

BUCKEYE PARTNERS, L.P.  
Form 8-K  
June 12, 2013

**UNITED STATES**  
**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

WASHINGTON, DC 20549

**FORM 8-K**

**CURRENT REPORT**

**PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF**

**THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934**

**Date of report (Date of earliest event reported): June 10, 2013**

**Buckeye Partners, L.P.**

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

**Delaware**  
(State or Other Jurisdiction  
  
of Incorporation)

**1-9356**  
(Commission  
  
File Number)

**23-2432497**  
(I.R.S. Employer  
  
Identification No.)

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**One Greenway Plaza**  
**Suite 600**  
**Houston, TX** **77046**  
(Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)  
**Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (832) 615-8600**

**Not Applicable**

**(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)**

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions (*see* General Instruction A.2. below):

- .. Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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- .. Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- .. Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

**Item 8.01. Other Events.**

On June 10, 2013, Buckeye Partners, L.P. (the Partnership ) entered into an Eighth Supplemental Indenture, dated June 10, 2013, between the Partnership and U.S. Bank National Association (successor-in-interest to SunTrust Bank), as trustee (the Supplemental Indenture ), in connection with the issuance and sale of the Partnership s 4.15% senior unsecured notes due 2023 (the Senior Notes ). A copy of the Supplemental Indenture is filed as Exhibit 4.1 to this report and is incorporated by reference herein. The offering of the Senior Notes has been registered under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, pursuant to a shelf registration statement on Form S-3 (File No. 333-178097).

**Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

**(d) Exhibits.**

- 4.1 Eighth Supplemental Indenture, dated June 10, 2013, between Buckeye Partners, L.P. and U.S. Bank National Association (successor-in-interest to SunTrust Bank)

**SIGNATURE**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

**BUCKEYE PARTNERS, L.P.**

By: Buckeye GP LLC,  
its General Partner

By: /s/ Todd J. Russo  
Todd J. Russo  
Vice President, General Counsel and Secretary

Dated June 12, 2013

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