

DORCHESTER MINERALS LP

Form 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
MCMANEMIN WILLIAM CASEY

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
DORCHESTER MINERALS LP [DMLP]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

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

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

C/O DORCHESTER MINERALS, L.P., 3838 OAK LAWN, SUITE 300

12/31/2005

Chief Executive Officer

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

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

DALLAS, TX 75219

(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially 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)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Units	12/31/2005		J		31,441	A	<u>(1)</u>
Common Units					922,792	I	<u>(2)</u>
Common Units					157,573	D	
Common Units					5,531	I	<u>(3)</u>
Common Units					53,224	I	<u>(4)</u>

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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 Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
MCMANEMIN WILLIAM CASEY C/O DORCHESTER MINERALS, L.P. 3838 OAK LAWN, SUITE 300 DALLAS, TX 75219	X		Chief Executive Officer	

Signatures

/s/ William Casey
McManemin 01/04/2006

__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) 1307, Ltd. received a distribution of units from GARG Oil. Mr. McManemin disclaims beneficial ownership of those common units owned by 1307, Ltd. in which he does not have a pecuniary interest. Mr. McManemin is a limited partner and one of two general partners of 1307, Ltd. He is President of the other general partner of 1307, Ltd.
 - (2) Mr. McManemin disclaims beneficial ownership of those common units owned by Red Wolf Partners in which he does not have a pecuniary interest. Mr. McManemin is the managing general partner Red Wolf Partners.
 - (3) Mr. McManemin disclaims beneficial ownership of those common units owned by SAM Partners Management, Inc. in which he does not have a pecuniary interest. Mr. McManemin is the Vice President and a shareholder of SAM Partners Management, Inc.

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- (4) Mr. McManemin disclaims beneficial ownership of those common units owned by Smith Allen Oil & Gas, Inc. in which he does not have a pecuniary interest. Mr. McManemin is the Vice President and a shareholder of Smith Allen Oil & Gas, Inc.

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