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

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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 ** WESLEY CHARLES R			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ALLIANCE RESOURCE PARTNERS LP [ARLP]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)
(Last) 1717 S. BOUI AVENUE, SU		(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/10/2012	_X Director 10% Owner Street (give title Other (specify below) below) Executive Vice President
TULSA, OK 7	(Street) 74119		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

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(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I Non Derivative

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1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. 4. Securities Acquire Transaction(A) or Disposed of (Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)			d of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common units	12/10/2012		S	100	D	\$ 54.84	110,786	D	
Common units	12/10/2012		S	200	D	\$ 54.91	110,586	D	
Common units	12/10/2012		S	200	D	\$ 54.87	110,386	D	
Common units	12/10/2012		S	200	D	\$ 54.95	110,186	D	
Common units	12/10/2012		S	100	D	\$ 55.02	110,086	D	

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Common units	12/10/2012	S	100	D	\$ 55.03	109,986	D
Common units	12/10/2012	S	100	D	\$ 55.02	109,886	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. Transac Code (Instr. 8	5. tionNumber of) Derivativ Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	5	ate	7. Tit Amou Under Secur (Instr	int of rlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)
				Code '	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
WESLEY CHARLES R 1717 S. BOULDER AVENUE SUITE 400 TULSA OK 74119	X		Executive Vice President			

Signatures

/s/ Charles R. Wesley III by Mindy Kerber, pursuant to power of attorney dated February 2, 2007

12/11/2012

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**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).

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