FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  EASTER WILLIAM H III  (Last) (First) (Middle)  1818 MARKET STREET, SUITE 1500						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol SUNOCO LOGISTICS PARTNERS L.P. [ SXL ]  3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/15/2012									elationship of Reporting ck all applicable)  Director  Officer (give title below)		Person(s) to Issuer  10% Owner  Other (specify below)		vner
(Street) PHILADELPHIA PA 19103 (City) (State) (Zip)						4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									dividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable )  K Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
Table I - Non-Deriva  1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transac Date (Month/Date)							ction 2A. Deemed Execution Date			3. 4. Se Transaction Dispo		of, or Berities Acquied Of (D) (In	red (A)	or 5. Amor Securiti Benefic Owned		unt of 6. Cries For (D) Following (I) (		Direct Indirect str. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
	ive Securities Acqui				v spo	Amount	(D)		ally (	(Instr. 3	saction(s) r. 3 and 4)			(Instr. 4)					
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deeme Execution if any (Month/Day	e.g., p	uts, calls  4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		5. Number of		6, Options 6. Date Exel Expiration I (Month/Day	rcisal Date Year	onverti	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Securi (Instr. 3 and 4)  Amou		es)	s. Price of Derivative Security Instr. 5)		Owi Fori Dire or li (I) (I	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Restricted Units	(1)	05/15/2012		<u>,</u>	Code	v	(A) 2 <sup>(2)</sup>	(D)	Date Exercisable		expiration ate (3)	Title  Common Units	of Share	es	\$38.795	193	1	D	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. The conversion rate is 1 for 1.
- 2. Reflects crediting of restricted units held in the Director's Mandatory Deferred Compensation Account in connection with the cash distribution paid on the Registrant's common units on 5/15/2012, in a transaction exempt under Rule 16b-3(d).
- 3. Not applicable.

/s/John J. DiRocco, attorney-

in-fact for Willliam H. Easter,

05/17/2012

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\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

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

- \* 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).

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