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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

**SECURITIES** 

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting 2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Person \* Statement Summit Midstream Partners, LP [SMLP] A Stratton Marc David (Month/Day/Year) 12/07/2018 (Last) (First) (Middle) 4. Relationship of Reporting 5. If Amendment, Date Original Person(s) to Issuer Filed(Month/Day/Year) C/O SUMMIT MIDSTREAM (Check all applicable) PARTNERS, LP, 1790 **HUGHES LANDING BLVD.,** 10% Owner Director **SUITE 500** \_X\_\_ Officer Other (give title below) (specify below) (Street) 6. Individual or Joint/Group See remarks below. Filing(Check Applicable Line) \_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person THE Form filed by More than One WOODLANDS. TXÂ 77380 Reporting Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial 1. Title of Security 2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Ownership Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 5) Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (Instr. 5) Â Common Units 20,245 D Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially SEC 1473 (7-02) owned directly or indirectly. Persons who respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not

Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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1. Title of Derivative Security
(Instr. 4)

2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)

2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date Securities Underlying Derivative Security

3. Title and Amount of Expiration Date Securities Underlying Ownership Ownership Or Exercise Form of Conversion (Instr. 5)

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	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	(Instr. 4) Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Price of Derivative Security	Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Phantom Units (1)	(2)	(3)	Common Units	14,754	\$ 0	D	Â
Phantom Units (1)	(4)	(3)	Common Units	6,222	\$ 0	D	Â
Phantom Units (1)	(5)	(3)	Common Units	4,273	\$ 0	D	Â

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address		Relationships				
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Stratton Marc David C/O SUMMIT MIDSTREAM PARTNERS, LP 1790 HUGHES LANDING BLVD., SUITE 500	Â	Â	$\hat{A}$ See remarks below.	Â		
THE WOODLANDS, TX 77380						

### **Signatures**

/s/ Brock M. Degeyter, Attorney-in-Fact for Marc D. Stratton

12/13/2018

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

Date

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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) Each phantom unit is the economic equivalent of one common unit.
  - One-third of the phantom units (rounded down to the nearest whole number of units, except in the case of the final vesting date) shall vest on each of the first, second and third anniversaries of the Grant Date (March 15, 2018), subject to continued employment and
- (2) accelerated vesting as provided in the applicable award agreement. The Reporting Person will receive distribution equivalent rights (DERs) for each phantom unit, providing for payment on the vesting date of a lump sum of cash equal to the accrued distributions from and after the grant date of the phantom units.
- (3) The phantom units and associated DERs do not expire. The phantom units are settled upon vesting in common units (on a one-for-one basis) or in cash, at the discretion of the Issuer.
- One-half of these phantom units shall vest on March 15, 2019 and the remaining one-half of these phantom units shall vest on March 15, 2020, subject to continued employment and accelerated vesting, as provided in the applicable award agreement. The Reporting Person will receive DERs for each phantom unit, providing for payment on the vesting date of a lump sum of cash equal to the accrued distributions from and after the grant date of the phantom units.
- These phantom units shall vest on March 15, 2019, subject to continued employment and accelerated vesting, as provided in the applicable award agreement. The Reporting Person will receive DERs for each phantom unit, providing for payment on the vesting date of a lump sum of cash equal to the accrued distributions from and after the grant date of the phantom units.

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#### **Remarks:**

The Reporting Person is Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer of Summit MidstreamÂ

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