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### FORM 4

#### **OMB APPROVAL**

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Po Cedro David	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)		
(Last) (First) (Mi	ENERGY PARTNERS LTD [EPL] ddle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction			
C/O ENERGY PARTNERS, LTD., 201 ST. CHARLES AV	(Month/Day/Year) 01/05/2010 ENUE	Director 10% OwnerX Officer (give title Other (specify below) Senior VP, Controller		
(Street)	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_Form filed by One Reporting Person		
NEW ORLEANS, LA 70170		Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City)	(State) (Z	Zip) Table	e I - Non-Do	erivative S	Securi	ties Ac	quired, Disposed	of, or Beneficia	lly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	nAcquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		5. Amount of Securities Form: Direct Beneficially (D) or Owned Indirect (I) Following (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		` /
Common Stock	01/05/2010		A	1,821	A	\$ 8.9	1,821	D	
Common Stock							185	I	401(k) Plan

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. Tit Deriv Secur (Instr	vative rity	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of or Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Derivative Expiration Date Gecurities (Month/Day/Year) Acquired (A) or Disposed of D) Instr. 3, 4,		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		() ()
					Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Stoc Opti (Rig Buy	ions tht to	\$ 8.9	01/05/2010		A	25,000	<u>(1)</u>	01/05/2020	Common Stock	25,000	

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Cedro David

C/O ENERGY PARTNERS, LTD. 201 ST. CHARLES AVENUE NEW ORLEANS, LA 70170

Senior VP, Controller

## **Signatures**

John H. Peper, Attorney o1/07/2010 in Fact

\*\*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).
- (1) The Nonqualified Stock Options become vested in thirds over a period of three years from the date of the award.
- (2) Not applicable

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