

FIRST MID ILLINOIS BANCSHARES INC

Form 4

December 10, 2007

FORM 4

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549**

OMB APPROVAL

OMB Number: 3235-0287
Expires: January 31, 2005
Estimated average burden hours per response... 0.5

Check this box if no longer subject to Section 16. Form 4 or Form 5 obligations may continue. See Instruction 1(b).

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
WRIGHT CHRISTIE L

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
FIRST MID ILLINOIS BANCSHARES INC [FMBH.OB]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
11 OAK POINTE DRIVE

(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
12/10/2007

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
Vice President/Secretary

NEOGA, IL 62447

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	06/15/2007		J(2)	V 43.389 A	\$ 40.75 9,536.941 (1)	D	
Common Stock	06/15/2007		J(2)	V 18.142 A	\$ 40.75 3,987.652 (1)	I	By Spouse
Common Stock	06/15/2007		J(2)	V 17.548 A	\$ 40.75 3,856.875 (1)	I	By 401K

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

Persons who respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB control

SEC 1474 (9-02)

number.

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

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 5)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
WRIGHT CHRISTIE L 11 OAK POINTE DRIVE NEOGA, IL 62447			Vice President/Secretary	

Signatures

Michael L. Taylor, pursuant to a power of attorney filed 12/19/2002. 12/10/2007

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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).
- (1) The balance of securities owned as been adjusted to reflect a 3 for 2 stock split that occurred on June 29, 2007.
- (2) Shares acquired through the Company's dividend reinvestment plan with dividends being paid on shares of common stock held.

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, see Instruction 6 for procedure. Potential persons who are to respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB number.

10,274

8,792

Limited partners' distribution

44,469

	<u>41,427</u>
	<u>87,300</u>
	<u>82,854</u>
Total cash distributions	
	\$ 49,879
	\$ 45,823
	\$ 97,574
	\$ 91,646
Cash distributions per unit applicable to limited partners	
	\$ 0.950
	\$ 0.885
	\$ 1.865
	\$ 1.770

NUSTAR ENERGY L.P. AND SUBSIDIARIES
CONDENSED NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS – (Continued)

Comprehensive Income

The difference between our net income and our comprehensive income resulted from foreign currency translation adjustments. Our total comprehensive income was as follows:

	<u>Three Months</u>		<u>Six Months Ended</u>	
	<u>Ended June 30,</u>		<u>June 30,</u>	
	<u>2007</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2007</u>	<u>2006</u>
	(Thousands of Dollars)			
Net income	\$ 31,553	\$ 70,820	\$ 71,004	\$ 39,697
Foreign currency translation adjustment				
	<u>10,352</u>	<u>6,865</u>	<u>11,362</u>	<u>9,066</u>
Comprehensive income	\$ 38,418	\$ 82,182	\$ 80,070	\$ 50,049

Shelf Registration

On May 18, 2007, the SEC declared effective our shelf registration statement on Form S-3, which will permit us to offer and sell various types of securities, including NuStar Energy L.P. common units and debt securities of each NuStar Logistics and KPOP, having an aggregate value of up to \$3.0 billion.

8. OTHER INCOME

Other income consisted of the following:

	<u>Three Months</u>		<u>Six Months Ended</u>	
	<u>Ended June 30,</u>		<u>June 30,</u>	
	<u>2007</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2007</u>	<u>2006</u>
	(Thousands of Dollars)			
2007 Services Agreement termination fee (see Note 6)	\$ 13,000	\$—	\$ 13,000	\$—
Business interruption insurance	7,092	—	7,092	—
Legal settlements	—	—	5,508	—
Foreign exchange losses	(2,971)	(280)	(3,372)	(26)
Other	505	8	2,021	(15)
Other income (expense), net	\$ 17,626	\$ (272)	\$ 24,249	\$ (41)

NUSTAR ENERGY L.P. AND SUBSIDIARIES
CONDENSED NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS – (Continued)

9. STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS

Changes in current assets and current liabilities were as follows:

	<u>Six Months Ended June 30,</u>	
	<u>2007</u>	<u>2006</u>
	(Thousands of Dollars)	
Decrease (increase) in current assets:		
Receivable from related party	\$ -	\$ 1,599
Accounts receivable	1,920	30,364
Inventories	4,119	(1,299)
Other current assets	(408)	(443)
Increase (decrease) in current liabilities:		
Payable to related party	2,095	(1,923)
Accrued interest payable	(644)	364
Accounts payable, other accrued liabilities and income taxes payable	(18,165)	(38,445)
Taxes other than income taxes	<u>(231)</u>	<u>1,289</u>
Changes in current assets and current liabilities	\$ (11,314)	\$ (8,494)

Cash flows related to interest and income taxes were as follows:

	<u>Six Months Ended June 30,</u>	
	<u>2007</u>	<u>2006</u>
	(Thousands of Dollars)	
Cash paid for interest	\$ 44,127	\$ 36,854
Cash paid for income taxes, net of tax refunds received	\$ 5,776	\$ 2,735

Non-cash investing and financing activities for the six months ended June 30, 2007 included:

- adjustments to property and equipment, goodwill and intangible assets resulting from adjustments to the purchase price allocations related to the St. James crude oil storage facility acquisition.
- acquisition of other current assets in exchange for a note payable.

Non-cash investing activities for the six months ended June 30, 2006 included adjustments to property and equipment, goodwill and other balance sheet accounts resulting from adjustments to the purchase price allocations related to the 2005 acquisition of Kaneb Pipe Line Partners, L.P. and Kaneb Services, LLC.

10. SEGMENT INFORMATION

Our operating segments consist of refined product terminals, refined product pipelines, crude oil pipelines, crude oil storage tanks and an other segment. These reportable segments are strategic business units that offer different services and performance is evaluated based on operating income, before general and administrative expenses. General and administrative expenses are not allocated to the operating segments since those expenses relate primarily to the overall

management at the entity level. Our principal services include providing pipeline transportation services, terminalling services, storage lease services and crude oil storage handling services. Our product sales primarily consist of the sale of bunker fuel to marine vessels. Revenues included in the other segment, which began in the second quarter of 2007, relate to the resale of heavy fuel oil and asphalt purchased from third parties.

NUSTAR ENERGY L.P. AND SUBSIDIARIES
CONDENSED NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS – (Continued)

Results of operations for the reportable segments were as follows:

	<u>Three Months Ended June 30,</u>		<u>Six Months Ended June 30,</u>	
	<u>2007</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2007</u>	<u>2006</u>
(Thousands of Dollars)				
Revenues:				
Refined product terminals:				
Third party revenues	\$ 241,153	\$ 201,243	\$ 461,391	\$ 397,391
Intersegment revenues	544	—	544	—
Total refined product terminals	241,697	201,243	461,935	397,391
Refined product pipelines	57,102	52,201	110,526	104,247
Crude oil pipelines	10,116	14,868	22,465	28,917
Crude oil storage tanks	11,589	11,656	22,402	23,417
Other	546	—	546	—
Total segment revenues	\$ 321,050	\$ 279,968	\$ 617,874	\$ 553,972
Less intersegment eliminations	544	—	544	—
Total revenues	\$ 320,506	\$ 279,968	\$ 617,330	\$ 553,972
Operating income (loss):				
Refined product terminals	\$ 29,134	\$ 21,827	\$ 57,264	\$ 48,872
Refined product pipelines	18,944	17,862	37,284	39,967
Crude oil pipelines	5,204	9,295	12,947	18,398
Crude oil storage tanks	6,701	8,707	12,831	14,981
Other	(842)	—	(842)	—
Total segment operating income	\$ 59,141	\$ 57,691	\$ 119,484	\$ 122,218
Less general and administrative expenses	17,581	10,375	32,489	18,935
Total operating income	\$ 41,560	\$ 47,316	\$ 86,995	\$ 103,283

Total assets by reportable segment were as follows:

	<u>June 30,</u>	<u>December 31,</u>
	<u>2007</u>	<u>2006</u>
(Thousands of Dollars)		
Refined product terminals	\$ 1,894,147	\$ 1,830,584
Refined product pipelines	1,250,908	1,250,466
Crude oil pipelines	129,483	132,407
Crude oil storage tanks	194,693	197,902
Other segment	<u>2,526</u>	<u>-</u>
Total segment assets	3,471,757	3,411,359
Other partnership assets	<u>89,742</u>	<u>82,849</u>
Total consolidated assets	\$ 3,561,499	\$ 3,494,208

Explanation of Responses:

NUSTAR ENERGY L.P. AND SUBSIDIARIES
CONDENSED NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS – (Continued)

11. CONDENSED CONSOLIDATING FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

NuStar Energy L.P. has no operations and its assets consist mainly of its investments in NuStar Logistics and KPOP. NuStar Logistics and KPOP own and operate pipelines, terminals and storage tanks and are issuers of publicly traded senior notes. The senior notes issued by NuStar Logistics and KPOP are fully and unconditionally guaranteed by NuStar Energy L.P. In addition, both NuStar Logistics and KPOP fully and unconditionally guaranteed the outstanding senior notes of the other.

