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(State of Incorporation)

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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

Amendment No. 2

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REGISTRATION STATEMENT

UNDER

THE SECURITIES ACT OF 1933

ENERGY TRANSFER PARTNERS, L.P.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware 4922 73-1493906

(Primary Standard Industrial Classification Code Number) 3738 Oak Lawn Avenue (IRS Employer Identification No.)

Dallas, TX 75219

(214) 981-0700

(Address, including zip code, and telephone number, including area code, of registrant s principal executive offices)

Martin Salinas, Jr.

Chief Financial Officer

Energy Transfer Partners, L.P.

3738 Oak Lawn Avenue

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Approximate date of commencement of proposed sale of the securities to the public: As soon as practicable after this registration statement is declared effective and the satisfaction or waiver of all other conditions to the closing of the merger described herein.

If the securities being registered on this form are being offered in connection with the formation of a holding company and there is compliance with General Instruction G, please check the following box.

If this form is filed to register additional securities for an offering pursuant to Rule 462(b) under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended (referred to as the Securities Act), check the following box and list the Securities Act registration statement number of the earlier effective registration statement for the same offering.

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Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a large accelerated filer, an accelerated filer, a non-accelerated filer, or a smaller reporting company. See the definitions of large accelerated filer, accelerated filer and smaller reporting company in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act. (Check one):

Large accelerated filer x

Accelerated filer

Non-accelerated filer .

Smaller reporting company "

If applicable, place an X in the box to designate the appropriate rule provision relied upon in conducting this transaction:

Exchange Act Rule 13e-4(i) (Cross-Border Issuer Tender Offer) "

Exchange Act Rule 14d-1(d) (Cross-Border Third-Party Tender Offer) "

The registrant hereby amends this registration statement on such date or dates as may be necessary to delay its effective date until the registrant shall file a further amendment which specifically states that this registration statement shall thereafter become effective in accordance with Section 8(a) of the Securities Act or until this registration statement shall become effective on such date as the Securities and Exchange Commission, acting pursuant to said Section 8(a), may determine.

The information in this document is not complete and may be changed. Energy Transfer Partners, L.P. may not issue the securities described herein until the registration statement filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission is effective. This document is not an offer to sell these securities and is not soliciting an offer to buy these securities in any jurisdiction where the offer or sale is not permitted.

SUBJECT TO COMPLETION, DATED JULY 28, 2014

MERGER PROPOSED YOUR VOTE IS VERY IMPORTANT

Dear Stockholder of Susser Holdings Corporation:

Susser Holdings Corporation (which we refer to as Susser) and Energy Transfer Partners, L.P. (which we refer to as ETP) have entered into a merger agreement that provides for Susser to become a subsidiary of ETP. In the merger, Susser stockholders will receive, for each share of Susser common stock they own as of immediately prior to the merger, a combination of \$40.125 in cash and 0.7253 of an ETP common unit (which we refer to as the standard mix of consideration). Instead of receiving the standard mix of consideration, Susser stockholders will have an opportunity to make an election to receive \$80.25 in cash (which we refer to as a cash election) or to receive 1.4506 ETP common units (which we refer to as a unit election), for each share of Susser common stock they own immediately prior to the merger. The cash and unit elections, however, will be subject to proration to ensure that the total amount of cash paid and the total number of ETP common units issued in the merger to Susser stockholders as a whole are equal to the total amount of cash and number of ETP common units that would have been paid and issued if all Susser stockholders received the standard mix of consideration. Shares of Susser common stock are currently traded on the New York Stock Exchange (which we refer to as the NYSE) under the symbol SUSS, and ETP common units are currently traded on the NYSE under the symbol ETP.

In connection with the merger, Susser will hold a special meeting of its stockholders to consider and vote on a proposal to adopt the merger agreement and certain other matters. The affirmative vote of the holders of a majority of all outstanding shares of Susser common stock entitled to vote on the merger proposal is required to adopt the merger agreement. Stockholders of record as of July 22, 2014 (which we refer to as the record date) are entitled to vote on the merger and other proposals presented at the Susser special meeting. Certain Susser stockholders have entered into a support agreement with ETP, pursuant to which they have agreed to vote all of their Susser shares in favor of the merger agreement, including the merger, and to make a unit election. Collectively, these stockholders hold approximately 11% of Susser's outstanding shares of common stock as of the date of the accompanying proxy statement/prospectus.

Your vote is very important. Information about the Susser special meeting, the merger and the other business to be considered by the Susser stockholders at the Susser special meeting is contained in the accompanying proxy statement/prospectus, which we urge you to read. In particular, see the section titled <u>Risk Factors</u> beginning on page 31 of the accompanying document.

The Susser board of directors has unanimously determined that it is advisable and in the best interests of Susser and its stockholders for Susser to enter into the merger agreement and has approved the merger agreement, the merger and the other transactions contemplated by the merger agreement. The Susser board of

directors unanimously recommends that the Susser stockholders vote FOR the proposal to adopt the merger agreement.

Sincerely,

Sam L. Susser

Chairman of the Board, President, Chief Executive

Officer and Director

Neither the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission nor any state securities commission has approved or disapproved of the securities to be issued under the accompanying document or determined that the accompanying document is accurate or complete. Any representation to the contrary is a criminal offense.

The accompanying document is dated , 2014 and is first being mailed to the Susser stockholders on or about July 30, 2014.

NOTICE OF SPECIAL MEETING OF STOCKHOLDERS

TO BE HELD ON AUGUST 28, 2014

Dear Stockholder of Susser Holdings Corporation:

You are cordially invited to attend a special meeting of stockholders (which we refer to as the special meeting) to be held on August 28, 2014 at the offices of Susser Holdings Corporation, 4525 Ayers Street, Corpus Christi, TX 78415 at 10:00 a.m., local time. Only Susser stockholders of record at the close of business on July 22, 2014, the record date, are entitled to receive this notice and to vote at the special meeting or any adjournment or postponement of that meeting. The special meeting has been called for the following purposes:

- 1. To consider and vote upon a proposal to adopt the Agreement and Plan of Merger dated as of April 27, 2014, by and among Susser, Energy Transfer Partners, L.P. (which we refer to as ETP), Energy Transfer Partners GP, L.P., Heritage Holdings, Inc. (which we refer to as HHI), Drive Acquisition Corporation (which we refer to as Merger Sub), and, for limited purposes set forth therein, Energy Transfer Equity, L.P. (which we refer to as ETE), as it may be amended from time to time (which we refer to as the merger agreement), pursuant to which, among other things, Merger Sub will be merged with and into Susser, with Susser surviving the merger as a subsidiary of ETP;
- 2. To consider and cast an advisory (non-binding) vote on specified compensation that may be received by Susser s named executive officers in connection with the merger; and
- 3. To consider and vote upon any adjournment of the special meeting, if necessary, to solicit additional proxies in favor of the proposal to adopt the merger agreement.

The Susser board of directors has unanimously approved and determined the advisability of the merger agreement and is submitting the merger agreement to the Susser stockholders for adoption at the special meeting. The merger agreement will be adopted upon receiving the affirmative vote of the holders of a majority of all outstanding shares of Susser common stock entitled to vote thereon at the special meeting.

