FORM 3

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

INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person [*] Casey Larry				vent Requiring 'Year) 7	Statement	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>Duncan Energy Partners L.P.</u> [DEP]						
(Last) 1100 LOUISIANA S	(First) TREET; SUITE 1000	(Middle)				4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director		10% Owner	Ľ	5. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)		
(Street) HOUSTON	тх	77002					Officer (give title below)	Other (specify b	elow) 6.	X Form filed by On	illing (Check Applicable Line) e Reporting Person re than One Reporting Person	
(City)	(State)	(Zip)										
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned												
1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)					2. Amount of (Instr. 4)		3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)		4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)			
Units Representing Limited Partnership Interests						0(1)	D ⁽²⁾					
Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)												
Expiration				2. Date Exerc Expiration Da (Month/Day/Y	te	3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Deriva (Instr. 4)		vative Security	4. Conversion Exercise Price of Derivative	Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)	
				Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title		Amount or Number of Shares	Security			

Explanation of Responses:

The reporting person does not benefically own any securities of the company whether directly or indirectly.
The power of attorney under which this form was signed is attached as Exhibit 24.

Remarks:

Philip C. Neisel, Attorney-in-Fact on behalf of Larry Casey. 01/29/2007

Date

** Signature of Reporting Person

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

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KNOW ALL PERSONS BY THIS DOCUMENT: That I, Larry Casey, have made, constituted, and appointed, and by this document do make, constitute, and appoint Richard

____/s/ Richard H. Bachmann____ Richard H. Bachmann, Attorney-in-Fact

_____/s/ Stephanie C. Hildebrandt_____ Stephanie C. Hildebrandt, Attorney-in-Fact

_____/s/ Philip C, Neisel_____ Philip C. Neisel, Attorney-in-Fact

____/s/ William L. Soula_____ William L. Soula, Attorney-in-Fact

or any of them, signing singly, my true and lawful attorney-in-fact, and in my name, place, and stead to:

1. Execute, deliver and file on behalf of the undersigned, in the undersigned's capacity as a director of DEP Holdings, LLC, the sole general partner of Duncan Ener

2. Do and perform any and all acts for and on behalf of the undersigned which may be necessary or desirable to complete and execute any such Form 3, 4 or 5 and time

3. Take any other action of any type whatsoever in connection with or in furtherance of the matters described in paragraphs 1 and 2 above which in the opinion of it

Giving and granting to each such attorney-in-fact full power and authority to do and perform every act necessary and proper to be done in the exercise of the This Power of Attorney shall remain in effect until the undersigned is no longer required to file Forms 3, 4 and 5 with respect to the undersigned's holdings

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has caused this Power of Attorney to be executed as of this _29_ day of _January_, 2007.

_____/s/ Larry Casey_____

LARRY CASEY