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Form 8-K  
December 19, 2008

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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): December 18, 2008

SEMGROUP ENERGY PARTNERS, L.P.  
(Exact name of Registrant as specified in its charter)

DELAWARE (State of incorporation or organization)	001-33503 (Commission file number)	20-8536826 (I.R.S. employer identification number)
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Two Warren Place 6120 South Yale Avenue, Suite 500 Tulsa, Oklahoma (Address of principal executive offices)	74136  (Zip code)
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Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (918) 524-5500

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

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



Item 1.01

Entry into a Material Definitive Agreement.

As previously disclosed in Current Reports on Form 8-K filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the “SEC”) on July 21, 2008 and July 24, 2008, events of default currently exist under SemGroup Energy Partners, L.P.’s (the “Partnership’s”) Amended and Restated Credit Agreement, dated February 20, 2008 (the “Credit Agreement”), among the Partnership, Wachovia Bank, National Association, as Administrative Agent, L/C Issuer and Swing Line Lender, Bank of America, N.A., as Syndication Agent and the other lenders from time to time party thereto (the “Lenders”). As a result of the events of default, the Lenders under the Credit Agreement may, among other remedies, declare all outstanding amounts under the Credit Agreement immediately due and payable and exercise all rights and remedies available to the Lenders under the Credit Agreement and related loan documents.

As previously disclosed in a Current Report on Form 8-K filed with the SEC on September 22, 2008, the Partnership and the requisite Lenders entered into a Forbearance Agreement and Amendment to Credit Agreement (the “Forbearance Agreement”) under which the Lenders agreed, subject to specified limitations and conditions, to forbear from exercising their rights and remedies arising from the Partnership’s events of default described above and other defaults or events of default described therein for the period commencing on September 18, 2008 and ending on the earlier of (i) December 11, 2008, (ii) the occurrence of any default or event of default under the Credit Agreement other than certain defaults and events of default indicated in the Forbearance Agreement, and (iii) the failure of the Partnership to comply with any of the terms of the Forbearance Agreement (the “Forbearance Period”). As disclosed in a

Current Report on Form 8-K filed with the SEC on December 12, 2008, the Forbearance Period was extended until December 18, 2008 pursuant to a First Amendment to Forbearance Agreement and Amendment to Credit Agreement (the “First Amendment”).

On December 18, 2008, the Partnership and the requisite Lenders entered into the Second Amendment to Forbearance Agreement and Amendment to Credit Agreement (the “Second Amendment”). The Second Amendment extends the Forbearance Period until the earlier of (i) March 18, 2009, (ii) the occurrence of any default or event of default under the Credit Agreement other than certain defaults and events of default indicated in the Forbearance Agreement, as amended by the First Amendment and the Second Amendment, and (iii) the failure of the Partnership to comply with any of the terms of the Forbearance Agreement, as amended by the First Amendment and the Second Amendment (the “Extended Forbearance Period”). Prior to the execution of the Forbearance Agreement, the Credit Agreement was comprised of a \$350 million revolving credit facility and a \$250 million term loan facility. The Forbearance Agreement permanently reduced the Partnership’s revolving credit facility under the Credit Agreement from \$350 million to \$300 million and prohibited the Partnership from borrowing additional funds under its revolving credit facility during the Forbearance Period. The Second Amendment further permanently reduced the Partnership’s revolving credit facility under the Credit Agreement from \$300 million to \$220 million and also prohibits the Partnership from borrowing additional funds under its revolving credit facility during the Extended Forbearance Period. In addition, under the Second Amendment, the Partnership agreed to pay the Lenders executing the Second Amendment a fee equal to 0.375% of the aggregate commitments under the Credit Agreement after the above described commitment reduction. Pursuant to the Second Amendment, commencing on December 12, 2008, indebtedness under the Credit Agreement will bear interest at the Partnership’s option, at either (i) the administrative agent’s prime rate or the federal funds rate plus 5.0% per annum, with a prime rate or federal funds rate floor of 4.0% per annum, or (ii) LIBOR plus 6.0% per annum, with a LIBOR floor of 3.0% per annum.

Under the Forbearance Agreement, as amended by the First Amendment and the Second Amendment, the Lender’s forbearance is subject to certain conditions as described therein, including, among other items, periodic deliverables and minimum liquidity, minimum receipts and maximum disbursement requirements.

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The foregoing description of the Second Amendment is qualified in its entirety by reference to the Second Amendment, a copy of which is filed as Exhibit 10.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K and is incorporated herein by reference.

Item 2.03. Creation of a Direct Financial Obligation or an Obligation under an Off-Balance Sheet Arrangement of a Registrant.

The information set forth above in Item 1.01 is hereby incorporated into this Item 2.03 by reference.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits

EXHIBIT NUMBER	DESCRIPTION
10.1	— Second Amendment to Forbearance Agreement and Amendment to Credit Agreement, dated as of December 18, 2008, by and among SemGroup Energy Partners, L.P., Wachovia Bank, National Association, as Administrative Agent, L/C Issuer and Swing Line Lender, and the Lenders party thereto.

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.

SEMGROUP ENERGY PARTNERS, L.P.

By: SemGroup Energy Partners G.P., L.L.C.  
its General Partner

Date: December 19, 2008  
Alex G. Stallings  
Chief Accounting Officer

By: /s/ Alex G. Stallings

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