Whether or not you plan to attend the special meeting, please submit your proxy with voting instructions as soon as possible. If you hold shares of Susser common stock in your name as a stockholder of record, please complete, sign, date and return the accompanying proxy card in the enclosed self-addressed stamped envelope, use the toll-free telephone number shown on the proxy card or use the internet website shown on the proxy card. If you hold shares of Susser common stock through a bank or broker, please use the voting instructions you have received from your bank or broker. Submitting your proxy will not prevent you from attending the special meeting and voting in person. Please note, however, that if you hold shares of Susser common stock through a bank or broker, and you wish to vote in person at the special meeting, you must obtain from your bank or broker a proxy issued in your name. You may revoke your proxy by attending the special meeting and voting your shares of Susser common stock in person at the special meeting. You may also revoke your proxy at any time before it is voted by giving written notice of revocation to the Secretary of Susser at the address provided with the proxy card at or before the special meeting or by

submitting a proxy with a later date.

Special Meeting Information

When: August 28, 2014 at 10:00 a.m., local time.

Where: Offices of Susser Holdings Corporation, 4525 Ayers Street, Corpus Christi, TX 78415.

Stockholders will be asked to sign in upon arrival.

Proxy Voting Information

You do not need to attend the special meeting to vote your shares. You can vote your shares by proxy, on the Internet, telephonically or by mail, by following the instructions on your proxy card or the broker instruction card provided by your broker.

Voting by Telephone: 1-800-652-VOTE (8683)

Voting by Internet: www.investorvote.com/SUSS

Your vote is important to us. Even if you cannot attend the special meeting, please vote your shares.

The Susser board of directors recommends that the Susser stockholders vote:

- 1. **FOR** the proposal to adopt the merger agreement;
- 2. **FOR** the proposal to approve, on an advisory (non-binding) basis, specified compensation that may be received by Susser's named executive officers in connection with the merger; and
- 3. **FOR** any adjournment of the special meeting, if necessary, to solicit additional proxies in favor of the proposal to adopt the merger agreement.

By Order of the Board of Directors,

E.V. Bonner, Jr.

Executive Vice President, Secretary and General Counsel

, 2014

REFERENCES TO ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

This document, which forms part of a registration statement on Form S-4 filed with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission (which we refer to as the SEC), constitutes a proxy statement of Susser under Section 14(a) of the U.S. Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (which we refer to as the Exchange Act), with respect to the solicitation of proxies for the special meeting of Susser stockholders, or any adjournment or postponement thereof, to, among other things, adopt the merger agreement. It also constitutes a notice of meeting with respect to the special meeting of Susser stockholders. This document is also a prospectus of ETP under Section 5 of the U.S. Securities Act of 1933, as amended (which we refer to as the Securities Act), for ETP common units that will be issued to Susser stockholders pursuant to the merger agreement.

As permitted under the rules of the SEC, this document incorporates by reference important business and financial information about ETP and Susser from other documents filed with the SEC that are not included in or delivered with this document. Please read the section titled Where You Can Find More Information. You can obtain any of the documents incorporated by reference into this document from the SEC s website at www.sec.gov. This information is also available to you without charge upon your request in writing or by telephone from ETP or Susser at the following addresses and telephone numbers:

Susser Holdings Corporation

Energy Transfer Partners, L.P.

3738 Oak Lawn Avenue Dallas, TX 75219 Attn: Investor Relations

Telephone: (214) 981-0795

4525 Ayers Street

Corpus Christi, TX 78415 Attn: Investor Relations Telephone: (361) 884-2463

Please note that copies of the documents provided to you will not include exhibits, unless the exhibits are specifically incorporated by reference into the documents or this document.

You may obtain certain of these documents at ETP s website, www.energytransfer.com, by selecting Investor Relations, then selecting SEC Filings and then selecting the tab named ETP, and at Susser s website, www.susser.com, by selecting Investor Relations and then selecting SEC Filings. None of the information contained on the website of ETP or Susser is incorporated by reference into this document.

In order to receive timely delivery of the documents in advance of the Susser special meeting, your request should be received no later than August 22, 2014. In order to receive timely delivery of the documents in advance of the election deadline for the merger, your request should be received no later than four business days prior to the election deadline. If you request any documents, ETP or Susser will mail them to you by first class mail, or another equally prompt means, within one business day after receipt of your request.

If you have any questions about the merger or the consideration that you will receive in connection with the merger, including any questions relating to the election or transmittal of materials, or would like additional copies of the election form and letter of transmittal (which are being mailed to Susser stockholders separately), you may contact Susser s proxy solicitor at the address and telephone number listed below. You will not be charged for any additional election forms and letters of transmittal that you request.

The Solicitation Agent for the Special Meeting is:

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You may obtain information regarding the Special Meeting

from the Solicitation Agent as follows:

480 Washington Boulevard 26th Floor

Jersey City, NJ 07310

Call Toll-Free 1 (866) 295-4321

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QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS ABOUT THE MERGER AND SPECIAL MEETING

Set forth below are questions that you, as a stockholder of Susser Holdings Corporation (which we refer to as Susser), may have regarding the merger and the special meeting of Susser stockholders and brief answers to those questions. For a more complete description of the legal and other terms of the merger, please read this entire document, including the merger agreement, which is attached as Annex A to this proxy statement/prospectus, and the documents incorporated by reference into this document. You may obtain a list of the documents incorporated by reference into this document in the section Where You Can Find More Information.

Q: Why am I receiving these materials?

A: Susser and Energy Transfer Partners, L.P. (which we refer to as ETP) have entered into a merger agreement, pursuant to which they have agreed that Susser would become a subsidiary of ETP, and that Susser will cease to be a separate publicly traded company. In the merger, Susser stockholders will receive, for each share of Susser common stock they own as of immediately prior to the merger, a combination of \$40.125 in cash and 0.7253 of an ETP common unit (which we refer to as the standard mix of consideration). Instead of receiving the standard mix of consideration, Susser stockholders will have an opportunity to make an election to receive \$80.25 in cash (which we refer to as a cash election) or to receive 1.4506 ETP common units (which we refer to as a unit election), for each share of Susser common stock they own as of immediately prior to the merger. The cash and unit elections, however, will be subject to proration to ensure that the total amount of cash paid and the total number of ETP common units issued in the merger to Susser stockholders as a whole are equal to the total amount of cash and number of ETP common units that would have been paid and issued if all Susser stockholders received the standard mix of consideration. See The Merger Agreement Merger Consideration on page 87. In order to complete the merger, Susser stockholders must vote to adopt the merger agreement. This document is being delivered to you as both a proxy statement of Susser and a prospectus of ETP in connection with the merger. It is the proxy statement by which the Susser board of directors is soliciting proxies from you to vote in favor of the proposal to adopt the merger agreement at the special meeting or at any adjournment or postponement of the special meeting. It is also the prospectus for the offering by ETP of ETP common units in the merger.

Q: What am I being asked to consider and vote on?

- A: Susser stockholders are being asked to consider and vote on the following proposals:
 - (1) to adopt the merger agreement (attached as Annex A to this document);
 - (2) to approve, on an advisory (non-binding) basis, specified compensation that may be received by Susser s named executive officers in connection with the merger; and

(3)

any adjournment of the special meeting, if necessary, to solicit additional proxies in favor of the proposal to adopt the merger agreement.

- Q: How does the Susser board of directors recommend that I vote on the matters to be considered at the special meeting?
- A: The Susser board of directors recommends that Susser stockholders vote:
 - **FOR** the proposal to adopt the merger agreement;

FOR the proposal to approve, on an advisory (non-binding) basis, specified compensation that may be received by Susser s named executive officers in connection with the merger; and

FOR any adjournment of the special meeting, if necessary, to solicit additional proxies in favor of the proposal to adopt the merger agreement.

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See Proposal 1: The Merger Recommendation of Susser's Board of Directors and Reasons for the Merger beginning on page 51.

In considering the recommendation of the Susser board of directors with respect to the merger agreement, you should be aware that some of Susser's directors and executive officers have interests in the merger that are different from, or in addition to, the interests of Susser stockholders generally. See Proposal 1: The Merger Interests of Susser's Directors and Executive Officers in the Merger beginning on page 69.

