Oiltanking Partners, L.P. Form 8-K February 24, 2014

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549 FORM 8-K

### CURRENT REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d)

OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): February 24, 2014

Oiltanking Partners, L.P.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware 001-35230 45-0684578 (State or other jurisdiction (Commission (I.R.S. Employer of incorporation or organization) File Number) Identification No.)

333 Clay Street, Suite 2400 Houston, Texas 77002

(Address of principal executive office) (Zip Code)

(281) 457-7900

(Registrants' telephone number, including area code)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions:

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- o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

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Item 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On February 24, 2014, Oiltanking Partners, L.P., a Delaware limited partnership (the "Partnership") issued a press release announcing its financial results for the quarter and year ended December 31, 2013. A copy of this press release is attached to this Current Report on Form 8-K as Exhibit 99.1 and is hereby incorporated herein by reference.

The information provided in this Item 2.02 (including the press release attached as Exhibit 99.1) shall not be deemed to be "filed" for the purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, nor shall it be incorporated by reference in any filing made by the Partnership pursuant to the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, except to the extent that such filing incorporates by reference any or all of such information by express reference thereto.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

- (d) Exhibits.
- 99.1 Press release of Oiltanking Partners, L.P. issued February 24, 2014.

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#### **SIGNATURES**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned thereunto duly authorized.

Oiltanking Partners, L.P.

By: OTLP GP, LLC, its general partner

Dated: February 24, 2014 By: /s/ Brian C. Brantley

Name: Brian C. Brantley

Title: Vice President, General Counsel and Secretary

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