Faneuil Edward J Form 4 February 23, 2011

#### **OMB APPROVAL** UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION OMB 3235-0287 Washington, D.C. 20549 Number: Check this box January 31, Expires: if no longer 2005 STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF subject to Estimated average **SECURITIES** Section 16. burden hours per Form 4 or response... 0.5 Form 5 Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, obligations Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section may continue. 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 See Instruction 1(b). (Print or Type Responses) 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Faneuil Edward J Issuer Symbol GLOBAL PARTNERS LP [GLP] (Check all applicable) (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) Director 10% Owner Other (specify X\_ Officer (give title C/O GLOBAL PARTNERS LP, 800 02/18/2011 below) SOUTH STREET EVP and General Counsel (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) \_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting WALTHAM, MA 02454 Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 7 Nature of A Securities Acquired 5 Amount of 1 Title of 2 Transaction Data 24 Dagmad al ip

Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction(A) or Distance Code (Instr. 3, 4 (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8)		sposed o	of (D)	Securities Beneficially Owned	Ownership Form: Direct (D)	Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)
Common units representing limited partner interests	02/18/2011		M	12,125	A	(1)	38,244	D	
Common units representing limited partner interests	02/18/2011		D	3,850	D	\$ 27.77	34,394	D	

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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 2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5. Number of		6. Date Exercis	sable and	7. Title and Amount of	
Derivati	ive Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	TransactiorDerivative		Expiration Date		Underlying Securities		
Security	or Exercise		any	Code Securities		(Month/Day/Y	ear)	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
(Instr. 3	) Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8) Acquired (A)						
	Derivative				or Di	sposed of				
	Security			(D)						
	·			(Instr. 3, 4,						
					and 5)					
							_			Amount
							Date	Expiration	Title	or
							Exercisable Date		Number	
				Code V	(A)	(D)				of Shares
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units (	\$ 0	02/18/2011		M		12,125	02/18/2011	02/18/2011	units	12,125
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# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Faneuil Edward J C/O GLOBAL PARTNERS LP 800 SOUTH STREET WALTHAM, MA 02454

**EVP and General Counsel** 

## **Signatures**

/s/ Edward J. 02/23/2011 Faneuil

\*\*Signature of Date
Reporting Person

# **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).
- Acquisition of common units representing limited partner interests in Global Partners LP, in settlement of 25% of the phantom units that were granted to Mr. Edward J. Faneuil under a Grant Agreement dated February 5, 2009 pursuant to the Global Partners LP Long-Term Incentive Plan, as a result of the satisfaction of certain early vesting conditions set forth in the Grant Agreement.
- (2) Each phantom unit is the economic equivalent of one common unit of Global Partners LP.

#### **Remarks:**

Remarks: Mr. Edward J. Faneuil is an Executive Vice President and the General Counsel and Secretary of Global GP LLC, the

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