

MAGELLAN MIDSTREAM PARTNERS LP  
Form 8-K  
October 26, 2004

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**UNITED STATES**  
**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
WASHINGTON, DC 20549

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**FORM 8-K**

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**CURRENT REPORT PURSUANT**  
**TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE**  
**SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934**

Date of report (Date of earliest event reported): October 20, 2004

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**Magellan Midstream Partners, L.P.**

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)

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**Delaware**  
(State or Other Jurisdiction  
of Incorporation)

**1-16335**  
(Commission File Number)

**73-1599053**  
(IRS Employer  
Identification No.)

**P.O. Box 22186, Tulsa, Oklahoma**  
(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

**74121-2186**  
(Zip Code)

Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code: (918) 574-7000

**Not Applicable**

**(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)**

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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:

- .. Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
  - .. Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
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  - .. Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13c-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-14(c))
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**Item 5.02. Departure of Directors or Principal Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Principal Officers.**

Pursuant to Item 5.02(b) of the Form 8-K rules, the Partnership reports that at a meeting of the Board of Directors of Magellan GP, LLC, the general partner of the Partnership (the General Partner ), held on October 20, 2004, Mark G. Papa, an independent director of the General Partner, expressed his intent to resign from the Board of Directors and not stand for election at the next annual meeting of unitholders in April 2005. Due to conflicting time commitments, Mr. Papa will resign at such time as a replacement candidate is appointed or at the next annual meeting of unitholders, whichever is earlier.

**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 hereunto duly authorized.

**Magellan Midstream Partners, L.P.**

**By: Magellan GP, LLC,**  
its General Partner

Date: October 26, 2004

By: /s/ Suzanne H. Costin

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Name: Suzanne H. Costin  
Title: Corporate Secretary