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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol VALERO L P [VLI]		5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)				
PATTON RODMAN				X	Director	10% Owner			
(Last) P.O. BOX 6	Lact) (Firet) (Middlo)		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 07/01/2005		Officer (give title below)	Other (specify below)			
			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Indiv Line)	idual or Joint/Group Fili	ing (Check Applicable			
(Street) SAN ANTO		78269-6000		X	Form filed by One Re	eporting Person			
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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)	Transaction Code (Instr.		4. Securities Disposed Of 5)			Securities Beneficially	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	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(11341.4)
Common Units	07/01/2005		Α		332 ⁽¹⁾	A	\$ <mark>0</mark>	9,082	D	

 Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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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. Transa Code (8)		of Expir. Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Date		6. Date Exerc Expiration Da (Month/Day/Y	7. Title Amour Securi Underl Deriva Securi and 4)	nt of ties ying tive ty (Instr. 3	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code	v			Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				

Explanation of Responses:

1. Award of restricted units. The restricted units vest annually in equal increments over a three-year period beginning in July 2006.

Remarks:

Bradley C. Barron, asAttorney-in-Fact for Rodman07/06/2005D. Patton

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

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