DAVIS RAY C Form 4

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

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Issuer

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

Washington, D.C. 20549

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section may continue. 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 See Instruction

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Energy Transfer Equity, L.P. [ETE]

Symbol

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

(Last) 5950 SHE	(First)  RRY LANE, SUI  (Street)  TX 75225	(Middle) ITE 550	<ul> <li>3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)</li> <li>10/14/2010</li> <li>4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)</li> </ul>					X Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below)  6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Ta	ble I - Non	-Derivative Se	curitio	es Acqui	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficia	lly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)  Common Units Common Units	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)  12/16/2010  10/14/2010	Execution I any (Month/Da	Date, if	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8) Code V	4. Securities Approx Disposed of (Instr. 3, 4 and Amount 230 1,938,987	of (D)	Price \$ 37.22 \$ 38.68	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) 1,606,274 (1) 3,545,261 (1) (2)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)  D	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Common Units							30.00	7,881,953 (1) (3)	I	By ETC Holdings, LP	
Common Units								1,410,552 (1)	I	By Linda Davis	
Common Units								3,223,005 (1)	I	By L. Davis Rem. Trust	

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Common Units							741,654 <u>(4)</u>	I	By Avatar Investments LP
Common Units							50	I	By Avatar Holdings LLC
Common Units	10/14/2010	G	V	699,846	A	\$ 0	699,846 (5)	I	By Children's Trust
Common Units	10/14/2010	G	V	699,846	A	\$ 0	699,846 (5)	I	By Children's Trust
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Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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> 9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repo Trans (Instr

# Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.		5.	6. Date Exer	cisable and	7. Tit	le and	8. Price of
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transa	ction	Number	Expiration D	ate	Amou	int of	Derivative
Security	or Exercise		any	Code		of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Unde	rlying	Security
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr.	8)	Derivative	e		Secur	ities	(Instr. 5)
	Derivative					Securities			(Instr	3 and 4)	
	Security					Acquired					
						(A) or					
						Disposed					
						of (D)					
						(Instr. 3,					
						4, and 5)					
										Amount	
							Date	Expiration		or	
								Date	Title	Number	
							2	2		of	
				Code	V	(A) (D)				Shares	

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships								
• 0	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other					
DAVIS RAY C									
5950 SHERRY LANE, SUITE 550	X								
DALLAS, TX 75225									

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## **Signatures**

/s/ Sonia Aube, Attorney-in-Fact

\*\*Signature of Reporting 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) Reflects the results of transactions involving grantor retained annuity trusts, exempt from reporting as changes only in form of beneficial ownership.
- (2) Reflects the purchase of common units from children's remaindermen trusts upon the termination of grantor retained annuity trusts.
- The reported units are owned directly by ETC Holdings LP (ETC). The reported units represent the estimated pro rata interest of Mr. Davis in ETC, including his interest in other partners of ETC.
- (4) Reflects the correction of a 600 unit error in previously reported common units.
- (5) Reflects net distributions of common units to children's remaindermen trusts upon termination of grantor retained annuity trusts. Mr. Davis disclaims beneficial ownership of common units held by such trusts except to the extent of his pecuniary interest, if any, therein.

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