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FORM 4

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

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05/15/2012

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and A Swanson Al	Symbol PLAINS	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol PLAINS ALL AMERICAN PIPELINE LP [PAA]					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)						
(Last)	(First) ST., # 1600	3. Date of (Month/D	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/15/2012					Director 10% Owner Selection Other (specify below) below) Executive VP & CFO					
HOUSTON	(Street) HOUSTON, TX 77002				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	e I - Non-	Dє	erivative S	ecurit	ies Acq	uired, Disposed o	of, or Beneficia	lly Owned		
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction (Month/Day/Yo	ear) Execut any	eemed ion Date, if n/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	on(A) or Dis (D) (Instr. 3, 4	sposed 4 and 5 (A) or	of 5)	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	05/15/2012			Code M	V	Amount 11,000	(D)	Price \$ 0	58,999	D			
Common Units	05/15/2012			F		4,010	D	\$0	54,989	D			
Common Units	05/15/2012			M		11,666	A	\$0	66,655	D			

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

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4,253

D

\$0

62,402

D

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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. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of ctionDerivative Securities 8) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (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-1998 LTIP	(1)	05/15/2012		M		11,000	05/15/2012	(2)	Common Units	11,000
Phantom Units-2005 LTIP	<u>(1)</u>	05/15/2012		M		11,666	05/15/2012	(2)	Common Units	11,666

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Swanson Al

333 CLAY ST., # 1600 Executive VP & CFO

HOUSTON, TX 77002

Signatures

Al Swanson 05/15/2012

**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).
- (1) 1-for-1 Common Units for Phantom Units granted under long-term incentive plan.
- (2) N/A

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