FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>LELAND D MARK</u>					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Oiltanking Partners, L.P. [OILT]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
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Explanation of Responses:

1. The transaction reported on this Form 4 was executed pursuant to a unit purchase plan in compliance with Rule 10b5-1 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

Code V

2. The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These common units were purchased in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$38.30 to \$38.47 per common unit, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide to the issuer, any security holder of the issuer, or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of common units purchased at the applicable price within this range.

(A) (D) Exercisable Date

/s/ Donna Hymel, as attorney-

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Title

** Signature of Reporting Person

10/09/2012

Date

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

- * 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).

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