Instruction 1(b).

FORM 4

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

Washington, D.C. 20549

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Name and Address of Reporting Person*     Shoaf Thomas R				2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol VALERO L P [ VLI ]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)									
(Last) (First) (Middle)					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)							$\dashv$	X	below)	(give title	and	10% Ow Other (s below)	pecify			
P.O. BOX 696000						01/20/2000								Vice President and Controller							
(Street)					4. If <i>i</i>	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)							
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	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transac Date (Month/Date)						Execution Date,		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 3, 4) 5) 8)		ed (A) or etr. 3, 4 a	and Securities Beneficially Owned Followin		s ally ollowing	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership					
								Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Pric	e	Reported Transact (Instr. 3 a	ction(s)			(Instr. 4)			
	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/Yea	Date,	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		n of		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Secur (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)		9. Number derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	ly	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership t (Instr. 4)			
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisal		Expiration Date	Title	Amou or Numb of Share	er							
Performance Units	(1)	01/26/2006			A		600		(1)	(	01/26/2009	Common Units	600	T	\$0	600		D			

## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. Award of performance units; the performance units vest annually in one-third increments beginning on the first anniversary of the grant date and are payable in common units in amounts ranging from zero to 200 percent of the performance units.

## Remarks:

Bradley C. Barron, as Attorney-01/27/2006 in-Fact for Thomas R. Shoaf

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

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