

CLEARBRIDGE AMERICAN ENERGY MLP FUND INC.
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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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 Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section
 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

<p>1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *</p> <p>Â ING USA ANNUITY & LIFE INSURANCE CO</p> <p>(Last) (First) (Middle)</p> <p>C/O ING INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT LLC,Â 5780 POWERS FERRY ROAD, NW, SUITE 300</p> <p>(Street)</p> <p>ATLANTA,Â 2QÂ 30327</p> <p>(City) (State) (Zip)</p>	<p>2. Date of Event Requiring Statement</p> <p>(Month/Day/Year)</p> <p>10/15/2013</p>	<p>3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol</p> <p>CLEARBRIDGE AMERICAN ENERGY MLP FUND INC. [CBA]</p>	<p>4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer</p> <p>(Check all applicable)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Director <input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Officer <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other</p> <p>(give title below) (specify below)</p> <p>See Remarks.</p>	<p>5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)</p>	<p>6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person</p>
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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
3.25% Series A Senior Secured Notes due October 15, 2018	\$ 4,100,000	D	Â
3.89% Series B Senior Secured Notes due October 15, 2020	\$ 8,300,000	D	Â
4.51% Series C Senior Secured Notes due October 15, 2023	\$ 5,300,000	D	Â
4.66% Series D Senior Secured Notes due October 15, 2025	\$ 4,000,000	D	Â

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

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

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
ING USA ANNUITY & LIFE INSURANCE CO C/O ING INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT LLC 5780 POWERS FERRY ROAD, NW, SUITE 300 ATLANTA, GA 30327	^	^	^	See Remarks.

Signatures

/s/ Christopher P. Lyons, Senior Vice President, ING Investment Management LLC, as Agent 10/18/2013

__Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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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Remarks:

Filed pursuant to Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940. The reporting party and

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