As a result, the following condensed consolidating financial statements are presented for 2007 and 2006 as an alternative to providing separate financial statements for NuStar Logistics and KPOP.

Condensed Consolidating Balance Sheet						
June 30, 2007						
(Thousands of Dollars)						
	NuStar Energy					
	L.P.	NuStar Logistics	KPOP	Non-Guarantor Subsidiaries (a)	Eliminations	Consolidated
Assets						
Current assets	\$ 163	\$ 140,000	\$ 663,573	\$ 343,364	\$ (931,536)	\$ 215,564
Property and equipment, net	-	928,353	668,742	801,192	-	2,398,287
Intangible assets, net	-	4,348	-	47,158	-	51,506
Goodwill	-	18,613	170,652	596,979	-	786,244
Investment in wholly owned subsidiaries	2,348,252	12,751	702,960	1,391,561	(4,455,524)	-
Investments in joint ventures	-	16,456	-	60,434	-	76,890
Deferred charges and other assets, net	-	-	-	-	-	33,008
		<u>14,950</u>	<u>493</u>	<u>17,565</u>		
Total assets	\$ 2,348,415	\$ 1,135,471	\$ 2,206,420	\$ 3,258,253	\$ (5,387,060)	\$ 3,561,499
Liabilities and Partners' Equity						
Current liabilities	\$ 504,123	\$ 44,125	\$ 27,506	\$ 498,654	\$ (931,536)	\$ 142,872
Long-term debt, less						
current portion	-	857,847	542,316	42,171	-	1,442,334
Long-term payable to related party	-	-	-	5,717	-	5,717

Explanation of Responses:

Edgar Filing: FIRST MID ILLINOIS BANCSHARES INC - Form 4

Deferred income tax liability	-	-	-	35,897	-	35,897
Other long-term liabilities	-	12,406	1,927	57,873	-	72,206
Partners' equity	<u>1,844,292</u>	<u>221,093</u>	<u>1,634,671</u>	<u>2,617,941</u>	<u>(4,455,524)</u>	<u>1,862,473</u>
Total liabilities and partners' equity	\$ 2,348,415	\$ 1,135,471	\$ 2,206,420	\$ 3,258,253	\$ (5,387,060)	\$ 3,561,499

(a) Non-guarantor subsidiaries are wholly owned by NuStar Energy L.P., NuStar Logistics or KPOP.

NUSTAR ENERGY L.P. AND SUBSIDIARIES
CONDENSED NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS – (Continued)

Condensed Consolidating Balance Sheet
December 31, 2006
(Thousands of Dollars)

	NuStar Energy						
	<u>L.P.</u>	<u>NuStar Logistics</u>	<u>KPOP</u>	<u>Non-Guarantor Subsidiaries (a)</u>	<u>Eliminations</u>	<u>Consolidated</u>	
Assets							
Current assets	\$ 403	\$ 115,210	\$ 653,221	\$ 145,807	\$ (701,643)	\$ 212,998	
Property and equipment, net	-	935,109	676,494	733,532	-	2,345,135	
Intangible assets, net	-	3,427	-	50,105	-	53,532	
Goodwill	-	4,715	172,116	597,610	-	774,441	
Investment in wholly owned subsidiaries	2,372,469	24,172	668,796	1,345,791	(4,411,228)	-	
Investments in joint ventures	-	15,902	-	58,175	-	74,077	
Deferred charges and other assets, net	<u>228</u>	<u>5,807</u>	<u>604</u>	<u>27,386</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>34,025</u>	
Total assets	\$ 2,373,100	\$ 1,104,342	\$ 2,171,231	\$ 2,958,406	\$ (5,112,871)	\$ 3,494,208	
Liabilities and Partners' Equity							
Current liabilities	\$ 504,238	\$ 44,397	\$ 29,385	\$ 280,358	\$ (701,643)	\$ 156,735	
Long-term debt, less current portion	-	767,031	545,571	41,118	-	1,353,720	
Long-term payable to related party	-	-	-	5,749	-	5,749	
Deferred income tax liability	-	-	-	32,926	-	32,926	
Other long-term liabilities	-	5,797	3,517	60,083	-	69,397	
Partners' equity	<u>1,868,862</u>	<u>287,117</u>	<u>1,592,758</u>	<u>2,538,172</u>	<u>(4,411,228)</u>	<u>1,875,681</u>	
Total liabilities and partners' equity	\$ 2,373,100	\$ 1,104,342	\$ 2,171,231	\$ 2,958,406	\$ (5,112,871)	\$ 3,494,208	

(a) Non-guarantor subsidiaries are wholly owned by NuStar Energy L.P., NuStar Logistics or KPOP.

NUSTAR ENERGY L.P. AND SUBSIDIARIES
CONDENSED NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS – (Continued)

Condensed Consolidating Statements of Income
For the Three Months Ended June 30, 2007
(Thousands of Dollars)

	NuStar Energy		Non-Guarantor Subsidiaries				
	L.P.	NuStar Logistics	KPOP	(a)	Eliminations	Consolidated	
Revenues	\$ —	\$ 58,800	\$ 36,569	\$ 225,392	\$ (255)	\$ 320,506	
Costs and expenses	240	43,712	24,503	210,746	(255)	278,946	
Operating income	(240)	15,088	12,066	14,646	—	41,560	
Equity earnings in subsidiaries	39,937	(1,511)	13,406	19,161	(70,993)	—	
Equity earnings from joint ventures	—	275	—	1,471	—	1,746	
Interest expense, net	—	(13,251)	(6,357)	156	—	(19,452)	
Other income (expense), net	—	20,503	43	(2,920)	—	17,626	
Income before income tax expense	39,697	21,104	19,158	32,514	(70,993)	41,480	
Income tax expense	—	272	—	1,511	—	1,783	
Net income	\$ 39,697	\$ 20,832	\$ 19,158	\$ 31,003	\$ (70,993)	\$ 39,697	

(a) Non-guarantor subsidiaries are wholly owned by NuStar Energy L.P., NuStar Logistics or KPOP.

NUSTAR ENERGY L.P. AND SUBSIDIARIES
CONDENSED NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS – (Continued)

Condensed Consolidating Statements of Income

For the Three Months Ended June 30, 2006

(Thousands of Dollars)

	NuStar Energy L.P.	NuStar Logistics	KPOP	Non-Guarantor Subsidiaries (a)	Eliminations	Consolidated
Revenues	\$ -	\$ 64,695	\$ 26,908	\$ 188,601	\$ (236)	\$ 279,968
Costs and expenses	<u>555</u>	<u>34,567</u>	<u>22,703</u>	<u>175,063</u>	<u>(236)</u>	<u>232,652</u>
Operating income	(555)	30,128	4,205	13,538	-	47,316
Equity earnings in subsidiaries	32,108	(52)	13,898	11,179	(57,133)	-
Equity earnings in joint ventures	-	130	-	1,714	-	1,844
Interest expense, net	-	(9,200)	(7,020)	(384)	-	(16,604)
Other income (expense), net	<u>-</u>	<u>35</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>(308)</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>(272)</u>
Income from continuing operations before income tax expense						
	31,553	21,041	11,084	25,739	(57,133)	32,284
Income tax expense	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>492</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>492</u>
Income from continuing operations						
operations	31,553	21,041	11,084	25,247	(57,133)	31,792
Income (loss) from discontinued operations, net of income tax						
	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>19</u>	<u>(258)</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>(239)</u>
Net income	\$ 31,553	\$ 21,041	\$ 11,103	\$ 24,989	\$ (57,133)	\$ 31,553

(a) Non-guarantor subsidiaries are wholly owned by NuStar Energy L.P., NuStar Logistics or KPOP.

