MARTIN RUBEN S
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
MARTIN RUBEN S

(Last) (First) (Middle)

4200 STONE ROAD

(Street)

KILGORE, TX 75662

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading Symbol
MARTIN MIDSTREAM PARTNERS LP [MMLP]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
11/14/2009

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
(Check all applicable)
__X__ Director __X__ 10% Owner
__X__ Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
President and CEO

6. 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

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)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Units	11/14/2009		C/K		850,674	A	$ 0	5,184,817	I	By Martin Resource Management Corporation. (1)
Common Units								37,931	D	
Common Units								12,028	I	By Margaret G. Martin Life Insurance Trust No.

One (2)

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)	
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Subordinated Units	$ 0	11/14/2009		C/K			850,674	11/14/2009	(3)	Common Units	850,6

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
MARTIN RUBEN S 4200 STONE ROAD KILGORE, TX 75662	X	X	President and CEO	

Signatures

/s/ Ruben S. Martin	11/17/2009
**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) Mr. Martin beneficially owns securities in Martin Resource Management Corporation ("MRMC") and serves as its Chairman of the Board of Directors and its President. MRMC indirectly owns 5,184,817 common units of the issuer through its wholly-owned subsidiary, Martin Resource LLC ("Resource"). Subordinated units held by Resource converted into common units on November 14, 2009 in accordance with the issuer's First Amended and Restated Agreement of Limited Partnership. After the conversion, Resource's ownership increased to 5,184,817 common units. As a result of Mr. Martin's relationship with MRMC and Resource, Mr. Martin may be deemed the

beneficial owner of such common units.

(2) Mr. Martin serves as the sole trustee for the Margaret G. Martin Life Insurance Trust No. One. As a result, Mr. Martin may be deemed the beneficial owner of the common units owned by the Margaret G. Martin Insurance Trust No. One.

(3) The subordinated units did not have an expiration date.

Remarks:

Ruben S. Martin is President, Chief Executive Officer and a member of the Board of Directors of Martin Midstream GP LLC, partner of Martin Midstream Partners L.P.

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