Brattlof Paul W. Form 4 December 17, 2010

### FORM 4

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Brattlof Paul W.	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
(Last) (First) (Middle)	NuStar Energy L.P. [NS] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)		
2330 NORTH LOOP 1604 WEST	(Month/Day/Year) 12/14/2010	Director 10% Owner Other (give title below) SVP - Trading and Supply		
(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		
SAN ANTONIO, TX 78248  (City) (State) (Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Ac	Form filed by More than One Reporting Person  quired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owner.		

(City)	(State)	Table Table	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	ities Acq	uired, Disposed of	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if	3. Transaction	` ′	spose	d of (D)	5. Amount of Securities	6. Ownership Form: Direct	Indirect
(Instr. 3)		any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3,		5)	Beneficially Owned Following Reported	(D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Units (1)	12/14/2010		F	119	D	\$ 70.66	10,195	D	
Common Units							74	I	By Son

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	2. Conversion	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if	4. Transacti	5. orNumber	6. Date Exerc Expiration D		7. Title Amount		8. Price of Derivative	9. Nu Deriv
Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Tear)	any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	of	(Month/Day/		Underly Securiti (Instr. 3	ying ies	Security (Instr. 5)	Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title N	Amount or Number of Shares		

### **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
• 5	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
Brattlof Paul W.			SVP -					
2330 NORTH LOOP 1604 WEST			Trading and					
SAN ANTONIO, TX 78248			Supply					

## **Signatures**

Matthew D. Willcox, as Attorney-in-Fact for Paul W. 12/17/2010 **Brattlof** 

> \*\*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).
- "Common Units" reported are units not distributed to reporting person in order to satisfy the reporting person's tax obligations on the grant. The grant of phantom units (called "Restricted Units" under the plan under which the grant was made) was originally reported on

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