FORM 4

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>KING GREGORY C</u> | | | | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol VALERO L P [VLI] | | | | | | | | | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) | | | | |
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| (Last) P.O. BOX | (First) (Middle) | | | | | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/26/2004 | | | | | | | | | | Office belov | er (give title v) | Othe belov | r (specify v) |
| | | | | | | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | | | | | | | | | Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) | | | | |
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| (City) | (State) (Zip) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | Perso | on | | | |
| Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Date) | | | | | ay/Year) Executi | | | Deemed ecution Date, ny onth/Day/Year) | | Transaction [| | 4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 5) | | | and Secur Benef Owne | | cially I Following | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership |
| | | | | | | | | | Code | v | Amount | A) 1) | () or () | Price | | | iction(s) 3 and 4) | | (Instr. 4) |
| Common Units (tax withheld for restricted unit vesting) 01/26/2 | | | | | | 2004 | | | F | | 486 | | D | \$51.64 | | 7,995 | | D | |
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| 1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deem Execution if any (Month/Da | Date, | | ransaction ode (Instr. | | of | | exercis on Dat Day/Ye | | 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4) | | | 8. Pric Deriva Securi (Instr. | vative urity | 9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s (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:

Remarks:

<u>J. Stephen Gilbert, as Attorney-</u> in-Fact for Gregory C. King

** 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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