

Lambert Joel Christian
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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 *
 Lambert Joel Christian

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 Crestwood Equity Partners LP
 [CEQP]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

811 MAIN STREET, SUITE 3400

(Street)

HOUSTON, TX 77002

(City) (State) (Zip)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 01/05/2018

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

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
 SVP - General Counsel

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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 Price (D)		
Common Units	01/05/2018		F		4,192 D \$ 26.1	D	
Common Units	01/08/2018		A		35,756 (2) A \$ 0	D	
Common Units	01/08/2018		A		50,000 (3) A \$ 0	D	

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. F. Derivative Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)			
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Phantom Units	(4)					(5)	(5)			Common Units	15,864.5029

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Lambert Joel Christian 811 MAIN STREET SUITE 3400 HOUSTON, TX 77002			SVP - General Counsel	

Signatures

/s/Judy Riddle, attorney-in-fact for Joel C. Lambert
 **Signature of Reporting Person
 01/10/2018
 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) Includes restricted units granted under the Crestwood Equity Partners LP Long Term Incentive Plan, as amended.
- (2) Restricted units granted under the Crestwood Equity Partners LP Long Term Incentive Plan, as amended. The restricted units vest at the rate of 33.33% on each anniversary of the grant date.
- (3) Restricted units granted under the Crestwood Equity Partners LP Long Term Incentive Plan, as amended. The restricted units vest on the third anniversary of the grant date.
- (4) Each phantom unit is the economic equivalent of one common unit representing a limited partnership interest in CEQP.
- (5) The forfeiture restrictions on the phantom units shall lapse, and the phantom units shall vest and convert to an equal number of common units on the third (3rd) anniversary of the grant date.

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