Q: What will happen in the merger?

A: If the merger is completed, Merger Sub will be merged with and into Susser, with Susser surviving the merger as a subsidiary of ETP. The merger will become effective on such date and at such time that the certificate of merger is filed with the Secretary of State of the State of Delaware, or such later date and time as may be agreed upon by ETP and Susser and set forth in the certificate of merger. Throughout this proxy statement/prospectus, this date and time is referred to as the effective time of the merger.

Q: What is the amount of cash and/or the number of ETP common units that I will be entitled to receive for my shares of Susser common stock?

A: In the merger, Susser stockholders will receive, for each share of Susser common stock they own as of immediately prior to the merger, a combination of \$40.125 in cash and 0.7253 of an ETP common unit. Instead of receiving this standard mix of consideration, Susser stockholders will have an opportunity to make a cash election to receive either \$80.25 in cash, or a unit election to receive 1.4506 ETP common units, for each share of Susser common stock they own as of immediately prior to the merger. The cash and unit elections, however, will be subject to proration to ensure that the total amount of cash paid and the total number of ETP common units issued in the merger to Susser stockholders as a whole are equal to the total amount of cash and number of ETP common units that would have been paid and issued if all Susser stockholders received the standard mix of consideration. Therefore:

if providing \$80.25 in cash per share of Susser common stock to those who make the cash election would cause ETP to pay more cash than if all Susser stockholders were to receive \$40.125 in cash per share, then the amount of cash per share of Susser common stock to be received by holders making a cash election will be reduced (pro rata across all outstanding shares of Susser common stock subject to a cash election), so that the aggregate cash paid to all Susser stockholders is equal to \$40.125 per share, and the remainder of the consideration in respect of outstanding shares of Susser common stock subject to a cash election will be payable in ETP common units and cash in lieu of fractional units; and

if providing 1.4506 ETP common units per share of Susser common stock to those who make the unit election would cause ETP to issue more ETP common units than if all Susser stockholders received 0.7253 of an ETP common unit per share, then the amount of ETP common units per share of Susser common stock to be received by holders making a unit election will be reduced (pro rata across all outstanding shares of Susser common stock

subject to a unit election), so that the aggregate ETP common units paid to all Susser stockholders is equal to 0.7253 of an ETP common unit per share, and the remainder of the consideration in respect of outstanding shares of Susser common stock subject to a unit election will be payable in cash.

Susser stockholders who elect to receive the standard mix of consideration for their shares of Susser common stock will not be subject to proration for such shares.

No fractional ETP common units will be issued. Susser stockholders to whom fractional units would have otherwise been issued will be entitled to receive, subject to applicable withholding, a cash payment equal to such stockholders proportionate interest in the net proceeds from the sale of the aggregated fractional units that would have been issued in the merger.

Q: What will happen to Susser equity awards in the merger?

A: *Stock Options*. Each award of stock options outstanding immediately prior to the effective time of the merger (other than under the Susser employee stock purchase plan), whether or not vested, will become

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fully vested and be converted into the right to receive a cash payment equal to (a) the number of shares of Susser common stock subject to the stock option, multiplied by (b) the excess, if any, of the closing price of one share of Susser common stock on the New York Stock Exchange on the day prior to the effective date of the merger, as reflected in the *Wall Street Journal* (the Closing Price), over the exercise price per share of Susser common stock subject to such option, less any applicable withholding or other taxes.

Restricted Stock Units Outstanding as of April 27, 2014. Except for certain 2014 awards described below, each award of restricted stock units that was granted on or prior to April 27, 2014 and is outstanding immediately prior to the effective time of the merger will become fully vested (assuming satisfaction of any applicable performance criteria at 100% of target level) and be converted into the right to receive an amount in cash equal to the product of (a) the number of shares of Susser common stock subject to such award multiplied by (b) the Closing Price.

Notwithstanding the foregoing, certain restricted stock units that were granted in 2014 prior to April 27, 2014 to certain Susser officers and employees (each, a 2014 LTIP Unit) shall be converted at the effective time of the merger into (i) an adjusted phantom common unit of ETP, with the same terms and conditions as were applicable to such 2014 LTIP Unit, covering the number of ETP common units, rounded down to the nearest whole common unit, determined by multiplying the number of shares subject to the 2014 LTIP Unit award immediately prior to the effective time of the merger (assuming satisfaction of any applicable performance criteria at 100% of target level) by the quotient obtained by dividing (A) the Closing Price by (B) the closing price of one common unit of ETP on the New York Stock Exchange on the trading day prior to the date the effective time occurs, as reflected in the *Wall Street Journal* (the Equity Award Exchange Ratio) and (ii) cash in lieu of any fractional phantom unit award in ETP, subject to applicable tax withholdings. The adjusted ETP phantom units shall vest on January 2, 2015, subject to the grantee s continued employment through that date (with acceleration if the grantee s employment is terminated without cause or the grantee resigns for good reason).

Restricted Stock Outstanding as of April 27, 2014. Each award of restricted stock that was granted on or prior to April 27, 2014 and is outstanding immediately prior to the effective time of the merger will become fully vested (assuming satisfaction of any applicable performance criteria at 100% of target level) and be converted into the right to receive, at the election of the holder, and subject to the standard proration rules described above, either the standard mix of consideration, the cash election or the unit election, with cash in lieu of any fractional units of ETP, in each case less any applicable withholding taxes.

Restricted Stock Units Granted After April 27, 2014. Although Susser does not anticipate any such grants to Susser's executive officers, each award of restricted stock units granted after April 27, 2014 that is outstanding immediately prior to the effective time of the merger will be converted into a phantom unit award in ETP with the same terms and conditions as the initial grant, covering the number of ETP common units, rounded down to the nearest whole common unit, determined by multiplying the number of shares subject to such award immediately prior to the effective time of the merger (assuming satisfaction of any applicable performance criteria at 100% of target level) by the Equity Award Exchange Ratio and cash in lieu of any fractional phantom unit awards in ETP, subject to all applicable tax withholdings. The adjusted ETP phantom unit award shall vest solely on the basis of time and continued service by the grantee at a rate no greater than one-third of the ETP common units subject thereto on each anniversary of the date of grant of the related award of the restricted stock units, subject to the grantee s continued employment through each vesting date (with acceleration if the grantee s employment is terminated without cause or the grantee resigns for good reason).

Restricted Stock Granted After April 27, 2014. Although Susser does not anticipate any such grants to Susser's executive officers, each award of restricted stock granted after April 27, 2014 that is outstanding immediately prior to the effective time of the merger will be converted into a restricted unit award with the same terms and conditions as the initial grant covering the number of ETP common units, rounded down to the nearest whole unit, determined by

multiplying the number of Susser $\,$ s shares subject to such award (assuming satisfaction of any applicable performance criteria at 100% of target level) by the Equity Award

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Exchange Ratio and cash in lieu of any fractional restricted unit, subject to all applicable tax withholdings. The adjusted ETP restricted unit award shall vest solely on the basis of time and continued service by the grantee at a rate no greater than one-third of the ETP common units subject thereto on each anniversary of the date of grant of the related award of the restricted stock, subject to the grantee s continued employment through each vesting date (with acceleration if the grantee s employment is terminated without cause or the grantee resigns for good reason).

