FORM 4

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT	<b>OF CHANGES</b>	IN BENEFICIAL	OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  PATTON RODMAN				2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol NuStar Energy L.P. [ NS ]									Relationshi heck all app X Direc	,					
(Last) (First) (Middle) 2330 NORTH LOOP 1604 WEST				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/16/2007									Offic belo	er (give title w)		Other ( below)	specify		
(Street) SAN AN (City)	TONIO T		78248 Zip)		4. If	Ame	ndment,	, Date o	f Original	Filed	(Month/Da	y/Year	)	6. Lir	ne) X Forn	or Joint/Group In filed by One In filed by Mor Ison	e Reportin	g Pers	on
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transac Date (Month/Da					Execution Date,		Code (Instr. 5)				d Secur Benef Owner	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported		ship rect lirect 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership				
								Code	v	Amount (/		A) or D)	Price	Transa	action(s) 3 and 4)			(Instr. 4)	
Common units 1			11/16	/2007			A		702 <sup>(1)</sup> A		\$0	1	10,181						
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/Y			Execution Date, if any		4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		of		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		•	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		tr. 3	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
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## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. Award of restricted units. The restricted units vest annually in equal increments over a three-year period beginning in November 2008.

Amy L. Perry as Attorney-in-Fact for Rodman D. Patton

11/20/2007

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
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