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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Arnold Steven D			n * 2. Issuer Nar Symbol	2. Issuel I tame and Tieker of Trading				5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
			Western Ga	Western Gas Partners LP [WES]				(Check all applicable)		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle	e) 3. Date of Ear	3. Date of Earliest Transaction						
1201 LAKE RC	•	(Month/Day/Year) 05/08/2018					Owner r (specify			
(Street) THE WOODLANDS, TX 77380				4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)				6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I -	Non-Deriv	ative Seco	urities Acqu	ired, Disposed of,	, or Beneficiall	y Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transactio (Month/Day/		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	Disposed (Instr. 3,	(A) or of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Common Units						` ,				
Representing Limited Partnership Interests							36,143	D		

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

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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)	2. 3. Transaction Date Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	(Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Phantom Units	(1)	05/08/2018		A	2,005	05/08/2019	05/08/2019	Common Units Representing Limited Partnership Interests	2,005

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
1 0	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Arnold Steven D						
1201 LAKE ROBBINS DRIVE	X					
THE WOODLANDS, TX 77380						

Signatures

/s/ Courtney H. Landry by power of atty. for Steven D.

Arnold

05/09/2018

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * 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).
- (1) Each Phantom Unit is the economic equivalent of one WES Common Unit representing limited partnership interests, and upon vesting, entitled to receive a common unit.

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