Wellenbach Patricia D Form 4 March 04, 2019

FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Wellenbach Patricia D

(First)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

Issuer

STONEMOR PARTNERS LP

(Check all applicable)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

[STON]

(Middle)

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

02/28/2019

X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify

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)

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

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 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

Reported

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

(A)

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price

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. Number of or 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)	
				Code V	(A) (D) Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount Number Shares
Restricted Phantom Units	<u>(1)</u> <u>(2)</u>	02/28/2019		A	2,192.9825	(1)(2)	(1)(2)	Common Units	2,192.9 (3)
Restricted Phantom Units	<u>(1)</u> <u>(2)</u>	02/28/2019		A	1,225.4902	(1)(2)	(1)(2)	Common Units	1,225.4 (6)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
1	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Wellenbach Patricia D C/O STONEMOR PARTNERS L.P. 3600 HORIZON BOULEVARD TREVOSE, PA 19053	X					

Signatures

/s/ Shirley Herman, Attorney-in-Fact 03/04/2019

**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).
- On February 28, 2019, the restricted phantom units were credited to the reporting person's deferred compensation account in lieu of payment to the reporting person of a portion of her annual director's retainer fee. This crediting was delayed by the Compensation
- (1) Committee's exercise of its discretion to defer such crediting because the issuer's Registration Statement on Form S-8 covering the issuance of the distribution equivalent rights was not available due to the issuer's failure to file certain reports required to be filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission.
- (Continued from footnote 1) 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 as a director or upon the occurrence of certain other events specified in Section 409A of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended.
- (3) The reporting person received these restricted phantom units pursuant to the StoneMor Partners L.P. 2014 Long-Term Incentive Plan in lieu of payment to the reporting person of \$10,000 which represents a portion of her annual director's retainer fee.
- Reflects the closing price of the issuer's common units as reported by the New York Stock Exchange on the trading day immediately preceding the date on which the restricted phantom units would have been credited to the reporting person's deferred compensation account had the Compensation Committee not elected to exercise its discretion to defer such crediting.
- (5) 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

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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.

The reporting person received these restricted phantom units pursuant to the StoneMor Partners L.P. 2014 Long-Term Incentive Plan in lieu of payment to the reporting person of \$5,000 which represents a portion of her annual director's retainer fee.

Remarks:

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