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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

| 1. Name and Ad Davison Jam | • | orting Person * | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol GENESIS ENERGY LP [GEL] | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) | | |
|-------------------------------|----------|-----------------|--|--|--|--|
| (Last) | (First) | (Middle) | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction | | | |
| 2000 FARMERVILLE HIGHWAY | | HIGHWAY | (Month/Day/Year) 04/01/2018 | X Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) — Other (specify below) | | |
| | (Street) | | 4. If Amendment, Date Original | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check | | |
| RUSTON, LA 71270 | | | Filed(Month/Day/Year) | Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | |
| (City) | (State) | (Zip) | Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Ac | quired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned | | |

| (City) | (State) (| Zip) Table | e I - Non-D | erivative | Secur | ities Acq | uired, Disposed of | f, or Beneficial | ly Owned |
|--------------------------------------|---|------------|---|-----------|-------|--|--|---|---|
| 1.Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | | 3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8) (A) or | | | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | |
| | | | Code V | Amount | (D) | Price | (Instr. 3 and 4) | | |
| Common Units - Class A (1) | 04/01/2018 | | M | 538 (1) | A | (2) | 3,783,583 | D | |
| Common Units - Class A (1) | 04/01/2018 | | D | 538 (1) | D | \$ 19.96 (2) | 3,783,045 | D | |
| Common Units - Class A | | | | | | | 446,461 | I | James Ellis Davison, III Trust (3) |
| Common Units - | | | | | | | 446,462 | I | Sarah Margaret |

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| Class A | | | Davison Trust (3) |
|---|--------------------|---|--|
| Common Units - Class A | 446,460 | I | William Charles Davison Trust (3) |
| Common | | | James E. and Margaret |
| Units - Class A | 187,856 | I | A.B. Davison Special Trust (4) |
| Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned direc | tly or indirectly. | | |

$\label{thm:convertible} \begin{tabular}{ll} Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned \\ (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) \end{tabular}$

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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. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 4. Transactio Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | | onDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, | | orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, | | orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, | | orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, | | Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, | | Derivative Expiration Securities (Month/Da Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, | | Expiration Dat | 5. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date Month/Day/Year) | | Amount of Securities 4) |
|---|---|---|---|--|---|-----|--|--------------------|---|--|---|--|---|--|--|--|--|--|----------------|---|--|-------------------------|
| | | | | Code V | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Phantom Units | <u>(2)</u> | 04/01/2018 | | M | | 538 | 04/01/2018 | 04/01/2018 | Common Units - Class A | 538 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Phantom Units | <u>(5)</u> <u>(6)</u> | 04/02/2018 | | A | 1,246 | | 04/02/2021 | 04/02/2021 | Common Units - Class A | 1,246 | | | | | | | | | | | | |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | | | | |
|--------------------------------|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|--|--|--|
| • | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | | | |
| | v | | | | | | |

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Davison James E Jr 2000 FARMERVILLE HIGHWAY RUSTON, LA 71270

Signatures

James E. 04/03/2018 Davison, Jr.

**Signature of Date
Reporting Person

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 payment of the phantom units in cash is deemed to be a disposition of the phantom units in exchange for the acquisition of the underlying Common Units Class A and a simultaneous disposition of the underlying Common Units Class A to the issuer.
- (2) Upon vesting, the phantom units were paid in cash based on the average closing price of the Common Units Class A for the 20 trading days immediately prior to the date of vesting.
 - Due to the reporting person's relationship with the beneficiaries and trustees of the Sarah Margaret Davison Trust, the William Charles Davison Trust and the James Ellis Davison, III Trust (collectively, the "Trusts"), the reporting person could be deemed to have an indirect pecuniary interest in the Common Units Class A that are beneficially owned by the Trusts. All Common Units Class A owned by the
- (3) pecuniary interest in the Common Units Class A that are beneficially owned by the Trusts. All Common Units Class A owned by the Trusts are reported on these lines. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of these Common Units Class A except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein, and this report shall not be deemed an admission that the reporting person is the beneficial owner of these Common Units Class A for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.
 - These Common Units Class A are beneficially owned by the James E. and Margaret A.B. Davison Special Trust (the "Special Trust"). The reporting person could be deemed to have an indirect pecuniary interest in such Common Units Class A. All Common Units Class A
- (4) owned by the Special Trust are reported on this line. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of these Common Units Class A except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein, and this report shall not be deemed an admission that the reporting person is the beneficial owner of these Common Units Class A for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.
- (5) The phantom units will be paid in cash based on the average closing price of the Common Units Class A for the 20 trading days immediately prior to the vesting date.
- (6) Award includes tandem distribution equivalent rights pursuant to which the quarterly distributions paid by the partnership on each Common Unit Class A will be accrued over the vesting period and paid quarterly.

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