Susser Petroleum Equity Awards. Pursuant to their terms, all outstanding awards under the Susser Petroleum Partners LP 2012 Long Term Incentive Plan that were granted on or prior to April 27, 2014 will become fully vested upon the effective time of the merger. Awards granted under such plan after April 27, 2014, shall vest solely on the basis of time and continued service by the grantee at a rate no greater than one-third of the units subject thereto on each anniversary of the date of grant of the award, subject to the grantee s continued employment through each vesting date (with acceleration if the grantee s employment is terminated without cause or the grantee resigns for good reason).

Q: What will happen to Susser s 2008 Employee Stock Purchase Plan in the merger?

A: Immediately prior to the effective time of the merger, the offering period under Susser s 2008 Employee Stock Purchase Plan (which we refer to as the ESPP) will terminate and participants in the ESPP will be entitled to receive an amount in cash equal to the product of (i) the Closing Price multiplied by (ii) the number of shares the participant would have been able to purchase with the balance of his or her payroll account under the ESPP (i.e., in general, at a price equal to 85% of the Closing Price) if the effective date of the merger had been the applicable purchase date under the ESPP, subject to all applicable tax withholdings.

Q: If I am a Susser stockholder, will I receive dividends in the future?

A: Susser has not historically paid dividends to its stockholders and does not expect to pay any dividends to its stockholders prior to or in connection with the merger. Once the merger is completed, to the extent shares of Susser common stock are exchanged for ETP common units, when distributions are declared by the board of directors (which we refer to as the ETP board of directors) of Energy Transfer Partners, L.L.C. (which we refer to as ETP LLC), the general partner of Energy Transfer Partners GP, L.P. (which we refer to as ETP GP and which is the general partner of ETP) and paid by ETP, former Susser stockholders will receive distributions on ETP common units that they receive in the merger in accordance with ETP s partnership agreement. For additional information, please read Summary Comparative ETP and Susser Per Unit/Share Market Price Data beginning on page 29.

Current ETP unitholders will continue to receive distributions on their common units in accordance with ETP s partnership agreement. For a description of the distribution provisions of ETP s partnership agreement, please read Comparison of Rights of Susser Stockholders and ETP Unitholders beginning on page 137.

Q: What vote of Susser stockholders is required to adopt the merger agreement?

A: The merger agreement proposal must be adopted by the affirmative vote of the holders of a majority of all outstanding shares of Susser common stock entitled to vote thereon. Failures to vote, abstentions and broker non-votes will have the same effect as a vote AGAINST the merger agreement proposal.

Simultaneously with the execution of the merger agreement, Sam L. Susser and a related family limited partnership holding shares of Susser common stock beneficially owned by him, which owned 2,353,895 shares of Susser common stock representing approximately 11% of the Susser common stock outstanding and entitled to vote as of April 25, 2014, entered into a support agreement dated as of April 27, 2014 (which we refer to as the support agreement). For a description of the support agreement, please read Proposal 1: The Merger Support Agreement beginning on page 64.

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Q: What vote of Susser stockholders is required to approve the other matters to be considered at the special meeting?

A: Approval of the advisory vote on specified compensation that may be received by Susser s named executive officers in connection with the merger (which we refer to as the advisory say-on-compensation proposal) requires the affirmative vote of holders of a majority of those shares of Susser common stock present in person or by proxy at the special meeting and entitled to vote thereon. The vote to approve specified compensation is not a condition to completion of the merger. The vote of Susser stockholders on specified compensation that may be received by Susser s named executive officers in connection with the merger is advisory in nature and will not be binding on ETP or Susser. Accordingly, regardless of the outcome of the advisory vote, if the merger is approved and completed, specified compensation may be paid. Abstentions will have the same effect as a vote AGAINST the advisory say-on-compensation proposal, while failures to vote and broker non-votes will have no effect on the outcome of the advisory vote.

Any adjournment of the special meeting, if necessary, to solicit additional proxies in favor of the proposal to adopt the merger agreement (which we refer to as the adjournment proposal) requires the affirmative vote of holders of a majority of those shares of Susser common stock represented at the special meeting in person or by proxy and entitled to vote thereon, regardless of whether a quorum is present. Unless the Susser board of directors fixes a new record date for the adjourned special meeting or law otherwise requires, no notice of the adjourned special meeting will be required so long as (i) the time and place to which the special meeting is adjourned are announced at the original special meeting and (ii) at the adjourned special meeting only such business is transacted as might have been transacted at the original special meeting. Abstentions will have the same effect as a vote AGAINST a proposal to adjourn the special meeting, while failures to vote and broker non-votes will have no effect on the outcome of the vote.

Q: Who is entitled to vote at the special meeting?

A: You are entitled to vote your common stock at the special meeting if Susser s records show that you held your shares as of the close of business on July 22, 2014 (which we refer to as the record date). At the close of business on the record date, there were 21,683,099 shares of common stock outstanding, held by approximately 145 holders of record. Each holder of shares of Susser common stock is entitled to one vote per share of common stock held.

Q: How are votes counted?

A: For (i) the proposal to adopt the merger agreement, (ii) the advisory say-on-compensation proposal, (iii) the adjournment proposal and (iv) any other items of business that may be properly brought before the special meeting, you may vote FOR, AGAINST or ABSTAIN. If you ABSTAIN in any of the above matters, the abstention has the same effect as a vote AGAINST.

If you provide specific instructions with regard to certain items, your shares will be voted as you instruct on such items. If you sign your proxy card or voting instruction card without giving specific instructions, your shares will be voted in accordance with the recommendations of the Board (FOR all of the proposals).

Q: What is the deadline for voting my shares?

A: If you hold shares as the stockholder of record, your vote by written proxy must be received before the polls close at the special meeting and any electronic or telephonic vote must be received by 1:00 a.m. Central Time, on the day of the special meeting. If you hold shares beneficially in street name with a broker, trustee or nominee, please follow the voting instructions provided by your broker, trustee or nominee.

Q: What constitutes a quorum for the special meeting?

A: A majority of the shares of Susser common stock outstanding at the close of business on the record date and entitled to vote, present in person or represented by proxy, at the special meeting constitutes a quorum for the purposes of the special meeting. Shares of Susser common stock represented at the special meeting but

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not voted, including shares of Susser common stock for which a stockholder directs an abstention from voting, as well as broker non-votes, if any, will be counted for purposes of establishing a quorum. A quorum is necessary to transact business at the special meeting. Once a share of Susser common stock is represented at the special meeting, it will be counted for the purpose of determining a quorum at the special meeting and any adjournment of the special meeting, unless a new record date is required to be established. However, if a new record date is set for the adjourned special meeting, then a new quorum will have to be established. In the event that a quorum is not present at the special meeting, it is expected that the special meeting will be adjourned.

Q: What is a broker non-vote?

A: Under the rules of the NYSE, banks, brokerage firms or other nominees holding shares of record may vote those shares in their discretion on certain routine proposals when they do not receive timely voting instructions from the beneficial holders. A broker non-vote occurs under these NYSE rules when a bank, brokerage firm or other nominee holding shares of record is not permitted to vote on a non-routine matter without instructions from the beneficial owner of the shares and no instruction is given.

In accordance with these NYSE rules, banks, brokers and other nominees who hold shares of Susser common stock in street name—for their customers, but do not have discretionary authority to vote the shares, may not exercise their voting discretion with respect to the adoption of the merger agreement proposal, the adjournment proposal or the advisory say-on-compensation proposal. Accordingly, if banks, brokers or other nominees do not receive specific voting instructions from the beneficial owner of such shares, they may not vote such shares with respect to the adoption of the merger agreement proposal, the advisory say-on-compensation proposal or the adjournment proposal. For shares of Susser common stock held in—street name,—only shares of Susser common stock affirmatively voted—FOR the adoption of the merger agreement proposal, the advisory say-on-compensation proposal or the adjournment proposal will be counted as affirmative votes therefor. Broker non-votes will have the same effect as a vote—AGAINST the adoption of the merger agreement proposal, broker non-votes will have no effect on the approval of the adjournment proposal and broker non-votes will not be voted on the advisory say-on-compensation proposal, but, assuming a quorum is present, this will not have an effect on the advisory say-on-compensation proposal.

