

Muslih Khalid A  
Form 4  
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# FORM 4

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
Muslih Khalid A

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
BUCKEYE PARTNERS, L.P. [BPL]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
ONE GREENWAY PLAZA, SUITE 600

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
05/25/2012

\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_ 10% Owner  
\_X\_ Officer (give title below) \_\_\_ Other (specify below)

SVP, Corp. Dev. & Strgc. Plng.

(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  
\_\_\_ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

HOUSTON, TX 77046

(City) (State) (Zip)

### Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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)	
				(A) or (D)	Price			
Limited Partnership Units	05/25/2012		S <sup>(1)</sup>	100	D	\$ 47.792	30,301	D
Limited Partnership Units	05/25/2012		S <sup>(1)</sup>	762	D	\$ 47.8	29,539	D
Limited Partnership Units	05/25/2012		S <sup>(1)</sup>	937	D	\$ 47.81	28,602	D
Limited Partnership	05/25/2012		S <sup>(1)</sup>	300	D	\$ 47.812	28,302	D

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Units							
Limited Partnership Units	05/25/2012	<u>S(1)</u>	100	D	\$ 47.814	28,202	D
Limited Partnership Units	05/25/2012	<u>S(1)</u>	800	D	\$ 47.82	27,402	D
Limited Partnership Units	05/25/2012	<u>S(1)</u>	368	D	\$ 47.83	27,034	D
Limited Partnership Units	05/25/2012	<u>S(1)</u>	100	D	\$ 47.844	26,934	D
Limited Partnership Units	05/25/2012	<u>S(1)</u>	100	D	\$ 47.85	26,834	D
Limited Partnership Units	05/25/2012	<u>S(1)</u>	100	D	\$ 47.852	26,734	D
Limited Partnership Units	05/25/2012	<u>S(1)</u>	100	D	\$ 47.856	26,634	D
Limited Partnership Units	05/25/2012	<u>S(1)</u>	100	D	\$ 47.86	26,534	D
Limited Partnership Units	05/25/2012	<u>S(1)</u>	100	D	\$ 47.87	26,434	D
Limited Partnership Units	05/25/2012	<u>S(1)</u>	100	D	\$ 47.872	26,334	D
Limited Partnership Units	05/25/2012	<u>S(1)</u>	132	D	\$ 47.8755	26,202	D
Limited Partnership Units	05/25/2012	<u>S(1)</u>	300	D	\$ 47.88	25,902	D
Limited Partnership Units	05/25/2012	<u>S(1)</u>	100	D	\$ 47.89	25,802	D
Limited Partnership Units	05/25/2012	<u>S(1)</u>	100	D	\$ 47.8928	25,702	D

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Limited Partnership Units	05/25/2012	S <sup>(1)</sup>	300	D	\$ 47.9	25,402	D
Limited Partnership Units	05/25/2012	S <sup>(1)</sup>	100	D	\$ 47.9548	25,302	D
Limited Partnership Units	05/25/2012	S <sup>(1)</sup>	1,600	D	\$ 47.97	23,702	D

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 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)	5. Number of 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)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 6)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
Muslih Khalid A ONE GREENWAY PLAZA SUITE 600 HOUSTON, TX 77046	Director 10% Owner Officer  SVP, Corp. Dev. & Strgc. Plng.

## Signatures

/s/ Todd J. Russo, as attorney-in-fact for Khalid A. Muslih 05/29/2012

\_\_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 March 12, 2012 and modified on May 14, 2012.

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