Western Gas Equity Partners, LP Form 4

June 11, 2015

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading ANADARKO PETROLEUM CORP Issuer Symbol Western Gas Equity Partners, LP (Check all applicable) [WGP] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Last) (First) (Middle) Director X 10% Owner Other (specify Officer (give title (Month/Day/Year) below) 1201 LAKE ROBBINS DRIVE 06/10/2015 (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) Form filed by One Reporting Person _X_ Form filed by More than One Reporting THE WOODLANDS, TX 77380 Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 5. Amount of 7. Nature 1.Title of 3. 4. Securities Acquired (A) 6. Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction Disposed of (D) Securities Ownership of Indirect (Instr. 3) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Beneficially Form: Beneficial Direct (D) (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Owned Ownership Following or Indirect (Instr. 4) Reported (I) (A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) or (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price Common Units See representing 191,087,365 06/10/2015 S footnote 2.300,000 D limited 56.45 (1) partner

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 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/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amo Underlying Secu (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Ar Nu Sh
Purchase Contract Obligation to Deliver Common Units	<u>(2)</u>	06/10/2015		J/K ⁽²⁾		8,000,000	06/07/2018	06/07/2018	Common Units	6,

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
• 0	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
ANADARKO PETROLEUM CORP 1201 LAKE ROBBINS DRIVE THE WOODLANDS, TX 77380		X					
WESTERN GAS RESOURCES INC 1201 LAKE ROBBINS DR. THE WOODLANDS, TX 77380		X					

Signatures

/s/ Anadarko Petroleum Corporation, by Philip H. Peacock as attorney-in-fact

_**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

/s/ Western Gas Resources, Inc., by Philip H. Peacock as attorney-in-fact

06/11/2015

_**Signature of Reporting Person

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).
- Western Gas Resources, Inc. ("WGR") directly or indirectly owns 191,087,365 common units, representing an 87% limited partner interest in the Issuer, and 100% of the equity interests of Western Gas Equity Holdings, LLC, which holds a 0% noneconomic general partner interest in the Issuer. Anadarko Petroleum Corporation ("Anadarko") owns all of the issued and outstanding shares of common stock of WGR. Accordingly, Anadarko may be deemed to be an indirect beneficial owner of any securities held by WGR.
- (2) On June 10, 2015, Anadarko sold 8,000,000 7.5% Tangible Equity Units ("TEUs") at a price to the public of \$50.00 per TEU (\$48.50 per TEU, net of underwriting discounts). Pursuant to the terms of the related underwriting agreement, Anadarko granted the underwriters a 30-day option to purchase up to an additional 1,200,000 TEUs. Each TEU consists of (1) a prepaid equity purchase contract (each, a "Purchase Contract") under which the holder has purchased and Anadarko will agree to deliver on June 7, 2018 (subject to postponement

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or early settlement in certain circumstances), a number of the Issuer's Common Units, subject to Anadarko's right to elect to deliver shares of its common stock in lieu of such Common Units and (2) a senior amortizing note issued by Anadarko. A maximum of 6,872,800 Common Units may be issued upon settlement of the Purchase Contracts (or 7,903,720 Common Units if the TEU Underwriters exercise their option to purchase an additional 1,200,000 TEUs in full).

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