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## FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Add	1 0	Person*	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol Black Stone Minerals, L.P. [BSM]		5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
Carroll Marc			,,,,,,,,		Director	10% Owner				
(Last) 1001 FANNIN	(First) (Middle) NNIN STREET, SUITE 2020		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/15/2016		Officer (give title below) Senior VP ar	Other (specify below) nd CFO				
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Indivi	idual or Joint/Group Filin	g (Check Applicable				
HOUSTON	TX	77002		X	Form filed by One Rep	porting Person				
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	—		Form filed by More that Person	an One Reporting				
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)	Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(1150. 4)
Common units representing limited partner interests	03/15/2016		F		21,356	D	\$14.31 <sup>(1)</sup>	408,434	D	

	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. Transa Code ( 8)		of Deri Sec Acq (A) o Disp of (I	oosed D) tr. 3, 4	Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) ities red sed 3, 4		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		Underlying Derivative Security Security		10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Subordinated units representing limited partner interests	(2)	03/15/2016		F			5,200	(2)	(2)	Common units representing limited partner interests	5,200	(3)	200,412	D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. For tax withholding purposes, the value of the common units was deemed to be equal to the closing price of BSM common units on March 15, 2016.

2. Each subordinated unit will convert into one common unit representing a limited partner interest in the Issuer at the end of the subordination period described in the Issuer's Registration Statement on Form S-1 (File No. 333-202875).

3. For tax withholding purposes, the value of the subordinated units was fixed at a discount to the closing price of BSM common units on March 15, 2016.

**Remarks:** 

<u>/s/ Steve Putman, Attorney-in-</u> Fact for Marc Carroll

03/17/2016

Date

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

\* 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).

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