

HERSH KENNETH A
Form 4
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FORM 4

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

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1(b).

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
HERSH KENNETH A

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3738 OAK LAWN AVENUE

(Street)

DALLAS, TX 75219

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol

Energy Transfer Equity, L.P. [ETE]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)

12/19/2008

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

☒ Director ☐ 10% Owner
☐ Officer (give title below) ☐ Other (specify below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
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Person

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

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 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)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Units	12/19/2008		J ⁽¹⁾		15,200,538	A	\$ 0 ⁽²⁾
							15,631,778 ⁽³⁾
							I
Common Units							150,000
							D

By
Natural
Gas
Partners
VI, L.P.

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. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities 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)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repor Trans (Instr
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director 10% Owner Officer Other
HERSH KENNETH A 3738 OAK LAWN AVENUE DALLAS, TX 75219	X

Signatures

/s/ Sonia Aube,
Attorney-In-Fact 12/23/2008

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

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(1) Pro rata distribution to the partners of ETC Holdings, L.P.

(2) Not applicable: pro rata distribution to partners, without consideration.

The reported Common Units are owned directly by NGP. G.F.W. Energy VI L.P. and GFW VI, L.L.C. may be deemed to beneficially own the units owned of record by NGP, by virtue of GFW VI, L.L.C. being the sole general partner of G.F.W. Energy VI L.P. G.F.W.

(3) Energy VI, L.P. is the sole general partner of NGP. Mr. Hersh is a member of such entity and may also be deemed to share power to vote or to direct the vote and to dispose or to direct the disposition of, the Common Units held by NGP. Mr. Hersh disclaims beneficial ownership of the reported Common Units except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.

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