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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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may continue. See Instruction 1(b).

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

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

MIDLAND, TX 79701

(Last)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Morris William M

(First)

(Middle)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

LEGACY RESERVES LP [LGCY]

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

303 W. WALL STREET, SUITE 01/29/2009 1400

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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

Issuer

below)

Person

Director

Applicable Line)

X_ Officer (give title

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)

Security

(City)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

(State)

(Zip)

Execution Date, if (Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8)

(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

Code V Amount (D) Price

(A)

Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported

5. Amount of

Transaction(s)

(Instr. 3 and 4)

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial (I) (Instr. 4)

Ownership (Instr. 4)

10% Owner

Other (specify

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

VP, CAO and Controller

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Estimated average

burden hours per

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

Execution Date, if

any

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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 Conversion

or Exercise

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

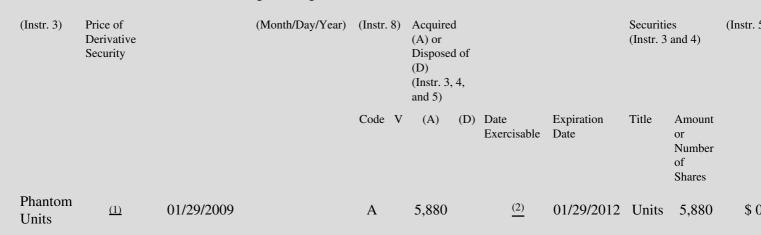
4. Transaction of Derivative Expiration Date Code

5. Number Securities

6. Date Exercisable and (Month/Day/Year)

7. Title and Amount of Underlying 8. Price Derivat Securit

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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Morris William M 303 W. WALL STREET, SUITE 1400 MIDLAND, TX 79701

VP, CAO and Controller

Signatures

/s/ William M.

Morris 01/29/2009

**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).
- (1) Each phantom unit represents the economic equivalent of a unit.
- (2) Phantom units vest annually in one-third increments beginning on the first anniversary of the grant date and are payable in cash or, at the discretion of the compensation committee of the board of directors of the general partner of the Issuer, in units.

Remarks:

Vice President, Chief Accounting Officer and Controller of Legacy Reserves GP, LLC, the general partner of Legacy Reserve

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