FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT	OF CHANGES	IN BENEFICIAL	OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* Putman Luke Stevens						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Black Stone Minerals, L.P. [BSM]								(Check all ap Dire		olicable) ctor	g Person(s) to I	Owner
(Last) (First) (Middle) 1001 FANNIN STREET, SUITE 2020						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/16/2018								X	belov	,	nd Secretary	(specify)
(Street) HOUST(77002 Zip)		4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6. Indiv Line) X	,			
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																		
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/				Execution Date,		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)				and 5) Secu Ben Own		ficially d Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership				
							Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D) Price				action(s) 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)		
Common units representing limited partner interests 04/16/20					2018)18			S ⁽¹⁾		25,000	D	\$17.531(2)		1 ⁽²⁾ 277,367		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	Date Exe (Month/Day/Year) if a	Executi if any	kecution Date, any		I. Transaction Code (Instr. 3)		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exercisab Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Inst and 4)		Deriv Secu (Inst	rivative curity str. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction((Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercis	sable	Expiration Date	Title	Number of Shares						

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. The sales reported on this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on November 30, 2016.
- 2. The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These common units were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$17.28 to \$17.67, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide to the issuer, any security holder of the issuer, or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of common units sold at each separate price within the ranges set forth in this footnote.

Remarks:

/s/ Luke S. Putman

04/17/2018

** 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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