NUSTAR ENERGY L.P. AND SUBSIDIARIES
CONDENSED NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS – (Continued)

Condensed Consolidating Statements of Income

For the Six Months Ended June 30, 2007

(Thousands of Dollars)

	NuStar Energy L.P.	NuStar Logistics	KPOP	Non-Guarantor Subsidiaries (a)	Eliminations	Consolidated
Revenues	\$ -	\$ 120,318	\$ 68,232	\$ 429,324	\$ (544)	\$ 617,330
Costs and expenses	<u>353</u>	<u>84,339</u>	<u>47,778</u>	<u>398,409</u>	<u>(544)</u>	<u>530,335</u>
Operating income	(353)	35,979	20,454	30,915	-	86,995
Equity earnings in subsidiaries	71,173	(1,470)	34,219	41,915	(145,837)	-
Equity earnings in joint ventures	-	554	-	2,803	-	3,357
Interest expense, net	-	(25,870)	(12,815)	379	-	(38,306)
Other income (expense), net	<u>-</u>	<u>20,650</u>	<u>54</u>	<u>3,545</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>24,249</u>
Income before income tax expense	70,820	29,843	41,912	79,557	(145,837)	76,295
Income tax expense	<u>-</u>	<u>561</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>4,914</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>5,475</u>
Net income	\$ 70,820	\$ 29,282	\$ 41,912	\$ 74,643	\$ (145,837)	\$ 70,820

(a) Non-guarantor subsidiaries are wholly owned by NuStar Energy L.P., NuStar Logistics or KPOP.

NUSTAR ENERGY L.P. AND SUBSIDIARIES
CONDENSED NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS – (Continued)

Condensed Consolidating Statements of Income
For the Six Months Ended June 30, 2006
(Thousands of Dollars)

	NuStar Energy L.P.	NuStar Logistics	KPOP	Non-Guarantor Subsidiaries (a)	Eliminations	Consolidated
Revenues	\$ -	\$ 125,378	\$ 54,108	\$ 374,972	\$ (486)	\$ 553,972
Costs and expenses	<u>1,005</u>	<u>67,965</u>	<u>42,432</u>	<u>339,773</u>	<u>(486)</u>	<u>450,689</u>
Operating income	(1,005)	57,413	11,676	35,199	-	103,283
Equity earnings in subsidiaries	72,009	234	33,237	31,201	(136,681)	-
Equity earnings in joint ventures	-	145	-	2,905	-	3,050
Interest expense, net	-	(16,842)	(14,035)	(1,423)	-	(32,300)
Other income (expense), net	-	47	2	(90)	-	(41)
Income from continuing operations before income tax expense	71,004	40,997	30,880	67,792	(136,681)	73,992
Income tax expense	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>2,611</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>2,611</u>
Income from continuing operations	71,004	40,997	30,880	65,181	(136,681)	71,381
Income (loss) from discontinued operations, net of income tax	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>317</u>	<u>(694)</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>(377)</u>
Net income	\$ 71,004	\$ 40,997	\$ 31,197	\$ 64,487	\$ (136,681)	\$ 71,004

(a) Non-guarantor subsidiaries are wholly owned by NuStar Energy L.P., NuStar Logistics or KPOP.

NUSTAR ENERGY L.P. AND SUBSIDIARIES
CONDENSED NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS – (Continued)

Condensed Consolidating Statement of Cash Flows						
For the Six Months Ended June 30, 2007						
(Thousands of Dollars)						
	NuStar Energy L.P.	NuStar Logistics	KPOP	Non-Guarantor Subsidiaries (a)	Eliminations	Consolidated
Cash flows from operating activities:						
Net income	\$ 70,820	\$ 29,282	\$ 41,912	\$ 74,643	\$ (145,837)	\$ 70,820
Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash provided by operating activities:						
Depreciation and amortization	-	22,269	12,496	20,437	-	55,202
Equity earnings, net of distributions	24,217	916	(34,219)	(44,164)	50,437	(2,813)
Changes in operating assets and liabilities and other	<u>(526)</u>	<u>2,000</u>	<u>(5,274)</u>	<u>(11,972)</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>(15,772)</u>
Net cash provided by (used in) operating activities	<u>94,511</u>	<u>54,467</u>	<u>14,915</u>	<u>38,944</u>	<u>(95,400)</u>	<u>107,437</u>
Cash flows from investing activities:						
Capital expenditures	-	(29,308)	(4,730)	(79,695)	-	(113,733)
Proceeds from sale of assets	-	-	7	1,335	-	1,342
Acquisition and investment in noncurrent assets	-	(60)	-	(4)	-	(64)
Other	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>55</u>	<u>195</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>250</u>
Cash flows used in investing activities	<u>-</u>	<u>(29,368)</u>	<u>(4,668)</u>	<u>(78,169)</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>(112,205)</u>
Cash flows from financing activities:						
Distributions	(95,390)	(95,390)	-	(10)	95,400	(95,390)
Repayments of notes payable	-	(4,257)	-	-	-	(4,257)
Long-term debt borrowings	-	266,462	-	-	-	266,462
Long-term debt repayments	-	(172,567)	-	-	-	(172,567)

Explanation of Responses:

Edgar Filing: FIRST MID ILLINOIS BANCSHARES INC - Form 4

Net intercompany borrowings (repayments)	879	(30,958)	(10,651)	40,730	-	-
Other	-	6	-	(152)	-	(146)
Cash flows provided by (used in) financing activities	<u>(94,511)</u>	<u>(36,704)</u>	<u>(10,651)</u>	<u>40,568</u>	<u>95,400</u>	<u>(5,898)</u>
Effect of foreign exchange rate changes on cash	-	350	-	5,703	-	6,053
Net increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents	-	(11,255)	(404)	7,046	-	(4,613)
Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the period	<u>137</u>	<u>12,345</u>	<u>992</u>	<u>55,364</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>68,838</u>
Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the period	\$ 137	\$ 1,090	\$ 588	\$ 62,410	\$ -	\$ 64,225

(a) Non-guarantor subsidiaries are wholly owned by NuStar Energy L.P., NuStar Logistics or KPOP.

NUSTAR ENERGY L.P. AND SUBSIDIARIES
CONDENSED NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS – (Continued)

Condensed Consolidating Statement of Cash Flows
For the Six Months Ended June 30, 2006
(Thousands of Dollars)

	<u>NuStar Energy L.P.</u>	<u>NuStar Logistics</u>	<u>KPOP</u>	<u>Non-Guarantor Subsidiaries (a)</u>	<u>Eliminations</u>	<u>Consolidated</u>
Cash flows from operating activities:						
Net income	\$ 71,004	\$ 40,997	\$ 31,197	\$ 64,487	\$ (136,681)	\$ 71,004
Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash provided by operating activities:						
Depreciation and amortization	-	18,437	12,288	18,303	-	49,028
Equity earnings, net of distributions	17,764	(379)	(33,237)	(31,623)	46,899	(576)
Changes in operating assets and liabilities and other	<u>(2,932)</u>	<u>(9,156)</u>	<u>(7,642)</u>	<u>7,657</u>	-	<u>(12,073)</u>
Net cash provided by (used in) operating activities	<u>85,836</u>	<u>49,899</u>	<u>2,606</u>	<u>58,824</u>	<u>(89,782)</u>	<u>107,383</u>
Cash flows from investing activities:						
Capital expenditures	-	(20,793)	(4,118)	(17,946)	-	(42,857)
Proceeds from sale of assets	-	-	-	70,078	-	70,078
Acquisition and investment in noncurrent assets	-	(12,827)	-	(8,066)	-	(20,893)
Other	<u>(77)</u>	<u>(5,250)</u>	<u>26,604</u>	<u>(22,149)</u>	<u>5,445</u>	<u>4,573</u>
Cash flows provided by (used in) investing activities	<u>(77)</u>	<u>(38,870)</u>	<u>22,486</u>	<u>21,917</u>	<u>5,445</u>	<u>10,901</u>
Cash flows from financing activities:						
Distributions	(89,773)	(89,773)	-	(9)	89,782	(89,773)
Long-term debt borrowings	-	34,000	-	-	-	34,000
Long-term debt repayments	-	(38,480)	-	-	-	(38,480)
Net intercompany borrowings (repayments)						

Explanation of Responses:

Edgar Filing: FIRST MID ILLINOIS BANCSHARES INC - Form 4

	4,133	95,686	(24,828)	(74,991)	-	-
Other	<u>16</u>	<u>(6,115)</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>4,291</u>	<u>(5,445)</u>	<u>(7,253)</u>
Cash flows provided by (used in) financing activities	<u>(85,624)</u>	<u>(4,682)</u>	<u>(24,828)</u>	<u>(70,709)</u>	<u>84,337</u>	<u>(101,506)</u>
Effect of foreign exchange rate changes on cash	-	-	-	(292)	-	(292)
Net increase in cash and cash equivalents	135	6,347	264	9,740	-	16,486
Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the period	<u>10</u>	<u>1,590</u>	<u>114</u>	<u>34,340</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>36,054</u>
Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the period	\$ 145	\$ 7,937	\$ 378	\$ 44,080	\$ -	\$ 52,540

(a) Non-guarantor subsidiaries are wholly owned by NuStar Energy L.P., NuStar Logistics or KPOP.

