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* <u>BARDEL WILLIAM G</u>						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Black Stone Minerals, L.P. [BSM]									Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner						
(Last) (First) (Middle) 1001 FANNIN STREET, SUITE 2020						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/06/2017									C	fficer (give title elow)	:		(specify		
(Street) HOUSTON TX 777002 (City) (State) (Zip)					4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)										Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																					
Date				2. Transac Date (Month/Da			2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3,				I 5) Se Be Ov	Amount of curities neficially vned Following	Fo (D)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
									Code	v	Amount	(A) (D)	or P	rice	Tra	ported ansaction(s) str. 3 and 4)			(Instr. 4)		
Common units representing limited partner interests 1				10/06/2	0/06/2017				A ⁽¹⁾		1,297	A	4 \$	\$17.34 ⁽¹⁾		188,428		D			
Common units representing limited partner interests															19,415		I	By wife			
Common units representing limited partner interests																0		I	By Bardel 2014 GRAT Trust		
	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)	le of 2. 3. Transaction ative Conversion Date Execution Date, if any			ned n Date,	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		5. Number of		6. Date Exercisable ar Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)						8. Price Derivati Security (Instr. 5)	derivative Securities	у	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
				Code		v	(A)	(D)			Expiration Date	Title	Amo or Num of Shar	ber							

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

10/10/2017

** 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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