Q: Who will bear the cost of soliciting votes for the special meeting?

A: ETP and Susser will each bear their own costs related to the merger and the retention of any information agent or other service provider in connection with the merger, except for the expenses incurred in connection with the filing, printing and mailing of this document which will be shared equally. This proxy solicitation is being solicited by the Susser board of directors on behalf of Susser. Susser has hired Georgeson, Inc. to assist in the solicitation of proxies. In addition to this mailing, proxies may be solicited by directors, officers or employees of Susser or its affiliates in person or by telephone or electronic transmission. None of the directors, officers or employees will be directly compensated for such services.

Q: When and where will the special meeting be held?

- A: The special meeting is scheduled to be held on August 28, 2014 at 10:00 a.m., local time, at the offices of Susser Holdings Corporation, 4525 Ayers Street, Corpus Christi, TX 78415.
- Q. Where can I find the voting results of the special meeting?
- A: Susser intends to announce preliminary voting results at the special meeting and publish final results in a current report on Form 8-K within 4 business days of the special meeting.
- Q: What are the expected U.S. federal income tax consequences to a Susser stockholder as a result of the merger?
- A: For U.S. federal income tax purposes, to the extent that a Susser stockholder receives cash in the merger, the stockholder will generally recognize gain or loss in an amount equal to the difference between the amount of cash received and the stockholder s adjusted basis in the Susser common stock treated as sold in the merger.

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In general, no gain or loss will be recognized by a Susser stockholder to the extent that a Susser stockholder receives ETP common units in the merger. For a more detailed discussion of the material U.S. federal income tax consequences of the merger to Susser stockholders, please see the section titled Material U.S. Federal Income Tax Considerations beginning on page 109.

- Q: Are there any risks in the merger that I should consider?
- A: Yes. There are risks associated with all business combinations, including the merger. These risks are discussed in more detail in the section titled Risk Factors beginning on page 31.
- Q: How do I vote at the special meeting?
- A: After you have carefully read this document, please respond in any of the following ways.

Voting by Telephone. You can vote by calling the toll-free number printed on the proxy card or, if you are a beneficial owner, in accordance with any telephonic voting instructions provided to you by the record holder, as applicable. Telephone voting is available 24 hours a day and will be accessible until 1:00 a.m. Central Time on August 28, 2014.

Voting by Internet. You can vote electronically in accordance with the instructions on the proxy card or, if you are a beneficial owner, in accordance with any electronic voting instructions provided to you by the record holder, as applicable. Internet voting is available 24 hours a day and will be accessible until 1:00 a.m. Central Time on August 28, 2014.

Voting by Proxy Card. If you are a record holder and received a proxy card, you can vote by completing and returning your signed proxy card. To vote using your proxy card, please mark, date and sign the card and return it by mail in the accompanying postage-paid envelope. If you vote by telephone or by Internet, you should not return a proxy card unless you wish to change your vote.

Voting in Person. You can vote in person at the special meeting if you are a record owner of the shares to be voted. You can also vote in person at the special meeting if you present a properly signed proxy that authorizes you to vote shares on behalf of the record owner.

- Q: If my shares of Susser common stock are held in street name by my broker or other nominee, will my broker or other nominee vote my units without instructions from me?
- A: No. Your broker will not be able to vote your shares of Susser common stock without instructions from you. Please follow the procedure your broker provides to vote your shares.

Q: What is the difference between holding shares as a stockholder of record and as a beneficial owner?

A: Most Susser stockholders hold their shares through a broker or other nominee rather than directly in their own name.

If your shares are registered directly in your name with Susser s transfer agent, Computershare Investor Services, you are considered, with respect to those shares, the stockholder of record, and these proxy materials are being sent directly to you by Susser. As the stockholder of record, you have the right to grant your voting proxy directly to Susser or to a third party, or to vote in person at the special meeting. Susser has enclosed a proxy card for you to use.

If your shares are held in a brokerage account or by another nominee, you are considered the beneficial owner of shares held in street name and these proxy materials are being forwarded to you together with a voting instruction card on behalf of your broker, trustee or nominee. As the beneficial owner, you have the right to direct your broker, trustee or nominee how to vote and you also are invited to attend the special meeting. Your broker, trustee or nominee has enclosed or provided voting instructions for you to use in directing the broker, trustee or nominee in how to vote your shares. Because a beneficial owner is not the stockholder of record, you may not vote these shares in person at the special meeting unless you obtain a legal proxy from the broker, trustee or nominee that holds your shares, giving you the right to vote the shares at the special meeting.

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- Q: If I am planning on attending the special meeting in person, should I still submit a proxy?
- A: Yes. Whether or not you plan to attend the special meeting, you should submit a proxy. Shares of Susser common stock will not be voted if the holder of such shares does not submit a proxy and then does not vote in person at the special meeting.
- Q: What do I do if I want to change my vote after I have delivered my proxy card?
- A: You may change your vote at any time prior to the vote at the special meeting. If you are the stockholder of record, you may change your vote by granting a new proxy bearing a later date (which automatically revokes the earlier proxy), by providing a written notice of revocation to the Corporate Secretary prior to your shares being voted, or by attending the special meeting and voting in person. Attendance at the special meeting will not cause your previously granted proxy to be revoked unless you specifically make that request. For shares you hold beneficially in street name, you may change your vote by submitting new voting instructions to your broker, trustee or nominee, or, if you have obtained a legal proxy from your broker or nominee giving you the right to vote your shares, by attending the special meeting and voting in person.
- Q: What should I do if I receive more than one set of voting materials for the special meeting?
- A: You may receive more than one set of voting materials for the special meeting and the materials may include multiple proxy cards or voting instruction cards. For example, you will receive a separate voting instruction card for each brokerage account in which you hold shares. If you are a holder of record registered in more than one name, you will receive more than one proxy card. Please complete, sign, date and return each proxy card and voting instruction card that you receive according to the instructions on it to ensure that all of your shares are voted.
- Q: Do I have appraisal rights?
- A: Yes. Susser stockholders may exercise appraisal rights in connection with the merger under Delaware law. For more information, please see the section titled Proposal 1: The Merger Appraisal Rights.
- Q: If I am a Susser stockholder, how do I make an election to receive the standard mix of consideration, a cash election or a unit election?
- A: As a holder of record of shares of Susser common stock entitled to vote, you will receive an election form, a copy of the proxy statement/prospectus and other appropriate and customary transmittal materials. The election form will allow you to specify the number of shares of Susser common stock with respect to which you elect to receive the standard mix of consideration, the number of shares with respect to which you make a cash election, and the number of shares with respect to which you make a unit election. You must complete and return the election form

on or before 5:00 p.m., New York time, on the 20th day following the date on which the election form is mailed (or such other later date as ETP and Susser agree). An election form will be deemed properly completed only if accompanied by one or more certificates (or book-entry notations) representing all the shares of Susser common stock covered by such election form, together with duly executed transmittal materials included in the election form. ETP will make election forms available as may reasonably be requested from time to time by all persons who become holders (or beneficial owners) of shares of Susser common stock between the mailing date for the election form and the close of business on the business day prior to the election deadline. For further information, please see the section titled Proposal 1: The Merger Susser Stockholders Making Elections beginning on page 81. If you need to obtain an election form, please contact Georgeson, Inc. at (866) 295-4321. If you make no election with respect to your shares of Susser common stock by the election deadline and have not properly demanded appraisal in accordance with the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware (which we refer to as the DGCL), then you will be deemed to have elected to receive the standard mix of consideration for your shares of Susser common stock.

