FORM 4

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person*     NICOLETTI WILLIAM P						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol STAR GAS PARTNERS LP [ SGU ] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)								(Che	eck all app	olicable)		Issuer Owner (specify	
(Last)	Last) (First) (Middle)					02/09/2011										below)		below)	
C/O STAR GAS PARTNERS, L.P. 2187 ATLANTIC STREET					4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								Line	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)					
(Street)	Street) STAMFORD CT 06902														X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City)	(Sta	ate) (Z	Zip)																
		Tabl	e I - I	Non-Deriv	ative S	Secu	ıritie	s Ac	quired,	Dis	posed of	f, or	Bene	ficial	ly Own	ed			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Y					Year) if	Execution Date,			3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)  4. Securities Acquired (Approximately 10 to 10					d Secui	rities F ficially ( ed I	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	Repo Trans		(	(	
Common Units 02/09/201					1(1)			P		505.695	5	A	\$5.363	35,	505.695	I	Spouse		
	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)	erivative   Conversion   Date   Execution Date, curity   or Exercise   (Month/Day/Year)   if any		Code (Ir	sinsaction de (Instr. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		vative rities iired r osed ) . 3, 4	Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr 3 and 4)  Amount or Numbr of Title Shares		str.	. Price of Derivative Security Instr. 5)	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)			

## Explanation of Responses:

1. This Form 4 is being filed after the due date as the Common Units were inadvertently purchased pursuant to a brokerage distribution reinvestment program without the knowledge of the reporting person.

William P. Nicoletti 03/08/2011

\*\* 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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