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1(b).

Limited Partnership

Units

10/13/2011

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Muslih Khalid A Issuer Symbol BUCKEYE PARTNERS, L.P. [BPL] (Check all applicable) (First) (Middle) (Last) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify ONE GREENWAY PLAZA, SUITE 10/13/2011 below) below) 600 SVP, Corporate Development (Street) 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 Form filed by More than One Reporting HOUSTON, TX 77046 Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities Acquired 5. Amount of 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Securities Ownership Indirect (Instr. 3) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Beneficially Form: Beneficial Direct (D) (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Owned Ownership Following or Indirect (Instr. 4) Reported (A) (Instr. 4) Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price Limited $M^{(1)}$ 5,000 D Partnership 10/13/2011 Α 64,846 Units

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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5,000

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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)	Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number nof 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
Unit Option (right to buy)	\$ 49.47	10/13/2011		M <u>(1)</u>	5,000	02/21/2011	12/31/2011	Limited Partner Units	5,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Muslih Khalid A ONE GREENWAY PLAZA SUITE 600

SVP, Corporate Development

HOUSTON, TX 77046

Signatures

/s/ Todd J. Russo as attorney-in-fact for Khalid A. Muslih

10/14/2011

**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) The transactions reported on this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on September 23, 2011.

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