#### BUCKEYE PARTNERS, L.P.

Form 4

February 09, 2016

## FORM 4

### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Sauger Joseph			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
			BUCKEYE PARTNERS, L.P. [BPL]	(Check all applicable)			
(Last) (First) (Middle)		Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction				
			(Month/Day/Year)	Director 10% Owner			
ONE GREENWAY PLAZA, SUITE 600 (Street)			02/06/2016	_X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) SVP, Eng. and Compliance Svcs			
			4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person			
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(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	ole I - Non-	Derivativ	e Secu	rities Acc	quired, Disposed o	of, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3,	ispose 4 and (A) or	ed of (D)	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 Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Limited Partner Units	02/06/2016		M	3,335	A	(1)	26,374	D	
Limited Partner Units	02/06/2016		F	977	D	\$ 58.39	25,397	D	

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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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number ion 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 or Number of Shares
Phantom Units	<u>(1)</u>	02/06/2016		M	3,335	02/06/2016	02/06/2016	Limited Partner Units	3,335

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Sauger Joseph ONE GREENWAY PLAZA SUITE 600 HOUSTON, TX 77046

SVP, Eng. and Compliance Svcs

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## **Signatures**

/s/ Todd J. Russo, as attorney-in-fact for Joseph M. Sauger 02/09/2016

\*\*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) Each phantom unit is the economic equivalent of one limited partner unit of Buckeye Partners, L.P.

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