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The election form and proxy card are separate documents and should each be completed in their entirety and sent to the appropriate addressee as directed in the instructions accompanying such materials. In lieu of completing a proxy card, you may also vote by telephone or on the internet. For further information, please see the section titled Special Meeting of Susser Stockholders How to Submit Your Proxy beginning on page 42.

Q: Can I revoke or change my election after I mail my election form?

A: Yes. You may revoke or change your election by sending written notice of such revocation or change to Computershare Investor Services, the exchange agent, which notice must be received by the exchange agent prior to the election deadline noted above. In the event an election is revoked, under the merger agreement the shares of Susser common stock represented by such election will be treated as shares in respect of which no election has been made and will be deemed to elect the standard mix of consideration, except to the extent a subsequent election is properly made by the Susser stockholder during the election period. For further information, please see the section titled Proposal 1: The Merger Susser Stockholders Making Elections beginning on page 81.

Q: What happens if I do not make an election or my election form is not received before the election deadline?

A: Shares of Susser common stock for which no effective election has been made by the election deadline and for which appraisal has not been demanded in accordance with the DGCL will receive the standard mix of consideration for such shares. Therefore, upon completion of the merger, each of such shares of Susser common stock will be converted into the right to receive \$40.125 in cash and 0.7253 of an ETP common unit. For further information, please see the section titled Proposal 1: The Merger Susser Stockholders Making Elections beginning on page 81.

Q: How do I exchange my Susser shares for merger consideration?

A: As soon as reasonably practicable (and in no event later than the fifth business day) following the effective time of the merger, the exchange agent appointed by ETP and Susser will mail to each holder of shares of Susser common stock (i) a letter of transmittal and (ii) instructions for use in effecting the surrender of the shares of Susser common stock (if such shares have not already been surrendered with an election form) in exchange for, as applicable, cash, ETP common units (which will be issued in book-entry form) and cash in lieu of any fractional common units. You should read these instructions carefully. Assuming that you complete and submit the election form and letter of transmittal in accordance with their respective instructions and surrender your shares of Susser common stock for cancellation, you will not need to take any further action in order to receive the merger consideration.

Q: How will I receive the merger consideration to which I am entitled?

A.

You will be paid the merger consideration to which you are entitled upon the surrender to the exchange agent of your shares of Susser common stock and a duly completed and validly executed letter of transmittal. More information on the documentation you are required to deliver to the exchange agent may be found under the section titled Proposal 1: The Merger Susser Stockholders Making Elections beginning on page 81. Any ETP common units that you receive in the merger will be issued in book-entry form and you will receive cash in lieu of any fractional ETP common units. No interest will be paid or will accrue on any cash amounts received as merger consideration or in lieu of any fractional common units.

Q: What happens if I sell my Susser shares after the record date but before the special meeting?

A: The record date of the special meeting is earlier than the date of the special meeting and the date that the merger is expected to be completed. If you transfer your shares of Susser common stock after the record date but before the date of the special meeting, you will retain your right to vote at the special meeting (provided that such shares remain outstanding on the date of the special meeting), but you will not have the

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right to receive the merger consideration to be received by Susser stockholders in the merger. In order to receive the merger consideration, you must hold your shares through the completion of the merger. Once you properly submit an election form and related documentation as required thereby, selecting the type of consideration you wish to receive in the merger, you may not be able to transfer your shares of Susser common stock unless you subsequently revoke your election in accordance with the instructions set by the exchange agent to have your shares returned to you prior to the election deadline.

Q: Is completion of the merger subject to any conditions?

A: Yes. In addition to the adoption of the merger agreement by Susser stockholders, completion of the merger requires the receipt of the necessary regulatory approvals and the satisfaction or, to the extent permitted by applicable law, waiver of the other conditions specified in the merger agreement.

Q: When do you expect to complete the merger?

A: ETP and Susser are working to complete the merger as promptly as practicable. ETP and Susser currently expect to complete the merger in the third quarter of 2014, subject to the receipt of Susser stockholder approval, regulatory approvals and other usual and customary closing conditions. However, no assurance can be given as to when, or whether, the merger will occur.

Q: What happens if the merger is not completed?

A: If the Susser stockholders do not adopt the merger agreement or if the merger is not completed for any other reason, Susser stockholders will not receive any payment for their shares of Susser common stock in connection with the merger. Instead, Susser would remain an independent public company and shares of Susser common stock would continue to be listed and traded on the NYSE. Under specified circumstances, Susser may be required to pay ETP a breakup fee of \$68 million or up to \$10 million in expenses as described in the section titled. The Merger Agreement Breakup Fee and ETP Expenses beginning on page 107.

Q: Whom can I contact with questions about the special meeting or the merger and related matters?

A: If you have any questions about the merger and the other matters contemplated by this document or how to submit your proxy or voting instruction card or if you need additional copies of this document or the enclosed proxy card or voting instruction card, you should contact Susser s proxy solicitor, Georgeson, Inc., 480 Washington Boulevard 26th Floor, Jersey City, NJ 07310. You may call toll free at (866) 295-4321. You may also contact Susser, Attention: Investor Relations, 4525 Ayers Street, Corpus Christi, TX 78415, telephone: (361) 884-2463.

SUMMARY

This summary highlights selected information from this document. You are urged to carefully read the entire document and the other documents referred to in this document because the information in this section does not provide all the information that might be important to you with respect to the merger agreement, the merger and the other matters being considered at the meeting. See Where You Can Find More Information. Each item in this summary refers to the page of this document on which that subject is discussed in more detail.

Information About the Companies (see pages 38 to 39)

Energy Transfer Partners, L.P. is a publicly traded partnership owning and operating one of the largest and most diversified portfolios of energy assets in the United States. ETP currently owns and operates approximately 35,000 miles of natural gas and natural gas liquids pipelines, treating and processing assets, and storage facilities, and currently engages in retail marketing of gasoline and middle distillates through its wholly owned operating subsidiaries Sunoco, Inc. (which we refer to as Sunoco) and Mid-Atlantic Convenience Stores, LLC. ETP also owns the general partner interests, 100% of the incentive distribution rights, and approximately 33.5 million common units in Sunoco Logistics Partners L.P. (which we refer to as Sunoco Logistics), which operates a geographically diverse portfolio of crude oil and refined products pipelines, terminalling and crude oil acquisition and marketing assets. ETP s general partner is owned by Energy Transfer Equity, L.P. (which we refer to as ETE).

Susser Holdings Corporation is a leading operator of convenience stores in Texas based on store count and one of the largest distributors of motor fuel by volume in Texas. Susser s operations include retail convenience stores and wholesale motor fuel distribution. Susser indirectly owns the general partner interests and 100% of the incentive distribution rights in Susser Petroleum Partners LP (which we refer to as Susser MLP).

Drive Acquisition Corporation (which we refer to as Merger Sub) is a Delaware corporation and subsidiary of ETP. Merger Sub was created for purposes of the merger and has not carried on any activities to date, other than activities incidental to its formation or undertaken in connection with the transactions contemplated by the merger agreement.

Heritage Holdings, Inc. (which we refer to as HHI) is a Delaware corporation and wholly owned subsidiary of ETP Holdco Corporation (which we refer to as Holdco). HHI directly owns 50% of the equity interests in Sunoco and indirectly owns 100% of the equity interests in Panhandle Eastern Pipe Line Company, LP (which we refer to as PEPL). At the effective time of the merger, HHI will directly own 50% of equity interests in Susser. Please see Summary Post-Closing Transactions and Structure for more information.

