FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* Thacker Allison K.							2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Black Stone Minerals, L.P. [BSM]									5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
THACKE	AIIISUII	<u>K.</u>	I^{-}										X	Direc	ctor	10%	Owner				
(Last) (First) (Middle) 1001 FANNIN STREET, SUITE 2020						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/12/2016										Offic belov	er (give title w)	Othe belov	r (specify v)		
(Street) HOUSTON TX 77002						4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									5. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable ine) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person						
(City)	(St	ate) (Zip)																		
		Tabl	e I - Nor	n-Deriv	ative	Sec	uritie	s Acc	uired,	Dis	osed o	f, or	Bene	efici	ally	Owne	ed				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Date)						Execution		n Date,	Transaction Dispos Code (Instr. 5)			rities Acquired (A) ed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4			4 and Secui Bene		icially d Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
										v	Amount (A) (C)		(A) or (D)	Pric	Trans		action(s) 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)		
Common units representing limited partner interests 01/12/									A		12,368		A	\$	5 0	26,330		D			
Common units representing limited partner interests																2	25,000	I	By The Troy and Allison Thacker Family Trust		
		Та	ble II - C								sed of, onvertib					vned					
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deeme Execution if any (Month/Da	Date,	Code (Insti		n of		6. Date Expiration (Month/Date)	•	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		str. 3	Deri Seci	Price of ivative curity etr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
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Remarks:

/s/Steve Putman, Attorney-in-Fact for Allison K.Thacker

01/14/2016

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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).
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