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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Holotik Jim

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

Regency Energy Partners LP [RGP]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

Issuer

(Last)

(First)

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

Director 10% Owner

2001 BRYAN STREET, SUITE

(Street)

(State)

3700

12/21/2011

(Month/Day/Year)

X_ Officer (give title below) **EVP Chief Commercial Officer**

Other (specify

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

(Instr. 8)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

(Instr. 4)

Person

DALLAS, TX 75201

(Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)

(City)

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if

(Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial Ownership (I)

(Instr. 4)

(A)

Reported Transaction(s)

(Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price

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 Conversion Security or Exercise

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

any

4. 5. Number of TransactionDerivative Code Securities

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** (Month/Day/Year)

7. Title and Amount of **Underlying Securities** (Instr. 3 and 4)

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(Instr. 3) Price of (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Acquired (A) (Inst Derivative or Disposed of Security (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) Code V (A) (D) Date Expiration Title Amount Exercisable Date orNumber of Shares Phantom Units Common (2) (3) 22,500 (1) 12/21/2011 A 22,500 Units with

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Holotik Jim 2001 BRYAN STREET SUITE 3700 DALLAS, TX 75201

EVP Chief Commercial Officer

Signatures

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/s/ Jim Holotik 12/21/2011

**Signature of 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).
- Each phantom unit is the economic equivalent of one common unit representing a limited partner interest in Regency Energy Partners LP (1) (the "Partnership") and is accompanied by a distribution equivalent right, entitling the holder to an amount equal to any cash distributions paid on each of the Partnership's common units.
- (2) One fifth of the total granted phantom units will vest on December 5, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015 and 2016.
- (3) Not applicable.

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