Item 2. Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations

FORWARD-LOOKING STATEMENTS

This Form 10-Q contains certain estimates, predictions, projections, assumptions and other forward-looking statements that involve various risks and uncertainties. While these forward-looking statements, and any assumptions upon which they are based, are made in good faith and reflect our current judgment regarding the direction of our business, actual results will almost always vary, sometimes materially, from any estimates, predictions, projections, assumptions or other future performance suggested in this report. These forward-looking statements can generally be identified by the words "anticipates," "believes," "expects," "plans," "intends," "estimates," "forecasts," "budgets," "could," "should," "may" and similar expressions. These statements reflect our current views with regard to future events and are subject to various risks, uncertainties and assumptions. Please read our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2006, Part I, Item 1A "Risk Factors," as well as our subsequent quarterly reports on Form 10-Q, Part II, Item 1A "Risk Factors," for a discussion of certain of those risks, uncertainties and assumptions.

If one or more of these risks or uncertainties materialize, or if the underlying assumptions prove incorrect, our actual results may vary materially from those described in any forward-looking statement. Other unknown or unpredictable factors could also have material adverse effects on our future results. Readers are cautioned not to place undue reliance on this forward-looking information, which is as of the date of the Form 10-Q. We do not intend to update these statements unless it is required by the securities laws to do so, and we undertake no obligation to publicly release the result of any revisions to any such forward-looking statements that may be made to reflect events or circumstances after the date of this report or to reflect the occurrence of unanticipated events.

Overview

NuStar Energy L.P. is a publicly traded Delaware limited partnership formed in 1999 engaged in the crude oil and refined product transportation, terminalling and storage business. NuStar Energy L.P. has terminal facilities in 28 U.S. states, the Netherlands Antilles, Canada, Mexico, the Netherlands and the United Kingdom.

As used in this report, references to "we," "us," "our" or the "Partnership" collectively refer, depending on the context, to NuStar Energy L.P. or a wholly owned subsidiary of NuStar Energy L.P.

We conduct our operations through our wholly owned subsidiaries, primarily NuStar Logistics, L.P. (NuStar Logistics) and Kaneb Pipe Line Operating Partnership, L.P. (KPOP). Our operations are divided into five reportable business segments: refined product terminals, refined product pipelines, crude oil pipelines, crude oil storage tanks and an other segment.

Refined Product Terminals. We own 55 terminals in the United States that provide storage and handling services on a fee basis for petroleum products, specialty chemicals and other liquids, including crude oil and other feedstocks. We also own international terminal operations on the island of St. Eustatius in the Caribbean, Point Tupper in Nova Scotia, Canada, the United Kingdom, the Netherlands and in Nuevo Laredo, Mexico.

Refined Product Pipelines. We own common carrier pipelines in Texas, Oklahoma, Colorado, New Mexico, Kansas, Nebraska, Iowa, South Dakota, North Dakota and Minnesota covering approximately 6,259 miles. The Central West System is connected to Valero Energy Corporation (Valero Energy) refineries in Texas and Oklahoma, the North Pipeline is connected to Tesoro's Mandan refinery in North Dakota, and the East Pipeline is connected to various

refineries in the midwest. In addition, we own a 2,000 mile anhydrous ammonia pipeline located in Louisiana, Arkansas, Missouri, Illinois, Indiana, Iowa and Nebraska.

Crude Oil Pipelines. We own 797 miles of crude oil pipelines which transport crude oil and other feedstocks, such as gas oil, from various points in Texas, Oklahoma, Kansas and Colorado to Valero Energy's McKee, Three Rivers and Ardmore refineries as well as associated crude oil storage facilities in Texas and Oklahoma that are located along the crude oil pipelines. We also own 57 miles of crude oil pipeline in Illinois, which serves ConocoPhillips' Wood River refinery.

Crude Oil Storage Tanks. We own 60 crude oil and intermediate feedstock storage tanks and related assets that store and deliver crude oil and intermediate feedstock to Valero Energy's refineries in Benicia, California, Corpus Christi, Texas, Texas City, Texas and Three Rivers, Texas.

Other. The other segment consists of our product marketing and trading business. Revenues included in other segment, which began in the second quarter of 2007, relate to the sale of heavy fuel oil and asphalt purchased from third parties.

We provide transportation, storage services and ancillary services to our customers. The following factors affect the results of our operations:

- company-specific factors, such as integrity issues and maintenance requirements that impact the throughput rates of our assets;
- seasonal factors that affect the demand for refined products and fertilizers transported by and/or stored in our assets;
- industry factors, such as changes in the prices of petroleum products that affect demand and operations of our competitors; and
- other factors such as refinery utilization rates and maintenance turnaround schedules that impact the operations of refineries served by our assets.

Results of Operations**Three Months Ended June 30, 2007 Compared to Three Months Ended June 30, 2006****Financial Highlights**

(Unaudited, Thousands of Dollars, Except Unit and Per Unit Data)

	Three Months Ended June		
	<u>2007</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>Change</u>
Statement of Income Data:			
Revenues:			
Services revenues	\$ 160,060	\$ 152,094	\$ 7,966
Product sales	<u>160,446</u>	<u>127,874</u>	<u>32,572</u>
Total revenues	<u>320,506</u>	<u>279,968</u>	<u>40,538</u>
Costs and expenses:			
Cost of product sales	148,061	118,283	29,778
Operating expenses	85,444	79,155	6,289
General and administrative expenses	17,581	10,375	7,206
Depreciation and amortization	<u>27,860</u>	<u>24,839</u>	<u>3,021</u>
Total costs and expenses	<u>278,946</u>	<u>232,652</u>	<u>46,294</u>
Operating income	41,560	47,316	(5,756)
Equity earnings from joint ventures	1,746	1,844	(98)
Interest expense, net	(19,452)	(16,604)	(2,848)
Other income, net	<u>17,626</u>	<u>(272)</u>	<u>17,898</u>
Income from continuing operations before income tax expense	41,480	32,284	9,196
Income tax expense	<u>1,783</u>	<u>492</u>	<u>1,291</u>
Income from continuing operations	39,697	31,792	7,905
Loss from discontinued operations, net of income tax	<u>-</u>	<u>(239)</u>	<u>239</u>
Net income	39,697	31,553	8,144
Less net income applicable to general partner	<u>(5,118)</u>	<u>(4,041)</u>	<u>(1,077)</u>
Net income applicable to limited partners	\$ 34,579	\$ 27,512	\$ 7,067
Weighted-average number of basic units outstanding	46,809,749	46,809,749	-
Income (loss) per unit applicable to limited partners:			
Continuing operations	\$ 0.74	\$ 0.60	\$ 0.14
Discontinued operations	<u>-</u>	<u>(0.01)</u>	<u>0.01</u>
Net income	\$ 0.74	\$ 0.59	\$ 0.15

Segment Operating Highlights

(Thousands of Dollars, Except Barrels/Day Information)

Three Months Ended June 30,2007 2006 Change**Refined Product Terminals:**

Throughput (barrels/day)	227,953	265,277	(37,324)
Throughput revenues	\$ 11,852	\$ 12,876	\$ (1,024)
Storage lease revenues	71,908	60,493	11,415
Product sales (bunkering)	<u>157,937</u>	<u>127,874</u>	<u>30,063</u>
Total revenues	241,697	201,243	40,454
Cost of product sales	146,636	118,283	28,353
Operating expenses	52,529	50,092	2,437
Depreciation and amortization	<u>13,398</u>	<u>11,041</u>	<u>2,357</u>
Segment operating income	\$ 29,134	\$ 21,827	\$ 7,307

Refined Product Pipelines:

Throughput (barrels/day)	647,887	709,480	(61,593)
Throughput revenues	\$ 55,139	\$ 52,201	\$ 2,938
Product sales	<u>1,963</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>1,963</u>
Total revenues	57,102	52,201	4,901
Cost of product sales	1,062	-	1,062
Operating expenses	25,832	23,736	2,096
Depreciation and amortization	<u>11,264</u>	<u>10,603</u>	<u>661</u>
Segment operating income	\$ 18,944	\$ 17,862	\$ 1,082

Crude Oil Pipelines:

Throughput (barrels/day)	348,482	440,691	(92,209)
Throughput revenues	\$ 10,116	\$ 14,868	\$ (4,752)
Operating expenses	3,651	4,290	(639)
Depreciation and amortization	<u>1,261</u>	<u>1,283</u>	<u>(22)</u>
Segment operating income	\$ 5,204	\$ 9,295	\$ (4,091)

Crude Oil Storage Tanks:

Throughput (barrels/day)	564,588	484,322	80,266
Throughput revenues	\$ 11,589	\$ 11,656	\$ (67)
Operating expenses	2,951	1,037	1,914
Depreciation and amortization	<u>1,937</u>	<u>1,912</u>	<u>25</u>
Segment operating income	\$ 6,701	\$ 8,707	\$ (2,006)

Other:

Product sales	\$ 546	\$ -	\$ 546
Cost of product sales	370	-	370
Operating expenses	<u>1,018</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>1,018</u>
Segment operating income	\$ (842)	\$ -	\$ (842)

Intersegment Eliminations:

Revenues	\$ (544)	\$ -	\$ (544)
Cost of product sales	(7)	-	(7)
Operating expenses	<u>(537)</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>(537)</u>
Total	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -

Segment Operating Highlights – (Continued)
(Thousands of Dollars, Except Barrels/Day Information)

Three Months Ended June 30,

2007 2006 Change

Consolidated Information:

Revenues	\$ 320,506	\$ 279,968	\$ 40,538
Cost of product sales	148,061	118,283	29,778
Operating expenses	85,444	79,155	6,289
Depreciation and amortization	<u>27,860</u>	<u>24,839</u>	<u>3,021</u>
Segment operating income	59,141	57,691	1,450
General and administrative expenses	<u>17,581</u>	<u>10,375</u>	<u>7,206</u>
Consolidated operating income	\$ 41,560	\$ 47,316	\$ (5,756)

Highlights

Net income for the three months ended June 30, 2007 increased \$8.1 million, compared to the three months ended June 30, 2006, due to higher segmental operating income and an increase in other income, partially offset by increased general and administrative expense, interest expense and income tax expense.

