREET, SUITE 3700
(Street)

DALLAS, TX 75201

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
Regency Energy Partners LP [RGP]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
05/16/2012

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)
EVP Chief Legal Officer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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 Indirect Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D) Price			
Common Units ⁽¹⁾	05/16/2012		M	12,467	A (3) 19,256	D	
Common Units	05/16/2012		F	3,949	D \$ 22.31 15,307	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)			
						Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
						Code	V	(A)	(D)	
Phantom Units ⁽²⁾	⁽³⁾	05/16/2012		M	12,467	05/16/2012	05/16/2012	Common Units ⁽³⁾	12,467	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
JOLAS PAUL M 2001 BRYAN STREET SUITE 3700 DALLAS, TX 75201			EVP Chief Legal Officer	

Signatures

/s/ Paul M. Jolas 05/18/2012

 Signature of Date
Reporting Person

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 holder settled all of his 12,467 vested phantom units for RGP common units on the date of vesting.
On May 16, 2012, in connection with Mr. Jolas's resignation from the Partnership, Regency GP LLC, the General Partner of Regency Energy Partners LP, accelerated the vesting requirement at the 100% target level with respect to 10,200 performance-based phantom units granted to Mr. Jolas on May 7, 2010. On May 16, 2012, Regency GP LLC also accelerated the vesting requirement with respect to 2,267 time-based phantom units granted to Mr. Jolas on May 7, 2010, which grant was previously disclosed on a Form 4 filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on May 11, 2010.
- (3) Each Phantom Unit is the economic equivalent of one common unit representing a limited partner interest in Regency Energy Partners LP.

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