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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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1(b).

Units

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * RUSSO TODD J			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol BUCKEYE PARTNERS, L.P. [BPL]					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last)	(First)			of Earliest			. [DI L]	(Check	c all applicable	e)	
ONE GREENWAY PLAZA, SUITE 600			(Month/Day/Year) 05/22/2018					DirectorX Officer (give below) SVP and		Owner er (specify	
(Street)			Filed(Month/Day/Year)					6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person			
HOUSTO	N, TX 77046							Form filed by M Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tal	ble I - Non	-Derivativ	e Secu	ırities Acqı	iired, Disposed of	, or Beneficial	ly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution D any (Month/Day,	ate, if	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit for Dispos (Instr. 3, 4	ed of (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)	
Partner	05/22/2018			S	11,300	D	\$ 27,0092	13,334	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)

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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)			ate	7. Title Amoun Under	int of lying ities	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene
	Derivative Security				Securities Acquired			(Instr.	3 and 4)		Owne Follo
					(A) or Disposed						Repo Trans
					of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)						(Instr
					4, and 3)				Amount		
						Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	or Number of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

RUSSO TODD J ONE GREENWAY PLAZA SUITE 600 HOUSTON, TX 77046

SVP and General Counsel

Signatures

/s/ Todd J. Russo 05/24/2018

**Signature of Date Reporting Person

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).

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