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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> MGP II, LLC			2. Date of Event Requiring Statement(Month/Day/Year)		3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ALLIANCE RESOURCE PARTNERS LP [ARLP]				
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	07/28/2017		4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	
1717 SOUTH BOULDER AVENUE, SUITE 400				(Check all applicable)					
(Street) TULSA, OK 74119				X_ DirectorX_ 10% Owner OfficerOther (give title below) (specify below)			6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person		
								Form filed by More than One Reporting Person	
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	ן	Fable I - N	on-Derivat	ive Securiti	es Bei	neficially Owned	
1.Title of Secur (Instr. 4)	ity]	2. Amount of Beneficially ((Instr. 4)		3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nat Owne (Instr.	•	
Common Ur	nit		:	56,100,000) <u>(1)</u>	D	Â		
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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date	3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying	4. Conversion	5. Ownership	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
	(Month/Day/Year)	Derivative Security (Instr. 4) Title	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D)	(Instr. 5)

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Date	Expiration	Amount or	or Indirect
Exercisable	Date	Number of	(I)
		Shares	(Instr. 5)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
MGP II, LLC 1717 SOUTH BOULDER AVENUE SUITE 400 TULSA, OK 74119	ÂX	X	Â	Â		
Signatures						
/s/ MGP II, LLC by Kenneth Hemm, pursuant to power of attorney dated August 1, 2017	08/01/2017					
<u>**</u> Signature of Reporting Person	Date					
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Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(b)(v).

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On July 28, 2017, Alliance Resource Management GP, LLC ("MGP") contributed to Alliance Resource Partners, L.P. ("ARLP") all of its incentive distribution rights representing non-voting interests in ARLP together with its 0.99% general partner interest in ARLP in

(1) As incentre distribution rights representing non-voting interests in ARLP and 56,100,000 common units representing limited partner interests in ARLP. MGP distributed the 56,100,000 common units to its sole member, MGP II, LLC.

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Remarks:

As the sole member of MGP, the general partner of ARLP, MGP II has the right to appoint din

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