

Arata Stephen Louis  
 Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
 Arata Stephen Louis

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 Regency Energy Partners LP  
 [RGNC]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  
 (Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
 2001 BRYAN STREET, SUITE 3700  
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
 05/07/2010

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
 Executive VP and CFO

DALLAS, TX 75201

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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(City) (State) (Zip)

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4)		
				(A) or (D)	Code	V	Amount	(D)	Price

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

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**Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)**

1. Title of Derivative	2. Conversion	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if	4. Transaction of	5. Number of Derivative	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities	8. Price of Derivative
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Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	Securities (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 3 and 4)	Securi (Instr.			
			Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Phantom Units with DER	\$ 0	05/07/2010	A	5,600		(1)	(2)	Common Units	5,600	\$ 20

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Arata Stephen Louis 2001 BRYAN STREET SUITE 3700 DALLAS, TX 75201			Executive VP and CFO	

## Signatures

/s/ Stephen L. Arata  
05/11/2010  
Date

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

## Explanation of Responses:

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(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).
- Each Phantom Unit is the economic equivalent of one common unit representing a limited partner interest in Regency Energy Partners LP (the "Partnership") and is accompanied by a Distribution Equivalent Right, entitling the holder to an amount equal to any cash distributions paid on each of the Partnership's common units. One third of the total granted Phantom Units will vest on March 15 of 2011, 2012 and 2013. The Phantom Units become fully vested upon the termination of the reporting person without cause or for good reason upon or within 12 months following the occurrence of a change in control of the Partnership.
- (1) distributions paid on each of the Partnership's common units. One third of the total granted Phantom Units will vest on March 15 of 2011, 2012 and 2013. The Phantom Units become fully vested upon the termination of the reporting person without cause or for good reason upon or within 12 months following the occurrence of a change in control of the Partnership.
- (2) Not applicable.

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