Total segment operating income for the three months ended June 30, 2007 increased \$1.5 million, compared to the three months ended June 30, 2006, primarily due to a \$7.3 million increase in operating income for the refined product terminals segment, a \$1.1 million increase in operating income for the refined product pipelines segment, partially offset by \$4.1 million decrease in operating income for the crude oil pipelines segment and a \$2.0 million decrease in operating income for the crude oil storage tanks segment.

The throughputs on the refined product pipelines, the refined product terminals and the crude oil pipelines segments were affected by a fire at Valero Energy's McKee refinery in February 2007, which shut down the refinery through mid-April. After the refinery restarted in mid-April, its throughputs increased throughout the second quarter.

Refined Product Terminals

Revenues increased by \$40.5 million for the three months ended June 30, 2007, compared to the three months ended June 30, 2006, primarily due to the following:

- an increase in product sales of \$33.1 million relating to bunker fuel due to increased vessel calls at our St. Eustatius facility, partially offset by a decrease in product sales of \$3.0 million relating to decreased vessel calls at our Point Tupper facility;
- the St. James terminal acquisition in December 2006 resulted in additional revenues of \$5.2 million; and
- an increase in storage lease revenues of \$6.2 million due to additional customers, increased storage utilization and contract extensions by current customers.

Partially offsetting the increases above were lower revenues related to our terminals serving the McKee refinery.

Cost of product sales increased \$28.4 million for the three months ended June 30, 2007, compared to the three months ended June 30, 2006, consistent with the increase in product sales revenues. Cost of product sales reflects the cost of bunker fuel sold to marine vessels at our facilities at St. Eustatius in the Caribbean and Point Tupper in Nova Scotia,

Canada.

Operating expenses increased \$2.4 million for the three months ended June 30, 2007, compared to the three months ended June 30, 2006, primarily due to the acquisition of the St. James terminal in December 2006. Operating expenses also increased due to higher salaries and wages, expenses related to repairing a warehouse damaged at our Vancouver terminal and increased insurance premiums at several terminals primarily for marine liability.

Depreciation and amortization expense increased \$2.4 million for the three months ended June 30, 2007, compared to the three months ended June 30, 2006, due to the acquisition of the St. James terminal in December 2006 and the completion of various capital projects, including the first phase of the St. Eustatius tank expansion.

Refined Product Pipelines

Throughputs decreased for the three months ended June 30, 2007, compared to the three months ended June 30, 2006, primarily due to the impact of the McKee refinery fire. Despite lower throughputs, revenues increased by \$4.9 million for the three months ended June 30, 2007, compared to the three months ended June 30, 2006, primarily due to increased throughputs in the East Pipeline, North Pipeline and Ammonia Pipeline and the completion of the Burgos Pipeline project in the third quarter of 2006. The East Pipeline benefited from the closing of one of Magellan Midstream Partners L.P.'s terminals in the second quarter of 2007 and increased volumes through the North Platte, Nebraska terminal to supply the Colorado market.

Operating expenses increased \$2.1 million for the three months ended June 30, 2007, compared to the three months ended June 30, 2006, primarily due to higher maintenance and environmental costs, partially offset by lower power costs as a result of decreased throughputs as a consequence of the McKee refinery fire.

Depreciation and amortization expense increased by \$0.7 million for the three months ended June 30, 2007, compared to the three months ended June 30, 2006, mainly due to the completion of the Burgos Pipeline project and various other capital projects.

Crude Oil Pipelines

Throughputs and revenues decreased for the three months ended June 30, 2007, compared to the three months ended June 30, 2006, primarily due to the impact of the McKee refinery fire.

Crude Oil Storage Tanks

Throughputs increased for the three months ended June 30, 2007, compared to the three months ended June 30, 2006, primarily due to a change in the Corpus Christi (North Beach) crude oil storage tank agreement from a storage lease to a throughput fee agreement effective January 1, 2007. Throughputs for the Corpus Christi (North Beach) crude oil storage tanks were not reported prior to January 1, 2007. However, revenues decreased by \$0.1 million for the three months ended June 30, 2007, compared to the three months ended June 30, 2006, primarily due to a turnaround at Valero Energy's Benicia refinery in the second quarter of 2007.

Operating expenses increased by \$1.9 million for the three months ended June 30, 2007, compared to the three months ended June 30, 2006, primarily due to increased maintenance expenses related to the inspection, cleaning and repair of certain tanks at the Benicia and Corpus Christi facilities.

Other

Product sales, which began in the second quarter of 2007, consist of the resale of heavy fuel oil and asphalt we purchased from third parties. Operating expenses primarily consist of salaries and wages.

Explanation of Responses:

General

General and administrative expenses increased by \$7.2 million for the three months ended June 30, 2007, compared to the three months ended June 30, 2006, primarily due to the following:

- increased expenses associated with unit option and restricted unit compensation expense as a result of the increase in the NuStar Energy L.P. unit price and an increase in the number of awards outstanding;
- increased headcount resulting from a reduction in administrative services received from Valero Energy and increased information systems costs as a result of the separation from Valero Energy; and
- increased rent expense due to our new headquarters.

Interest expense increased by \$2.8 million for the three months ended June 30, 2007, compared to the three months ended June 30, 2006, primarily due to higher average debt balances arising from borrowings used primarily to fund the acquisition of the St. James crude oil storage facility in December 2006 and various terminal expansion projects combined with higher interest rates.

Other income, net increased by \$17.9 million for the three months ended June 30, 2007, compared to the three months ended June 30, 2006, primarily due to a \$13.0 million payment from Valero Energy for exercising its option to terminate the 2007 Services Agreement and business interruption insurance income of \$7.1 million associated with the McKee refinery fire. Partially offsetting these increases are foreign exchange losses totaling approximately \$3.0 million.

Income tax expense increased \$1.3 million for the three months ended June 30, 2007, compared to the three months ended June 30, 2006. Income tax expense was higher in 2007 primarily due to higher taxable income in our taxable entities and the impact of the Texas margin tax effective January 1, 2007.

Six Months Ended June 30, 2007 Compared to Six Months Ended June 30, 2006**Financial Highlights**

(Unaudited, Thousands of Dollars, Except Unit and Per Unit Data)

	Six Months Ended June		
	<u>2007</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>Change</u>
Statement of Income Data:			
Revenues:			
Services revenues	\$ 317,342	\$ 300,023	\$ 17,319
Product sales	<u>299,988</u>	<u>253,949</u>	<u>46,039</u>
Total revenues	<u>617,330</u>	<u>553,972</u>	<u>63,358</u>
Costs and expenses:			
Cost of product sales	275,988	232,501	43,487
Operating expenses	166,656	150,225	16,431
General and administrative expenses	32,489	18,935	13,554
Depreciation and amortization	<u>55,202</u>	<u>49,028</u>	<u>6,174</u>
Total costs and expenses	<u>530,335</u>	<u>450,689</u>	<u>79,646</u>
Operating income	86,995	103,283	(16,288)
Equity earnings from joint ventures	3,357	3,050	307
Interest expense, net	(38,306)	(32,300)	(6,006)

Explanation of Responses:

