FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* PATTON RODMAN						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol NuStar Energy L.P. [NS]									5. Relationship of Reporting Persor (Check all applicable) X Director			s) to Is	
(Last) (First) (Middle) 2330 NORTH LOOP 1604 WEST						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/06/2008									Office below	er (give title w)		Other (below)	(specify
(Street) SAN ANTONIO TX 78248 (City) (State) (Zip)					4. If <i>i</i>	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable ne) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
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	icially d Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership			
						Code	v	Amount (A		A) or D)	Price	Transa	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			(Instr. 4)			
Common Units 11/06/2							2008		A		1,125(1)		Α	\$0	11,306		D		
	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. Deeme Execution if any (Month/Da	Date,	ate, Transactio				6. Date E: Expiratio (Month/D	•	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 November 2009.

Elizabeth E. Clifton as

Attorney-In-Fact for Rodman 11/10/2008

D. Patton

** 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).
- ** 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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