Shrader Gerald R Form 4 June 03, 2010

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

Common

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06/01/2010

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(Print or Type Responses)

See Instruction

1. Name and A Shrader Ger	ng Person *	Symbol		Ticker or Trading NE PARTNERS LP	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)		f Earliest T	ransaction	Director		Owner
1845 WALNUT STREET, 10TH FLOOR			(Month/D 06/01/2	•		_X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) Chief Legal Officer & Sec.		
		4. If Ame	ndment, D	ate Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
		Filed(Mor	nth/Day/Yea	r)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person			
PHILADEI	03				Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Di							of, or Beneficia	lly Owned
1.Title of	2. Transaction D	ate 2A. Dec	emed	3.	4. Securities Acquired	5. Amount of		7. Nature of
Security	(Month/Day/Yea	ır) Executi	on Date, if	Transacti	on(A) or Disposed of (D)	Securities	Form: Direct	Indirect
(Instr. 3)		any		Code	(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial

(Instr. 8)

Code V

M

D

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

(Month/Day/Year)

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Owned

Following

Reported

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

 $17,500^{(2)}$

 $1,000^{(2)}$

(A)

(D)

A

Amount

16,500

16,500 D

Price

<u>(1)</u>

Indirect (I)

(Instr. 4)

D

D

Ownership

(Instr. 4)

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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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	Secur Secur Acqu or Dis (D)	rities ired (A) sposed of 2.3,4,	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amo Underlying Secu (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	An or Nu of
Equity-Indexed Bonus Units	<u>(1)</u>	06/01/2010		M		16,500 (1)	06/01/2010	06/01/2010	Common Units	1

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Shrader Gerald R 1845 WALNUT STREET, 10TH FLOOR PHILADELPHIA, PA 19103

Chief Legal Officer & Sec.

Signatures

Gerald R. Shrader 06/03/2010

**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).

The undersigned is a participant in the Atlas Pipeline Mid-Continent, LLC 2009 Equity-Indexed Bonus Plan (the "Equity-Indexed Plan"). The undersigned received 50,000 equity-indexed bonus units under the Equity-Indexed Plan on June 1, 2009. Each equity-indexed bonus

- (1) unit represents the right to receive, upon vesting, the then fair market value in cash of a common unit of the Partnership. The equity-indexed bonus units vested 33% on June 1, 2010 and will vest 33% on June 1, 2011 and 34% on June 1, 2012. This award can only be paid in cash.
- (2) 500 of these common units are restricted and vest 250 common units per year over two years.

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