#### STONEMOR PARTNERS LP

Form 4 May 17, 2007

# FORM 4

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#### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES** 

Form 4 or 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 \*

**GRUNEBAUM PETER** 

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

STONEMOR PARTNERS LP

[STON]

(Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

> (Month/Day/Year) 05/15/2007

C/O STONEMOR PARTNERS L.P., 155 RITTENHOUSE CIRCLE

> (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

> > Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Applicable Line)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

Issuer

below)

X\_ Director

Officer (give title

BRISTOL, PA 19007

Security

(Instr. 3)

1. Title of

(State) (Zip) (City) 1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed

3. (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Month/Day/Year)

4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial (I) (Instr. 4)

Ownership (Instr. 4)

10% Owner

Other (specify

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(A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price

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)

Derivative Conversion

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

5. Number of TransactionDerivative

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** 

7. Title and Amount of **Underlying Securities** 

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Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr.	8)	Securities Acquired (A) Disposed of ( (Instr. 3, 4, a) 5)	(D)	(Month/Day/	Year)	er) (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Distribution Equivalent Rights	<u>(1)</u>	05/15/2007		A		85.003		(2)	(3)	common units	85.003
Restricted Phantom Units	<u>(4)</u>	05/15/2007		A		118.957		<u>(5)</u>	<u>(6)</u>	common units	118.957

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
1	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
GRUNEBAUM PETER							
C/O STONEMOR PARTNERS L.P.	X						
155 RITTENHOUSE CIRCLE	Λ						
BRISTOL, PA 19007							

## **Signatures**

/s/ Shirley Herman, Attorney-in-Fact 05/17/2007

\*\*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).
- The distribution equivalent rights accrue on restricted phantom units representing limited partner interests and become payable, in cash or common units, at the election of the issuer, upon the separation of the reporting person from service as a director or upon the occurrence of certain other events specified in Section 409A of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended. Each ditribution equivalent right is the economic equivalent of one common unit representing limited partner interests.
- (2) See Footnote 1.
- (3) See Footnote 1.
- Each restricted phantom unit representing limited partner interests is the economic equivalent of one common unit representing limited partner interests. Restricted phantom units become payable, in cash or common units, at the election of the issuer, upon the separation of the reporting person from service as a director or upon the occurrence of certain other events specified in Section 409A of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended.
- (5) See Footnote 4.
- (6) See Footnote 4.

#### **Remarks:**

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