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

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CURRENT REPORT

FORM 8-K

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): June 15, 2005

VALERO L.P.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

General Instruction A.2. below):

1-16417Commission File Number

74-2956831 (IRS Employee Identification No.)

One Valero Way San Antonio, Texas (Address of principal executive offices)

78249 (Zip Code)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions (see

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (210) 345-2000

[] Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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[] Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Item 8.01 Other Events

On June 15, 2005, Valero L.P. announced that the U.S. Federal Trade Commission ("FTC") approved a consent decree for the proposed merger of Valero L.P. and Kaneb Services LLC and Kaneb Pipe Line Partners, L.P. Valero L.P. also announced that it expects the merger to close on July 1, 2005.

SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

VALERO L.P.

By: Riverwalk Logistics, L.P.

its general partner

By: Valero GP, LLC

its general partner

Date: June 15, 2005 By: <u>/s/ Bradley C. Barron</u>

Name: Bradley C. Barron Title: Corporate Secretary