PAA NATURAL GAS STORAGE LP

Form 4

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

Plains All American GP LLC

Symbol

(Middle)

PAA NATURAL GAS STORAGE LP [PNG]

(Check all applicable)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)

Director X__ 10% Owner Other (specify Officer (give title below)

333 CLAY STREET, SUITE 1600

(Street)

(First)

09/09/2010

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Applicable Line)

Form filed by One Reporting Person _X_ Form filed by More than One Reporting

(Instr. 4)

Person

HOUSTON, TX 77002

(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial Ownership (I)

(Instr. 4)

(A)

Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

or

Code V Amount (D) Price

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 3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed 5. Number of 6. Date Exercisable and 7. Title and Amour TransactionDerivative Derivative Conversion (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if **Expiration Date Underlying Securit** Code or Exercise Securities (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 3 and 4) Security any

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)			
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title
Phantom Common Units (2)	\$ 0	09/09/2010		J	125,000	(2)	05/05/2012	Common Units
Phantom Series A Subordinated Units (2)	\$ 0	09/09/2010		J	125,000	(2)	(3)	Common Units
Phantom Series B Subordinated Units (2)	\$ 0	09/09/2010		J	125,000	<u>(2)</u>	(3)	Common Units or Series A Subordinated Units (2)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
Reporting Owner Name / Namess	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Plains All American GP LLC 333 CLAY STREET, SUITE 1600 HOUSTON, TX 77002		X				
Plains AAP, L.P. 333 CLAY STREET, SUITE 1600 HOUSTON, TX 77002		X				
PAA GP LLC 333 CLAY STREET, SUITE 1600 HOUSTON, TX 77002		X				
PLAINS ALL AMERICAN PIPELINE LP 333 CLAY STREET, SUITE 1600 HOUSTON, TX 77002		X				

Signatures

By: /s/ Tim Moore, Vice

President 09/10/2010

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

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The reporting person, PAA GP LLC, is the general partner of Plains All American Pipeline, L.P. ("PAA"), the record holder of the units. Plains AAP, L.P. owns all of the membership interests in PAA GP LLC and Plains All American GP LLC is the general partner of Plains AAP, L.P. Accordingly, Plains All American GP LLC, Plains AAP, L.P. and PAA GP LLC may be deemed to be indirect beneficial owners of any securities held by PAA.

On September 9, 2010, PAA issued the phantom units reported above by entering into agreements with Greg L. Armstrong, Harry N. Pefanis and Al Swanson pursuant to which these individuals acquired from PAA for no consideration the right to receive Common Units and Series A Subordinated Units convertible into Common Units of PAA Natural Gas Storage, L.P. ("PNG") that are currently held by PAA. These individuals also acquired distribution equivalent rights (payable by PAA in cash) with respect to the phantom common units and phantom series A subordinated units. Pursuant to the terms of the agreements, the phantom units reported above will vest and be payable as follows: (i) the phantom common units will vest 50% on May 5, 2011 and 50% on May 5, 2012, and be payable one-for-one

- (2) by PAA in Common Units of PNG; (ii) the phantom series A subordinated units will vest in connection with the conversion of the Series A Subordinated Units into Common Units, and be payable one-for-one by PAA in Common Units of PNG; and (iii) the phantom series B subordinated units will vest in tranches of 20%, 21%, 15%, 22% and 22%, respectively, in connection with the conversion of the First through Fifth Tranches of Series B Subordinated Units. Upon vesting, the phantom series B subordinated units will be payable one-for-one by PAA in Series A Subordinated Units or Common Units of PNG it receives upon conversion of the Series B Subordinated Units. Terms used but not defined herein shall have the meanings set forth in the Second Amended and Restated Agreement of Limited Partnership of PNG.
 - Any phantom series A subordinated units and any phantom series B subordinated units that have not vested as of December 18, 2018 will be automatically cancelled on such date. Note: On August 16, 2010, the general partner of PNG executed an amendment to PNG's Amended and Restated Agreement of Limited Partnership pursuant to which the number of Series A Subordinated Units held by PAA
- (3) was reduced by 2 million units (from 13,934,351 units to 11,934,351 units) and the number of Series B Subordinated Units held by PAA was increased by an equivalent amount (from 11,500,000 units to 13,500,000 units). The Series A Subordinated Units and Series B Subordinated Units will convert into Common Units or Series A Subordinated Units, as applicable, on a one-for-one basis in accordance with their terms as set forth in PNG's Second Amended and Restated Agreement of Limited Partnership.

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