ETE is a publicly traded Delaware limited partnership. ETE indirectly owns 100% of the general partner interests and incentive distribution rights of ETP and directly and indirectly owns 9.5% and 100% of the outstanding ETP common units and ETP Class H units, respectively. ETE s principal sources of cash flow are derived from its direct and indirect investments in the limited partner and general partner interests in ETP and Regency Energy Partners LP, both of which are publicly traded limited partnerships engaged in diversified energy-related services.

Energy Transfer Partners GP, L.P. (which we refer to as ETP GP) is a Delaware limited partnership and is the general partner of ETP. The principal business of ETP GP is to serve as the general partner of ETP.

The Merger (see pages 43 to 85)

Susser and ETP have entered into a merger agreement, pursuant to which they agreed that Susser would become a subsidiary of ETP, and that Susser will cease to be a publicly held company.

The merger agreement is attached as Annex A to this document, and both ETP and Susser encourage you to read it carefully and in its entirety because it is the legal document that governs the merger.

Merger Consideration (see page 87)

In the merger, Susser stockholders will receive, for each share of Susser common stock they own as of immediately prior to the merger, a combination of \$40.125 in cash and 0.7253 of an ETP common unit (which we refer to as the standard mix of consideration). Instead of receiving this standard mix of consideration, Susser stockholders will have an opportunity to make a cash election to receive \$80.25 in cash, or a unit election to receive 1.4506 ETP common units, for each share of Susser common stock they own as of immediately prior to the merger. The cash and unit elections, however, will be subject to proration to ensure that the total amount of cash paid and the total number of ETP common units issued in the merger to Susser stockholders as a whole are equal to the total amount of cash and number of ETP common units that would have been paid and issued if all Susser stockholders received the standard mix of consideration. Therefore:

if providing \$80.25 in cash per share of Susser common stock to those who make the cash election would cause ETP to pay more cash than if all Susser stockholders received \$40.125 in cash per share, then the amount of cash per share of Susser common stock to be received by holders making a cash election will be reduced (pro rata across all outstanding shares of Susser common stock subject to a cash election), so that the aggregate cash paid to all Susser stockholders is \$40.125 per share, and the remainder of the consideration in respect of outstanding shares of Susser common stock subject to a cash election will be payable in ETP common units and cash in lieu of fractional units; and

if providing 1.4506 ETP common units per share of Susser common stock to those who make the unit election would cause ETP to issue more ETP common units than if all Susser stockholders received 0.7253 of an ETP common unit per share, then the amount of ETP common units per share of Susser common stock to be received by holders making a unit election will be reduced (pro rata across all outstanding Susser shares subject to a unit election), so that the aggregate ETP common units paid to all Susser stockholders is 0.7253 of an ETP common unit per share, and the remainder of the consideration in respect of outstanding shares of Susser common stock subject to a unit election will be payable in cash.

Susser stockholders who elect to receive the standard mix of consideration for their shares of Susser common stock will not be subject to proration for such shares.

No fractional ETP common units will be issued. Former Susser stockholders to whom fractional units would have otherwise been issued will be entitled to receive, subject to applicable withholding, a cash payment equal to such stockholders proportionate interest in the net proceeds from the sale of the aggregated fractional units that would have been issued in the merger.

Treatment of Susser Equity Awards (see pages 70 to 72)

Stock Options. Each award of stock options outstanding immediately prior to the effective time of the merger (other than under the Susser employee stock purchase plan), whether or not vested, will become fully vested and be converted into the right to receive a cash payment equal to (a) the number of shares of Susser common stock subject to the stock option, multiplied by (b) the excess, if any, of the Closing Price over the exercise price per share of Susser common stock subject to such option, less any applicable withholding or other taxes.

Restricted Stock Units Outstanding as of April 27, 2014. Except for certain 2014 awards described below, each award of restricted stock units that was granted on or prior to April 27, 2014 and is outstanding immediately prior to the effective time of the merger will become fully vested (assuming satisfaction of any applicable performance criteria at 100% of target level) and be converted into the right to receive an amount in cash equal to the product of (a) the number of shares of Susser common stock subject to such award multiplied by (b) the Closing Price.

Notwithstanding the foregoing, 2014 LTIP Units shall be converted at the effective time of the merger into (i) an adjusted phantom common unit of ETP, with the same terms and conditions as were applicable to such 2014 LTIP Unit, covering the number of ETP common units, rounded down to the nearest whole common unit, determined by multiplying the number of shares subject to the 2014 LTIP Unit award immediately prior to the effective time of the merger (assuming satisfaction of any applicable performance criteria at 100% of target level) by the Equity Award Exchange Ratio and (ii) cash in lieu of any fractional phantom unit award in ETP, subject to applicable tax withholdings. The adjusted ETP phantom units shall vest on January 2, 2015, subject to the grantee s continued employment through that date (with acceleration if the grantee s employment is terminated without cause or the grantee resigns for good reason).

Restricted Stock Outstanding as of April 27, 2014. Each award of restricted stock that was granted on or prior to April 27, 2014 and is outstanding immediately prior to the effective time of the merger will become fully vested (assuming satisfaction of any applicable performance criteria at 100% of target level) and be converted into the right to receive, at the election of the holder, and subject to the standard proration rules described above, either the standard mix of consideration, the cash election or the unit election, with cash in lieu of any fractional units of ETP, in each case less any applicable withholding taxes.

Restricted Stock Units Granted After April 27, 2014. Although Susser does not anticipate any such grants to Susser's executive officers, each award of restricted stock units granted after April 27, 2014 that is outstanding immediately prior to the effective time of the merger will be converted into a phantom unit award in ETP with the same terms and conditions as the initial grant, covering the number of ETP common units, rounded down to the nearest whole common unit, determined by multiplying the number of shares subject to such award immediately prior to the effective time of the merger (assuming satisfaction of any applicable performance criteria at 100% of target level) by the Equity Award Exchange Ratio and cash in lieu of any fractional phantom unit awards in ETP, subject to all applicable tax withholdings. The adjusted ETP phantom unit award shall vest solely on the basis of time and continued service by the grantee at a rate no greater than one-third of the ETP common units subject thereto on each anniversary of the date of grant of the related award of the restricted stock units, subject to the grantee s continued employment through each vesting date (with acceleration if the grantee s employment is terminated without cause or the grantee resigns for good reason).

Restricted Stock Granted After April 27, 2014. Although Susser does not anticipate any such grants to Susser's executive officers, each award of restricted stock granted after April 27, 2014 that is outstanding immediately prior to the effective time of the merger will be converted into a restricted unit award with the same terms and conditions as the initial grant covering the number of ETP common units, rounded down to the nearest whole unit, determined by multiplying the number of Susser's shares subject to such award (assuming satisfaction of any applicable performance criteria at 100% of target level) by the Equity Award Exchange Ratio and cash in lieu of any fractional restricted unit, subject to all applicable tax withholdings. The adjusted ETP restricted unit award shall vest solely on the basis of time and continued service by the grantee at a rate no greater than one-third of the ETP common units subject thereto on each anniversary of the date of grant of the related award of the restricted stock, subject to the grantee's continued employment through each vesting date (with acceleration if the grantee's employment is terminated without cause or the grantee resigns for good reason).

Employee Stock Purchase Plan. Immediately prior to the effective time of the merger, the offering period under the ESPP will terminate and participants in the ESPP will be entitled to receive an amount in cash equal to the product of (i) the Closing Price multiplied by (ii) the number of shares the participant would have been able to purchase with the balance of his or her payroll account under the ESPP (i.e., in general, at a price equal to 85% of the Closing Price) if the effective date of the merger had been the applicable purchase date under the ESPP, subject to all applicable tax withholdings.

