## FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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Name and Address of Reporting Person*     Griffis David L.						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Oiltanking Partners, L.P. [ OILT ]									tionship of Reporting all applicable) Director		g Person(s) to Issuer 10% Owner	
(Last) 333 CLA	`	rst) (	Middle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/06/2013										er (give title w)	Other below	(specify )
(Street) HOUSTO			77002 Zip)		4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6. Indiv Line) X	Forn Forn	dual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		
		Tabl	e I - N	on-Deriv	ative/	Sec	uritie	s Ac	quired	l, Di	sposed o	f, or B	enefic	ially	Owne	ed		
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/				Execution Date,		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)  4. Securities Acquired (A) of Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4)				and 5) Se Be Ov		ount of ities icially 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		Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			(Instr. 4)
Common Units 12/0			12/06/2	2013	013		P <sup>(1)</sup>		86	A	\$58.4	496 <sup>(2)</sup>		9,129	D			
Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)																		
Derivative Conversion Date Execution Date, Security or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any				ransaction code (Instr. 5)		osed	6. Date Expirat (Month	ion Da	Year) Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr and 4)		t of ies ving ive	Deriv Secu (Inst		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	or Number of Shares					

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. The transaction reported on this Form 4 was executed pursuant to a unit purchase plan in compliance with Rule 10b5-1 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.
- 2. The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These common units were purchased in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$58.20 to \$59.68 per common unit, 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 purchased at the applicable price within this range.

## Remarks:

/s/ Donna Hymel, as attorneyin-fact

12/09/2013

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

- $^{\star}$  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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