FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* REESE RODNEY						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol VALERO L P [VLI]										all app Direc	licable) tor		Owner
						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/29/2004									X	belov	,	belov resident	r (specify v)
(Street) SAN AN (City)	SAN ANTONIO TX 78269-6000				4. If <i>i</i>	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									Indivi ne) X	vidual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
		Tabl	e I - Nor	ı-Deriv	ative	Sec	uritie	s Acq	uired,	Dis	osed o	f, or	Bene	eficia	ally (Owne	ed .		
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Da						Execution		n Date,	3. Transa Code (8)		Disposed	ties Acquired (A) d Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4			and Securi Benefi		ties cially Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
										v	Amount	(A) or)	Price		Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			(1130.4)
Common Units (tax withheld for restricted unit vesting) 10/2				10/29)/2004				F		28		D	\$56	5.2	5,962		D	
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	Conversion Date Execution Date, or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any				ransaction of ode (Instr. Deriva			6. Date E Expiratio (Month/D	n Date	•	Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		ount	nt .		9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					Code V						Date	Title Sha		res					

Explanation of Responses:

Remarks:

<u>J. Stephen Gilbert, as Attorney-</u> <u>in-Fact for Rodney L. Reese</u> 11/01/2004

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

- * 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).

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