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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person 2. Date of Event 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Requiring Statement Global Partners LP [GLP] A Global Petroleum Corp. (Month/Day/Year) 09/27/2005 (Last) (First) (Middle) 4. Relationship of Reporting 5. If Amendment, Date Original Person(s) to Issuer Filed(Month/Day/Year) P.O. BOX 9161, 800 SOUTH (Check all applicable) **STREET** (Street) 6. Individual or Joint/Group _X__ Director _X__ 10% Owner Filing(Check Applicable Line) Officer Other _X_ Form filed by One Reporting (give title below) (specify below) Person WALTHAM, MAÂ 02454-9161 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned 1. Title of Security 2. Amount of Securities 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Beneficially Owned Ownership Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Form: (Instr. 5) Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) Common Units representing limited partner $0^{(1)}$ Â D interests Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially SEC 1473 (7-02) owned directly or indirectly. Persons who respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB control number.

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	5. Ownership Form of Derivative	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
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	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Security	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Subordinated Units representing limited partner interests	(2)	(2)	Common Units	0 (1)	\$ <u>(2)</u>	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Global Petroleum Corp.

P.O. BOX 9161

800 SOUTH STREET

WALTHAM, MAÂ 02454-9161

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Signatures

Richard Slifka, Treasurer, on behalf of Global Petroleum Corp.

09/27/2005

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**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).
 - As of September 27, 2005, Global Petroleum Corp. ("GPC") owns a 98% limited partner interest in Issuer. At the closing of the Issuer's initial public offering of common units ("Common Units") representing limited partner interests (the "Offering"), GPC's 98% limited partner interest will be reduced to 16.9% as a result of the dilutive effect of the Offering. Global GP LLC ("GP LLC") is sole general
- (1) partner of and holds a 2% general partner interest in the Issuer. As of September 27, 2005, GPC is the sole member of GP LLC. At the closing of the Offering, GPC's 100% membership interest in GP LLC will be reduced to 36%. At the closing of the Offering, GPC will contribute certain assets to the Issuer and in exchange therefor GPC will receive (a) 226,736 Common Units, (b) 1,723,196 subordinated units ("Subordinated Units") representing limited partner interests in the Issuer and (c) a 36% membership interest in GP LLC.
- Each Subordinated Unit will convert into one Common Unit at the end of the subordination period, which will end once the Issuer meets certain financial tests set forth in the agreement of limited partnership of the Issuer, but not before September 30, 2008. These financial tests require the Issuer to have earned and paid the minimum quarterly distributions and arrearages (if any) on all of its outstanding units for any three consecutive four quarter periods.

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