Other income, net	<u>24,249</u>	<u>(41)</u>	<u>24,290</u>
Income from continuing operations before income tax expense			
	76,295	73,992	2,303
Income tax expense	<u>5,475</u>	<u>2,611</u>	<u>2,864</u>
Income from continuing operations	70,820	71,381	(561)
Loss from discontinued operations, net of income tax	<u>-</u>	<u>(377)</u>	<u>377</u>
Net income	70,820	71,004	(184)
Less net income applicable to general partner	<u>(9,572)</u>	<u>(8,240)</u>	<u>(1,332)</u>
Net income applicable to limited partners	\$ 61,248	\$ 62,764	\$ (1,516)
Weighted-average number of basic units outstanding	46,809,749	46,809,749	-
Income (loss) per unit applicable to limited partners:			
Continuing operations	\$ 1.31	\$ 1.35	\$ (0.04)
Discontinued operations	<u>-</u>	<u>(0.01)</u>	<u>0.01</u>
Net income	\$ 1.31	\$ 1.34	\$ (0.03)

Segment Operating Highlights
(Thousands of Dollars, Except Barrels/Day Information)

	<u>Six Months Ended June 30,</u>		
	<u>2007</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>Change</u>
Refined Product Terminals:			
Throughput (barrels/day)	229,360	258,811	(29,451)
Throughput revenues	\$ 23,300	\$ 23,416	\$ (116)
Storage lease revenues	141,156	120,026	21,130
Product sales (bunkering)	<u>297,479</u>	<u>253,949</u>	<u>43,530</u>
Total revenues	461,935	397,391	64,544
Cost of product sales	274,563	232,501	42,062
Operating expenses	103,522	94,071	9,451
Depreciation and amortization	<u>26,586</u>	<u>21,947</u>	<u>4,639</u>
Segment operating income	\$ 57,264	\$ 48,872	\$ 8,392
Refined Product Pipelines:			
Throughput (barrels/day)	632,393	705,248	(72,855)
Revenues	\$ 108,563	\$ 104,247	\$ 4,316
Product sales	<u>1,963</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>1,963</u>
Total revenues	110,526	104,247	6,279
Cost of product sales	1,062	-	1,062
Operating expenses	49,908	43,538	6,370
Depreciation and amortization	<u>22,272</u>	<u>20,742</u>	<u>1,530</u>
Segment operating income	\$ 37,284	\$ 39,967	\$ (2,683)
Crude Oil Pipelines:			
Throughput (barrels/day)	348,052	434,219	(86,167)
Revenues	\$ 22,465	\$ 28,917	\$ (6,452)
Operating expenses	7,024	7,987	(963)
Depreciation and amortization	<u>2,494</u>	<u>2,532</u>	<u>(38)</u>
Segment operating income	\$ 12,947	\$ 18,398	\$ (5,451)
Crude Oil Storage Tanks:			
Throughput (barrels/day)	551,971	498,618	53,353
Revenues	\$ 22,402	\$ 23,417	\$ (1,015)
Operating expenses	5,721	4,629	1,092
Depreciation and amortization	<u>3,850</u>	<u>3,807</u>	<u>43</u>
Segment operating income	\$ 12,831	\$ 14,981	\$ (2,150)
Other:			
Product sales	\$ 546	\$ -	\$ 546
Cost of product sales	370	-	370
Operating expenses	<u>1,018</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>1,018</u>
Segment operating income	\$ (842)	\$ -	\$ (842)
Intersegment Eliminations:			
Revenues	\$ (544)	\$ -	\$ (544)
Cost of product sales	(7)	-	(7)
Operating expenses	<u>(537)</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>(537)</u>
Total	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -

Segment Operating Highlights – (Continued)
(Thousands of Dollars, Except Barrels/Day Information)

	<u>Six Months Ended June 30,</u>		<u>Change</u>
	<u>2007</u>	<u>2006</u>	
Consolidated Information:			
Revenues	\$ 617,330	\$ 553,972	\$ 63,358
Cost of product sales	275,988	232,501	43,487
Operating expenses	166,656	150,225	16,431
Depreciation and amortization	<u>55,202</u>	<u>49,028</u>	<u>6,174</u>
Segment operating income	119,484	122,218	(2,734)
General and administrative expenses	<u>32,489</u>	<u>18,935</u>	<u>13,554</u>
Consolidated operating income	\$ 86,995	\$ 103,283	\$ (16,288)

Highlights

Net income for the six months ended June 30, 2007 decreased \$0.2 million, compared to the six months ended June 30, 2006, due to lower segmental operating income and increased general and administrative expense, interest expense and income tax expense, partially offset by an increase in other income.

Total segment operating income for the six months ended June 30, 2007 decreased \$2.7 million, compared to the six months ended June 30, 2006, primarily due to a \$5.5 million decrease in operating income for the crude oil pipelines segment, a \$2.7 million decrease in operating income for the refined product pipelines segment, and a \$2.2 million decrease in operating income for the crude oil tank storage segment. Partially offsetting these declines was an \$8.4 million increase in operating income for the refined product terminals segment.

The throughputs on the refined product pipelines, the refined product terminals and the crude oil pipelines segments were affected by a fire at Valero Energy's McKee refinery in February 2007, which shut down the refinery through mid-April. After the refinery restarted in mid-April, its throughputs increased throughout the second quarter.

Refined Product Terminals

Revenues increased by \$64.5 million for the six months ended June 30, 2007, compared to the six months ended June 30, 2006, primarily due to the following:

- an increase in product sales of \$54.5 million relating to bunker fuel due to increased vessel calls at our St. Eustatius facility, partially offset by a decrease in product sales of \$11.0 million at our Point Tupper facility due to decreased vessel calls;
- the St. James terminal acquisition in December 2006 resulted in additional revenues of \$10.4 million; and
- an increase in storage lease revenues of \$10.7 million due to additional customers, increased storage utilization and contract extensions by current customers and the effect of foreign exchange rates.

Partially offsetting the increases above were lower revenues related to our terminals serving the McKee refinery.

Cost of product sales increased \$42.1 million for the six months ended June 30, 2007, compared to the six months ended June 30, 2006, consistent with the increase in product sales revenues. Cost of product sales reflects the cost of bunker fuel sold to marine vessels at our facilities at St. Eustatius in the Caribbean and Point Tupper in Nova Scotia,

Canada.

Operating expenses increased \$9.5 million for the six months ended June 30, 2007, compared to the six months ended June 30, 2006, primarily due to the acquisition of the St. James terminal in December 2006, higher salaries and wages, expenses related to repairing a warehouse damaged at our Vancouver terminal and increased insurance premiums at several terminals primarily for marine liability.

Depreciation and amortization expense increased \$4.6 million for the six months ended June 30, 2007, compared to the six months ended June 30, 2006, due to the acquisition of the St. James terminal in December 2006 and the completion of various capital projects, including the first phase of the St. Eustatius tank expansion.

Refined Product Pipelines

Throughputs decreased for the six months ended June 30, 2007, compared to the six months ended June 30, 2006, primarily due to the impact of the McKee refinery fire. Despite lower throughputs, revenues increased by \$6.3 million for the six months ended June 30, 2007, compared to the six months ended June 30, 2006, primarily due increased throughputs in the East Pipeline, North Pipeline and Ammonia Pipeline, increase in tariffs effective July 1, 2006 and the completion of the Burgos Pipeline project in the third quarter of 2006. The East Pipeline benefited from the closing of one of Magellan Midstream Partners L.P.'s terminals in the second quarter of 2007 and increased volumes through the North Platte, Nebraska terminal to supply the Colorado market.

Operating expenses increased \$6.4 million for the six months ended June 30, 2007, compared to the six months ended June 30, 2006, primarily due to higher salaries and wages and higher maintenance and environmental costs, partially offset by lower power costs as a result of decreased throughputs as a consequence of the McKee refinery fire.

Depreciation and amortization expense increased by \$1.5 million for the six months ended June 30, 2007, compared to the six months ended June 30, 2006, mainly due to the completion of the Burgos Pipeline project and various other capital projects.

Crude Oil Pipelines

Throughputs and revenues decreased for the six months ended June 30, 2007, compared to the six months ended June 30, 2006, primarily due to the impact of the McKee refinery fire.

Crude Oil Storage Tanks

Throughputs increased for the six months ended June 30, 2007, compared to the six months ended June 30, 2006, primarily due to a change in the Corpus Christi (North Beach) crude oil storage tank agreement from a storage lease to a throughput fee agreement effective January 1, 2007. Throughputs for the Corpus Christi (North Beach) crude oil storage tanks were not reported prior to January 1, 2007. However, revenues decreased by \$1.0 million for the six months ended June 30, 2007, compared to the six months ended June 30, 2006, primarily due to turnarounds at Valero Energy's Benicia, Three Rivers and Corpus Christi refineries and operating issues at Valero Energy's Texas City refinery in January 2007. The Corpus Christi refinery further experienced multiple operating issues during the six months ended June 30, 2007.

Operating expenses increased by \$1.1 million for the six months ended June 30, 2007, compared to the six months ended June 30, 2006, primarily due to increased wharfage and dockage expenses at the Corpus Christi (North Beach) facility.

