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| Form 5<br>obligations<br>may continu<br><i>See</i> Instruct<br>1(b).   | ue. Section 17(a)<br>ion                | of the   |   | ity Ho           | ldir  | ng Comp             | any A  | Act of 1                   | Act of 1934,<br>1935 or Section   |  |   |  |
| (Print or Type Res   | sponses)                                |  |   |                  |   |                     |  |                            |   |  |   |  |
| 1. Name and Add<br>Global GP LL  | lress of Reporting Pe<br>C              | erson <u>*</u>   | 2. Issuer N<br>Symbol                                       |                  |   |                     | -  | I                          | 5. Relationship of H<br>Issuer  | Reporting Pers   | on(s) to  |  |
| (Last)   | (First) (Mi                             | ddle)  | GLOBAL PARTNERS LP [GLP]<br>3. Date of Earliest Transaction |                  |   |                     |  |                            | (Check  | neck all applicable)   |   |  |
| (Mc  |   |  |   | (Month/Day/Year) |   |                     |  |                            | Director 10% Owner<br>Officer (give titleX Other (specify<br>below) below)<br>General Partner   |  |   |  |
| (Street) 4. If Amend<br>Filed(Month<br>WALTHAM, MA 02454-9161          |   |  |   | h/Day/Year)      |   |                     |  | -                          | <ul> <li>6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check</li> <li>Applicable Line)</li> <li>_X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person</li> <li> Form filed by More than One Reporting</li> <li>Person</li> </ul> |  |   |  |
| (City)   | (State) (Z                              | čip)   | Tabla I   | - Non            | Dor   | ivativa Sa          | ouritie  |                            | ired, Disposed of,  | or Bonoficiall   | v Owned   |  |
| 1.Title of<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3)                                   | 2. Transaction Data<br>(Month/Day/Year) | Transaction Date 2A. Deemed<br>(onth/Day/Year) Execution Date, if<br>any |   |                  | 3. 4. Securities Acquired<br>Transactior(A) or Disposed of (D)<br>Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)<br>(Instr. 8)<br>(A)<br>or |                     |  |                            | 5. Amount of<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 3 and 4)  | 6.<br>Ownership<br>Form:<br>Direct (D)<br>or Indirect<br>(I)<br>(Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of<br>Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |  |
| Common<br>units  |   |  |   | Code             | V   | Amount              | (D)  | Price                      | (1150. 5 and 4)   |  |   |  |
| representing<br>limited<br>partner<br>interests                        | 01/15/2015                              |  |   | J <u>(1)</u>     |   | 2,708               | D  | \$<br>37.18<br>( <u>3)</u> | 398,160   | D  |   |  |
| Common<br>units<br>representing<br>limited<br>partner<br>interests     | 01/15/2015                              |  |   | J <u>(2)</u>     |   | 10,266              | D  | \$<br>37.18<br>( <u>3)</u> | 3 387,894   | D  |   |  |

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| Common<br>units<br>representing<br>limited<br>partner<br>interests | 03/18/2015 | 03/18/2015 | P <u>(4)</u> | 7,925  | A | \$ 35.7<br>(5)             | 395,819 | D |
|--|------------|------------|--------------|--------|---|----------------------------|---------|---|
| Common<br>units<br>representing<br>limited<br>partner<br>interest  | 03/19/2015 | 03/19/2015 | P <u>(4)</u> | 12,600 | A | \$<br>36.66<br>( <u>6)</u> | 408,419 | D |

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

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# Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

| 1. Title of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2.<br>Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | 3. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 4.<br>Transactic<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | 5.<br>ofNumber<br>of<br>Derivative<br>Securities<br>Acquired<br>(A) or<br>Disposed<br>of (D)<br>(Instr. 3,<br>4, and 5) |                     | ate                | 7. Titl<br>Amou<br>Under<br>Secur<br>(Instr. | int of<br>rlying                       | 8. Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 5) | 9. Nu<br>Deriv<br>Secu<br>Bene<br>Owne<br>Follo<br>Repo<br>Trans<br>(Instr |
|---|---|---|--|---|---------------------|--------------------|--|--|---|--|
|   |   |   | Code V                                 | (A) (D)   | Date<br>Exercisable | Expiration<br>Date | Title  | Amount<br>or<br>Number<br>of<br>Shares |   |  |

## **Reporting Owners**

| Reporting Owner Name / Address                 | Relationships |           |         |                 |  |  |  |  |  |
|--|---------------|-----------|---------|-----------------|--|--|--|--|--|
|  | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer | Other           |  |  |  |  |  |
| Global GP LLC<br>800 SOUTH STREET<br>SUITE 500 |               |           |         | General Partner |  |  |  |  |  |
| WALTHAM, MA 02454-9161                         |               |           |         |                 |  |  |  |  |  |

# Signatures

Edward J. Faneuil, Attorney-in-Fact for Global GP LLC

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

03/19/2015 Date

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- \* 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).
- Represents delivery of common units in satisfaction of Global GP LLC's obligation to deliver common units under grants approved on
   June 27, 2013, and on September 23, 2013, under the Global Partners LP Long-Term Incentive Plan (as amended and restated effective June 22, 2012) ("LTIP") to certain officers, directors and employees.
- (2) Represents delivery of common units in satisfaction of Global GP LLC's obligation to deliver common units under a grant approved on January 15, 2015, under the LTIP to certain officers, directors and employees.
- (3) Closing market price on January 15, 2015.

Global GP LLC is purchasing common units for the purpose of meeting its anticipated obligations to deliver common units under the
 (4) LTIP to certain officers, directors and employees. The reporting person disclaims any pecuniary interest in these securities, and this report shall not be deemed an admission that the reporting person is the beneficial owner of the securities for purposes of Section 16.

The price reported is a weighted average price. The common units shown on Line 3 in Column 4 were purchased in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$35.07 to \$36.00, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide to Global Partners LP, any security holder

(5) at prices ranging from \$55.07 to \$50.00, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide to Global Partners LP, or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of common units purchased at each separate price within the ranges set forth in this footnote (5) to this Form 4.

The price reported is a weighted average price. The common units shown on Line 4 in Column 4 were purchased in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$36.03 to \$37.00, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide to Global Partners LP, any security holder

(6) at prices ranging from \$50.05 to \$57.00, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide to Global Partners LP, or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of common units purchased at each separate price within the ranges set forth in this footnote (6) to this Form 4.

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