

CEDAR FAIR L P
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
KINZEL RICHARD L

(Last) (First) (Middle)
ONE CEDAR POINT DR., C/O
CEDAR FAIR LP
(Street)

SANDUSKY, OH 44870-5259

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
CEDAR FAIR L P [FUN]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
03/10/2009

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

___ Director ___ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) ___ Other (specify below)
Chairman, President & CEO

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|-----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|---|
| Units of Limited Partner Interest | 03/10/2009 | | A ⁽¹⁾ | 33,503 | A 11 | 1,196,534 | D |
| Units of Limited Partner Interest | | | | | | 36,386 | I By Spouse's Trust |
| Units of Limited Partner Interest | | | | | | 7,579 | I By Spouse for Grandchildren |

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|--|---------|--------------|------------------------------|
| Units of Limited Partner Interest | 383,020 | I <u>(2)</u> | By Cedar Point Executives |
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Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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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 | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | 8. P | |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|-----------------------------------|----------------------------|
| | | | | Code | V (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares |
| Call options to purchase limited partnership units | \$ 20.6 | | | | | <u>(3)</u> | 03/07/2011 | Units of Limited Partner Interest | 90,000 |
| Call options to purchase limited partnership units | \$ 24.14 | | | | | <u>(4)</u> | 03/07/2012 | Units of Limited Partner Interest | 150,000 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships |
|---|---|
| | Director 10% Owner Officer Other |
| KINZEL RICHARD L ONE CEDAR POINT DR. C/O CEDAR FAIR LP SANDUSKY, OH 44870-5259 | Chairman, President & CEO |

Signatures

Richard L.
Kinzel

03/12/2009

__Signature of
Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * 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).
- (1) These units were granted pursuant to the Partnership's 2008 Omnibus Incentive Plan.
 - (2) Reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of all but 51,620 units held by Cedar Point Executives, Inc.
 - (3) Options vest at a rate of 20% per year on each anniversary date, beginning on March 7, 2002.
 - (4) Options vest at a rate of 20% per year on each anniversary date, beginning on March 7, 2003.

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