Susser Petroleum Equity Awards. Pursuant to their terms, all outstanding awards under the Susser Petroleum Partners LP 2012 Long Term Incentive Plan that were granted on or prior to April 27, 2014 will become fully

vested upon the effective time of the merger. Awards granted under such plan after April 27, 2014, shall vest solely on the basis of time and continued service by the grantee at a rate no greater than one-third of the units subject thereto on each anniversary of the date of grant of the award, subject to the grantee s continued employment through each vesting date (with acceleration if the grantee s employment is terminated without cause or the grantee resigns for good reason).

Quantification of Equity-Related Payments. The following table sets forth the cash proceeds that each of Susser's directors and executive officers would be expected to receive at the closing of the merger in respect of their common stock, stock options, awards of restricted stock units and restricted stock as well as the value of equity awards under the Susser Petroleum Partners LP 2012 Long Term Incentive Plan based on his or her expected beneficial ownership as of August 15, 2014, including cash proceeds for awards that may vest prior to the consummation of the merger based upon the completion of continued service with Susser and/or the prior achievement of performance goals, in either case independent of the occurrence of the merger. All share numbers have been rounded to the nearest whole number.

		Shares not Vested					Estimated Value of Consideration(2)					
	Susser		Susser		Susser	Susser		Susser				
	Shares	Susser 1	Restricted		MLP	Shares	Susser	MLP				
	•	Restricted	Stock		Phantom	Beneficially	Unvested	Phantom				
	Owned(1)	Stock	Units	Options	Units(3)	Owned	Awards	Units(3)	Total			
Sam L.												
Susser	2,295,486(4)(5)	14,973	118,914		3,519	\$ 185,544,133	\$10,822,086	\$ 167,821	\$ 196,534,040			
E.V.												
Bonner, Jr.	201,042(4)	3,267	19,896		4,000	16,250,225	1,872,265	190,760	18,313,250			
Rocky B.												
Dewbre	137,986	3,680	19,896		4,000	11,153,408	1,905,648	190,760	13,249,816			
Mary E.												
Sullivan	103,719	3,267	19,896		4,000	8,383,607	1,872,265	190,760	10,446,632			
David P.												
Engel	86,393	1,238				6,983,146	100,068		7,083,214			
Bruce W.												
Krysiak	43,281	1,238				3,498,403	100,068		3,598,471			
Armand S.												
Shaprio	34,175	1,238				2,762,365	100,068		2,862,433			
Ronald G.												
Steinhart	29,081	1,238		4,720		2,350,617	426,503		2,777,120			
Sam J.												
Susser	43,001	1,238				3,475,771	100,068		3,575,839			
Andrew												
M.												
Alexander		3,514					284,037		284,037			
Total	2,974,164	34,891	178,602	4,720	15,519	\$ 240,401,675	\$17,583,076	\$740,101	\$ 258,724,852			

(1)

- Includes shares issued and outstanding as of June 27, 2014, vested options that have not been exercised and restricted shares, restricted stock units and stock options that are scheduled to vest by August 15, 2014.
- (2) Assumes share price based on July 3, 2014 closing price for Susser shares of \$80.83.
- (3) Includes Susser MLP phantom units which will vest on change of control, although no cash will be received by any executive officer or director for these units. Assumes unit price based on July 3, 2014 closing price for Susser MLP units of \$47.69.
- (4) Excludes 120,425 shares of Susser common stock held in a trust for the benefit of Sam L. Susser s children and future grandchildren. E.V. Bonner, Jr. acts as trustee of this trust, and disclaims beneficial ownership of such shares of Susser common stock.
- (5) Excludes 65,950 shares contributed to a non-profit foundation by Mr. Susser that is managed by Mr. Susser, Mr. Susser s wife and Sam J. Susser.

Risk Factors (see pages 31 to 36)

The merger is, and upon the completion of the merger, the combined company will be, subject to a number of risks, which are described in the section titled Risk Factors beginning on page 31. You should carefully read and consider these risks in deciding whether to vote for the adoption of the merger agreement. Some of the most important risks include:

The exchange ratios for the merger are fixed and the market price of ETP common units will fluctuate, and therefore Susser stockholders receiving ETP common units cannot be sure of the market value of ETP common units that they will receive in the merger. Accordingly, Susser stockholders receiving ETP common units in the merger may receive aggregate consideration that may be worth more or less than the \$80.25 per share available to those making a cash election. The value of ETP common units at and after the closing time of the merger may be higher or lower than the value of ETP common units when the exchange ratios were set.

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Because cash and unit elections are subject to proration so that the total amount of cash paid and the total number of ETP common units issued in the merger to Susser stockholders does not exceed the amount of cash and number of ETP common units that would have been paid and issued if all Susser stockholders received the standard mix of consideration, Susser stockholders may receive a form or combination of consideration different from what they elect.

In order to properly make an election with respect to the merger consideration you must tender your shares with the election form. Therefore, you will not be able to sell those shares unless you revoke your election prior to the election deadline.

If the merger agreement is terminated, under certain circumstances, Susser may be obligated to reimburse ETP for costs incurred related to the merger or pay a breakup fee to ETP. These costs could require Susser to seek loans or use Susser s available cash that would have otherwise been available for operations, dividends or other general corporate purposes.

Special Meeting of Susser Stockholders (see pages 40 to 43)

Where and when: The special meeting is scheduled to be held at the offices of Susser Holdings Corporation, 4525 Ayers Street, Corpus Christi, TX 78415 on August 28, 2014 at 10:00 a.m., local time.

Proposals being considered: Susser stockholders are being asked to consider and vote on the following proposals:

- (1) to adopt the merger agreement;
- (2) to approve, on an advisory (non-binding) basis, specified compensation that may be received by Susser s named executive officers in connection with the merger; and
- (3) any adjournment of the special meeting, if necessary, to solicit additional proxies in favor of the proposal to adopt the merger agreement.

Who may vote: You may vote at the special meeting if you owned shares of Susser common stock at the close of business on the record date, July 22, 2014. You may cast one vote for each Susser share that you owned on the record date.

How to vote: Please complete and submit the enclosed proxy card as soon as possible or transmit your voting instructions by using the telephone or internet procedures described on your proxy card.

Vote needed to adopt the merger agreement: The merger agreement proposal must be adopted by the affirmative vote of the holders of a majority of all outstanding shares of Susser common stock entitled to vote thereon. Failures to vote, abstentions and broker non-votes will have the same effect as a vote AGAINST the merger agreement proposal.

Vote needed to approve the advisory say-on-compensation proposal: Approval of the advisory say-on-compensation proposal requires the affirmative vote of holders of a majority of those shares of Susser common stock present in person or by proxy at the special meeting and entitled to vote thereon. The vote to approve specified compensation is

not a condition to completion of the merger. The vote of Susser stockholders on specified compensation that may be received by Susser s named executive officers in connection with the merger is advisory in nature and will not be binding on ETP or Susser. Accordingly, regardless of the outcome of the advisory vote, if the merger is approved and completed, specified compensation may be paid. Abstentions will have the same effect as a vote AGAINST the advisory say-on-compensation proposal, while failures to vote and broker non-votes will have no effect on the outcome of the advisory vote, assuming a quorum is present.

Vote needed to approve the adjournment proposal: Any adjournment of the special meeting, if necessary, to solicit additional proxies in favor of the proposal to adopt the merger agreement requires the affirmative vote of holders of a majority of those shares of Susser common stock represented at the special meeting in person or by proxy and entitled to vote thereon. