## SEC Form 5

## FORM 5

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Form 3 Holdings Reported.

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

## ANNUAL STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Form 4 Transactions	Reported.	Filed	I pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940			
		*	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol Energy Transfer Equity, L.P. [ ETE ]		tionship of Reporting Persor all applicable) Director	n(s) to Issuer 10% Owner
(Last) (F 5950 SHERRY LA	First) NE, SUITE 550	(Middle)	3. Statement for Issuer's Fiscal Year Ended (Month/Day/Year) 12/31/2009		Officer (give title below)	Other (specify below)
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### Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	L. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) 2. Charaction Date (Month/Day/Year) 2. Transaction if any (Month/Day/Year) 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 3) 4. Securities Acqu Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 a) Amount	Execution Date, if any	Transaction Code (Instr.			or Disposed	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned at end of	6. Ownership Form: Direct	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
		(A) or (D)	Price	Issuer's Fiscal Year (Instr. 3 and 4)	(D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)			
Common Units	08/27/2009		<mark>J</mark> (6)	1,500,000(1)	D	\$0	16,464,587(1)	I	By ETC Holdings, L.P.
Common Units	08/27/2009		<b>J</b> <sup>(6)</sup>	1,379,528	A	\$0	1,575,345	D	
Common Units	08/27/2009		<mark>J</mark> (6)	60,236 <sup>(2)</sup>	A	\$0	60,236 <sup>(2)</sup>	I	By Ray Davis GRAT
Common Units	08/27/2009		<b>J</b> (6)	60,236 <sup>(3)</sup>	A	\$0	60,236 <sup>(3)</sup>	I	By Linda Davis GRAT
Common Units							742,254 <sup>(4)</sup>	I	By Avatar Investments LP
Common Units							50 <sup>(5)</sup>	I	By Avatar Holdings, LLC

# 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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	of		6. Date Exerc Expiration Da (Month/Day/Y	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				

#### Explanation of Responses:

1. The reported Common Units are owned directly by ETC Holdings, L.P.("ETC"). The Common Units reported represent the estimated pro rata interest of Mr. Davis' in ETC, including his interest in other partners of ETC. ET GP LLC ("ETGP") may be deemed to beneficially own the units owned of record by ETC by virtue of ETGP being the sole general partner of ETC. Mr. Davis is a member of such entitiy and may also be deemed to share power to vote or to direct the vote and to dispose or to direct the disposition of the Common Units held by ETC.

2. The reported Common Units are owned directly by Ray Davis GRAT, a grantor retained annuity trust established by Mr. Davis. Mr. Davis disclaims beneficial ownership of the reported Common Units except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.

3. The reported Common Units are owned directly by Linda Davis GRAT, a grantor retained annuity trust established by the spouse of Mr. Davis. Mr. Davis disclaims beneficial ownership of the reported Common Units except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.

4. The reported Common Units are owned directly by Avatar Holdings, LLC, a limited partnership owned by Mr. Davis. Mr. Davis disclaims beneficial ownership of the reported Common Units except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.

5. The reported Common Units are owned directly by Avatar Holdings, LLC, a limited partnership owned by Mr. Davis. Mr. Davis disclaims beneficial ownership of the reported Common Units except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.

6. Reflects a prorata distribution of 1,500,000 units by ETC to the Ray Davis GRAT and the Linda Davis GRAT, a portion of which were in turn distributed on 9/15/09 by these trusts to Mr. Davis, all without change in beneficial ownership.

/s/ Sonia Aube, Attorney-in-

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02/15/2010

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

 $\ast$  If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).

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