Other

Product sales, which began in the second quarter of 2007, consist of the resale of heavy fuel oil and asphalt we purchased from third parties. Operating expenses primarily consist of salaries and wages.

General

General and administrative expenses increased by \$13.6 million for the six months ended June 30, 2007, compared to the six months ended June 30, 2006, primarily due to the following:

- increased expenses associated with unit option and restricted unit compensation expense as a result of the increase in the NuStar Energy L.P. unit price and an increase in the number of awards outstanding;
- increased headcount resulting from a reduction in administrative services received from Valero Energy and increased information systems costs as a result of the separation from Valero Energy; and
- increased rent expense due to our new headquarters.

Interest expense increased by \$6.0 million for the six months ended June 30, 2007, compared to the six months ended June 30, 2006, primarily due to higher average debt balances arising from borrowings used to fund the acquisition of the St. James crude oil storage facility in December 2006 and various terminal expansion projects combined with higher interest rates.

Other income, net increased by \$24.3 million for the six months ended June 30, 2007, compared to the six months ended June 30, 2006, primarily due to a \$13.0 million payment from Valero Energy for exercising its option to terminate the 2007 Services Agreement, business interruption insurance income of \$7.1 million associated with the McKee refinery fire, and a gain of \$5.2 million related to a settlement for the dock damage at our Westwego terminal. Partially offsetting these increases are foreign exchange losses totaling approximately \$3.4 million.

Income tax expense increased \$2.9 million for the six months ended June 30, 2007, compared to the six months ended June 30, 2006. Income tax expense was higher in 2007 primarily due to higher taxable income in our taxable entities and the impact of the Texas margin tax effective January 1, 2007.

Related Party Transactions

Services Agreement

Prior to our separation from Valero Energy, the employees of NuStar GP, LLC were provided to us under the terms of various services agreements between us and Valero Energy. The terms of these services agreements generally provided that the costs of employees who performed services directly on our behalf, including salaries, wages and employee benefits, were charged directly to us. In addition, Valero Energy charged us an administrative services fee, which was \$0.4 million and \$0.9 million for the three and six months ended June 30, 2006, respectively.

Although Valero Energy no longer provides employees that work directly on our behalf, Valero Energy continues to provide certain services to us under the terms of a services agreement dated December 22, 2006 (the 2007 Services Agreement). Beginning January 1, 2007, under the 2007 Services Agreement, we pay Valero Energy approximately \$97,000 per month for administrative services (primarily information system services and human resource services) and approximately \$93,000 per month for telecommunication services.

On April 16, 2007, Valero Energy exercised its option to terminate the 2007 Services Agreement. As a result, Valero Energy will cease providing services according to the terms of the 2007 Services Agreement. Generally, these services will discontinue over a period of time sufficient to allow us to assume those functions. Additionally, since Valero Energy elected to terminate the 2007 Services Agreement prior to December 31, 2010, they paid us a termination fee of \$13.0 million in May 2007.

Outlook

We expect Valero Energy's McKee refinery fire to have a minimal effect on our operations in the second half of 2007, as the refinery is currently running at or near capacity. Even though we believe we have adequate insurance to cover the amount of losses resulting from the McKee refinery fire, we cannot precisely predict the timing or amounts of insurance proceeds we will receive. As a result, the timing of receiving insurance proceeds will affect our earnings and cash flows in any particular quarter over the next few quarters until we finalize the insurance claim.

We expect results for the second half of 2007 to benefit from several of our terminal expansion projects coming on-line, increases in our pipeline tariffs effective July 1 and fewer turnarounds at the refineries we serve.

Additionally, we have created a new product marketing and trading business to capitalize on opportunities to optimize the use and profitability of our assets, to manage our risk as we diversify our business and to enhance our competitive position when pursuing acquisitions. We may experience additional volatility in our earnings and cash flows, which should not be significant in 2007. Further, we will be exposed to commodity price risk related to the product marketing and trading business.

LIQUIDITY AND CAPITAL RESOURCES

General

Our primary cash requirements are for distributions to partners, debt service, reliability and strategic and other capital expenditures, acquisitions and normal operating expenses. We typically generate sufficient cash from our current operations to fund day-to-day operating and general and administrative expenses, reliability capital expenditures and distribution requirements. We also have available borrowing capacity under our existing revolving credit facility and, to the extent necessary, we may raise additional funds through equity or debt offerings under our \$3.0 billion shelf registration statement to fund strategic capital expenditures or other cash requirements not funded from operations. However, there can be no assurance regarding the availability of any additional funds or whether such additional funds can be provided on terms acceptable to us.

Cash Flows for the Six Months Ended June 30, 2007 and 2006

Net cash provided by operating activities was \$107.4 million for the six months ended June 30, 2007 and June 30, 2006. Net cash provided by operating activities for the six months ended June 30, 2007, combined with available cash on hand, was used to fund distributions to unitholders and the general partner in the amount of \$95.4 million. The proceeds from long-term debt borrowings, net of repayments, were used to fund capital expenditures, primarily related to various terminal expansion projects.

Net cash provided by operating activities for the six months ended June 30, 2006 was \$107.4 million. The net cash provided by operations, combined with available cash on hand, was used primarily to fund distributions to unitholders and the general partner in the amount of \$89.8 million. The proceeds from long-term debt borrowings totaling \$34.0 million were used to fund the purchase of the Capwood pipeline and a portion of our capital expenditures. The proceeds from the sale of the Australia and New Zealand subsidiaries totaling \$70.1 million were used for working capital purposes, including paying down outstanding debt.

Partners' Equity

Cash Distributions. On April 24, 2007, we declared a quarterly cash distribution of \$0.915 per unit to be paid on May 14, 2007 to unitholders of record on May 7, 2007, which totaled \$47.7 million. On July 26, 2007, we declared a quarterly cash distribution of \$0.950 per unit to be paid on August 14, 2007 to unitholders of record on August 7, 2007, which will total \$49.9 million.

The following table reflects the allocation of total cash distributions to the general and limited partners applicable to the period in which the distributions were earned:

	<u>Three Months Ended June 30,</u>		<u>Six Months Ended June 30,</u>	
	<u>2007</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2007</u>	<u>2006</u>
	<u>(Thousands of Dollars)</u>			
General partner interest	\$ 997	\$ 916	\$ 1,951	\$ 1,832
General partner incentive distribution	<u>4,413</u>	<u>3,480</u>	<u>8,323</u>	<u>6,960</u>
Total general partner distribution	5,410	4,396	10,274	8,792
Limited partners' distribution	<u>44,469</u>	<u>41,427</u>	<u>87,300</u>	<u>82,854</u>
Total cash distributions	\$ 49,879	\$ 45,823	\$ 97,574	\$ 91,646
Cash distributions per unit applicable to limited partners	\$ 0.950	\$ 0.885	\$ 1.865	\$ 1.770

Shelf Registration. On May 18, 2007, the SEC declared effective our shelf registration statement on Form S-3, which will permit us to offer and sell various types of securities, including NuStar Energy L.P. common units and debt securities of each NuStar Logistics and KPOP, having an aggregate value of up to \$3.0 billion. We filed the registration statement to gain additional flexibility in accessing capital markets for, among other things, the repayment of outstanding indebtedness, working capital, capital expenditures and acquisitions. This registration statement replaces our 2003 shelf registration statement.

Capital Requirements

The petroleum pipeline and terminalling industry is capital intensive, requiring significant investments to maintain, upgrade or enhance existing operations and to comply with environmental and safety laws and regulations.

Our capital expenditures consist primarily of:

- reliability capital expenditures, formerly referred to as maintenance capital expenditures, such as those required to maintain equipment reliability and safety and to address environmental and safety regulations; and
- strategic capital expenditures, such as those to expand and upgrade pipeline capacity and to construct new pipelines, terminals and storage tanks. In addition, strategic capital expenditures may include acquisitions of pipelines, terminals or storage tank assets.

During the six months ended June 30, 2007, we incurred reliability capital expenditures of \$12.0 million, primarily related to system automation and maintenance upgrade projects at our terminals and pipelines. Strategic and other capital expenditures of \$101.8 million during the six months ended June 30, 2007, primarily related to the Amsterdam, St. Eustatius and St. James tank expansions and other terminal expansion projects, as well as expenditures required as a result of our separation from Valero Energy, such as separating our information systems and improvements made to

our new headquarters.

For the full year of 2007, we expect to incur approximately \$295.0 million of capital expenditures, including \$45.0 million for reliability capital projects and \$250.0 million for strategic and other capital projects, including \$12.0 million for capital expenditures required as a result of our separation from Valero Energy. We continuously evaluate our capital budget and make changes as economic conditions warrant. If conditions warrant, our actual capital expenditures for 2007 may exceed the budgeted amounts. We believe cash generated from operations combined with other sources of liquidity will be sufficient to fund our capital expenditures in 2007.

