

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

() Check this box if no longer subject to Section 16.
 Form 4 or Form 5 obligations may continue. See Instructions 1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person
 Klesse, William R.
 P. O. Box 500
 San Antonio, TX 78292-0500
 U.S.A.
2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 Valero L.P.
 (VLI)
3. IRS or Social Security Number of Reporting Person (Voluntary)
4. Statement for Month/Year
 September 23, 2002
5. If Amendment, Date of Original (Month/Year)
6. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)
 Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
 Director and Executive Vice President
7. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)
 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	2. Transaction Date	3. Code	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D)		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned at End of Month	6. Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
			Amount	A/D			

Table II -- Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Derivative Security	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date	4. Code	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date		7. Title and Number of Underlying Securities	8. Price of Derivative Security	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned at End of Month	10. Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
				Amount	A/D	Exercisable Date	Expiration Date					
Unit Options (right to buy)	\$36.30	09/23/02	A	20,000	A	(b)	09/23/12	Common Units	20,000	20,000	D	

Explanation of Responses:
 (b) The options become exercisable in 1/3 increments on the following dates:
 September 23, 2003, September 23, 2004 and September 23, 2005.

SIGNATURE OF REPORTING PERSON
 /s/ William R. Klesse (By Power of Attorney)
 DATE
 September 24, 2002