FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  BARDEL WILLIAM G			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol Black Stone Minerals, L.P. [ BSM ]								(Chec	k all ap <sub>l</sub>	ship of Reporting Person(s) to Isapplicable)						
(Last)	(Fi		(Middle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/05/2018								X		er (give title	10% Owner Other (specify below)		
(Street) HOUSTO			777002 (Zip)		4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6. Indi Line) X	Forn Forn	idual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable  Form filed by One Reporting Person  Form filed by More than One Reporting  Person			
		Tabl	le I - No	n-Deriv	ative	Se	curitie	s Acc	quired	, Dis	sposed o	f, or I	Benefi	cially	Own	ed			
Date			2. Transac Date (Month/Da	Exec ay/Year) if an		A. Deemed Execution Date, f any Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) of Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4				Secur Benef Owne	ficially ed Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
									Code	v	Amount	(A) (D)	or Pric	e	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			(Instr. 4)	
Common units representing limited partner interests 12/01/					2017				G	v	6,000	Е	\$	0.00	1	82,428	D		
Common units representing limited partner interests 01/0				01/05/	/2018				A <sup>(1)</sup>		1,254	A	. \$1	\$17.94(1)		83,682	D		
Common units representing limited partner interests															1	19,415	I	By wife	
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	Date (Month/Day/Year)	Execution if any	xecution Date,		Transaction Code (Instr. )		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exercisa Expiration Date (Month/Day/Yea		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		Deriv Secu (Instr	ivative urity tr. 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)	
					Code	v	(A) (D)		Date Exercisable		Expiration Date	Title	Amour or Number of Shares	er					

## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. Pursuant to a previous arrangement, the Reporting Person elected to receive common units in lieu of a cash retainer for service on the Board of Directors of the Partnership's General Partner.

## Remarks:

/s/ Steve Putman, Attorney-in-Fact for William G. Bardel

01/09/2018

\*\* 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).
- \*\* 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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