Long-Term Contractual Obligations

Extension of Maturity Date

In accordance with the terms of our \$600 Million Revolving Credit Agreement (Revolving Credit Agreement) and \$525 Million Term Loan Agreement (Term Loan Agreement), we requested a one-year extension to the maturity dates of those instruments. In June 2007, the lenders consented to our request resulting in the extension of the maturity dates of our Revolving Credit Agreement and our Term Loan Agreement to May 31, 2012.

Revolving Credit Agreement

The Revolving Credit Agreement bears interest based on either an alternative base rate or LIBOR, which was 6.0% as of June 30, 2007. As of June 30, 2007, we had \$293.9 million available for borrowing under our Revolving Credit Agreement.

Interest Rate Swaps

As of June 30, 2007, the weighted-average interest rate for our interest rate swaps was 7.2%. As of June 30, 2007 and December 31, 2006, the aggregate estimated fair value of the interest rate swaps included in other long-term liabilities in our consolidated balance sheets was \$8.5 million and \$4.9 million, respectively.

Environmental, Health and Safety

We are subject to extensive federal, state and local environmental and safety laws and regulations, including those relating to the discharge of materials into the environment, waste management, pollution prevention measures, pipeline integrity and operator qualifications, among others. Because environmental and safety laws and regulations are becoming more complex and stringent and new environmental and safety laws and regulations are continuously being enacted or proposed, the level of future expenditures required for environmental, health and safety matters is expected to increase.

Other Contingencies

We are subject to certain loss contingencies, the outcome of which could have an effect on our cash flows and results of operations. Specifically, we may be required to make substantial payments to the U.S. Department of Justice for certain remediation costs as further disclosed in Note 5 of Condensed Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements.

Commitments

In the first quarter of 2007, we entered into a three-year agreement to purchase a minimum of 4.5 million barrels of inventory at market prices for resale to our customers. We estimated the value of this commitment to be

approximately \$203.0 million, which will fluctuate with market prices.

The building lease for our new headquarters became effective in the first quarter of 2007. We have a minimum commitment of approximately \$13.5 million over almost 11 years.

CRITICAL ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The preparation of financial statements in accordance with United States generally accepted accounting principles requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the amounts reported in the consolidated financial statements and accompanying notes. Actual results could differ from those estimates. Our critical accounting policies are disclosed in our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2006.

Item 3. Quantitative and Qualitative Disclosures About Market Risk

The principal market risk (*i.e.*, the risk of loss arising from adverse changes in market rates and prices) to which we are exposed is interest rate risk on our debt. Additionally, we are exposed to exchange rate fluctuations on transactions related to our foreign operations.

We manage our debt considering various financing alternatives available in the market and we manage our exposure to changing interest rates principally through the use of a combination of fixed-rate debt and variable-rate debt. In addition, we utilize interest rate swap agreements to manage a portion of the exposure to changing interest rates by converting certain fixed-rate debt to variable-rate debt. Borrowings under the Revolving Credit Agreement and Term Loan Agreement expose us to increases in the benchmark interest rate underlying these variable rate debt instruments.

The following table provides information about our long-term debt and interest rate derivative instruments, all of which are sensitive to changes in interest rates. For long-term debt, principal cash flows and related weighted-average interest rates by expected maturity dates are presented. For interest rate swaps, the table presents notional amounts and weighted-average interest rates by expected (contractual) maturity dates. Weighted-average variable rates are based on implied forward interest rates in the yield curve at the reporting date.

June 30, 2007								
Expected Maturity Dates								
						There-	Fair	
	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	after	Total	Value
(Thousands of Dollars, Except Interest Rates)								
Long-term Debt:								
Fixed rate	\$ 3,710	\$ 660	\$ 713	\$ 770	\$ 43,002	\$833,981	\$882,836	\$906,702
Average interest rate	6.2%	8.0%	8.0%	8.0%	6.7%	6.6%	6.6%	
Variable rate	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$529,873	\$529,873	\$529,873
Average interest rate	-	-	-	-	-	6.0%	6.0%	
Interest Rate Swaps								
Fixed to Variable:								
Notional amount	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$167,500	\$167,500	\$ (8,454)
Average pay rate	7.2%	7.1%	7.2%	7.3%	7.5%	7.4%	7.3%	
Average receive rate	6.3%	6.3%	6.3%	6.3%	6.3%	6.2%	6.3%	
December 31, 2006								
Expected Maturity Dates								
						There-	Fair	
	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	after	Total	Value
(Thousands of Dollars, Except Interest Rates)								
Long-term Debt:								
Fixed rate	\$ 647	\$ 660	\$ 713	\$ 770	\$ 41,950	\$ 854,049	\$ 898,789	\$ 939,191
Average interest rate	8.0%	8.0%	8.0%	8.0%	6.7%	6.6%	6.6%	
Variable rate	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 415,526	\$ -	\$ 415,526	\$ 415,526
Average interest rate	-	-	-	-	6.1%	-	6.1%	
Interest Rate Swaps								
Fixed to Variable:								
Notional amount	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 167,500	\$ 167,500	\$ (4,908)
Average pay rate	7.0%	6.7%	6.7%	6.8%	6.9%	6.8%	6.8%	
Average receive rate	6.3%	6.3%	6.3%	6.3%	6.3%	6.2%	6.3%	

Item 4. Controls and Procedures

(a) Evaluation of disclosure controls and procedures.

Our management has evaluated, with the participation of the principal executive officer and principal financial officer of NuStar GP, LLC, the effectiveness of our disclosure controls and procedures (as defined in Rule 13a-15(e) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934) as of the end of the period covered by this report, and has concluded that our disclosure controls and procedures were effective as of June 30, 2007.

(b) Changes in internal control over financial reporting.

There has been no change in our internal control over financial reporting that occurred during our last fiscal quarter that has materially affected, or is reasonably likely to materially affect, our internal control over financial reporting.

PART II - OTHER INFORMATION

Item 1A. Risk Factors

We have adopted certain valuation methodologies that may result in a shift of income, gain, loss and deduction between the general partner and the unitholders. The Internal Revenue Service (“IRS”) may challenge this treatment, which could adversely affect the value of our common units.

When we issue additional units or engage in certain other transactions, we determine the fair market value of our assets and allocate any unrealized gain or loss attributable to our assets to the capital accounts of our unitholders and our general partner. Our methodology may be viewed as understating the value of our assets. In that case, there may be a shift of income, gain, loss and deduction between certain unitholders and the general partner, which may be unfavorable to such unitholders. Moreover, under our current valuation methods, subsequent purchasers of common units may have a greater portion of their Internal Revenue Code Section 743(b) adjustment allocated to our tangible assets and a lesser portion allocated to our intangible assets. The IRS may challenge our valuation methods, or our allocation of the Section 743(b) adjustment attributable to our tangible and intangible assets, and allocations of income, gain, loss and deduction between the general partner and certain of our unitholders.

A successful IRS challenge to these methods or allocations could adversely affect the amount of taxable income or loss being allocated to our unitholders. It also could affect the amount of gain from our unitholders’ sale of common units and could have a negative impact on the value of the common units or result in audit adjustments to our unitholders’ tax returns without the benefit of additional deductions.

Item 6. Exhibits

- +* Exhibit 10.01NuStar GP, LLC Second Amended and Restated 2000 Long-Term Incentive Plan, amended and restated as of April 1, 2007.
- +* Exhibit 10.02NuStar GP, LLC Amended and Restated 2002 Unit Option Plan, amended and restated as of April 1, 2007.
- +* Exhibit 10.03NuStar GP, LLC Amended and Restated 2003 Employee Unit Option Plan.
- * Exhibit 12.01Statement of Computation of Ratio of Earnings to Fixed Charges.
- * Exhibit 31.01Rule 13a-14(a) Certifications (under Section 302 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002).
- * Exhibit 32.01Section 1350 Certifications (as adopted pursuant to Section 906 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002).

* Filed herewith.

+ Identifies management contracts or compensatory plans or arrangements required to be filed as an exhibit hereto.

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, thereunto duly authorized.

NUSTAR ENERGY L.P.

(Registrant)

By: Riverwalk Logistics, L.P., its general partner

By: NuStar GP, LLC, its general partner

By: /s/ Curtis V. Anastasio

Curtis V. Anastasio

President and Chief Executive Officer

August 9, 2007

By: /s/ Steven A. Blank

Steven A. Blank

Senior Vice President, Chief Financial Officer and Treasurer

August 9, 2007

By: /s/ Thomas R. Shoaf

Thomas R. Shoaf

Vice President and Controller

August 9, 2007