

PLAINS ALL AMERICAN PIPELINE LP

Form 3

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**INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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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 \*

A Swanson Al

(Last)

(First)

(Middle)

2. Date of Event Requiring Statement

(Month/Day/Year)

08/16/2007

3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

PLAINS ALL AMERICAN PIPELINE LP [PAA]

4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

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

(Check all applicable)

☐ Director ☐ 10% Owner☒ Officer ☐ Other

(give title below) (specify below)

Vice President &amp; Treasurer

6. Individual or Joint/Group

Filing(Check Applicable Line)

☒ Form filed by One Reporting Person☐ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

333 CLAY ST., # 1600

(Street)

HOUSTON, TX 77002

(City)

(State)

(Zip)

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned**1. Title of Security  
(Instr. 4)2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned  
(Instr. 4)3. Ownership Form:  
Direct (D)  
or Indirect (I)  
(Instr. 5)4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership  
(Instr. 5)

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

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**Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)**1. Title of Derivative Security  
(Instr. 4)2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date  
(Month/Day/Year)

Date Exercisable      Expiration Date

3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security  
(Instr. 4)

Title

Amount or Number of Shares

4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security

5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security:  
Direct (D)  
or Indirect (I)  
(Instr. 5)6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership  
(Instr. 5)

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Phantom Units <sup>(1)</sup>	Â <sup>(3)</sup>	Â <sup>(6)</sup>	Common Units	24,000	\$ <sup>(8)</sup>	D	Â
Phantom Units <sup>(1)</sup>	Â <sup>(4)</sup>	Â <sup>(6)</sup>	Common Units	15,000	\$ <sup>(8)</sup>	D	Â
Phantom Units <sup>(2)</sup>	Â <sup>(5)</sup>	Â <sup>(7)</sup>	Common Units	33,000	\$ <sup>(8)</sup>	D	Â

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Swanson Al 333 CLAY ST., # 1600 HOUSTON, TX 77002	Â	Â	Â Vice President & Treasurer	Â

## Signatures

/s/ Al Swanson 08/21/2007

Signature of  
Reporting Person

Date

## Explanation of Responses:

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(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) Grant of phantom units under 2005 Long-Term Incentive Plan (includes associated distribution equivalent rights (payable in cash)).
- (2) Grant of phantom units under 1998 Long-Term Incentive Plan (includes associated distribution equivalent rights (payable in cash)).
- (3) Phantom units vest in equal 1/2 increments on May 2009 and May 2010 distribution dates.
- (4) Phantom units vest in equal 1/3 increments on May 2008, May 2009 and May 2010 distribution dates.
- (5) Phantom units vest in equal 1/3 increments upon achievement of annualized distributions of \$3.50, \$4.00 and \$3.75 and continued employment through May 2011, May 2011 and May 2012, respectively.
- (6) Upon termination of employment, other than because of death, disability or retirement.
- (7) Any phantom units that have not vested as of the May 2014 distribution date will be forfeited.
- (8) 1-for-1 Common Units for Phantom Units granted under long-term incentive plan.

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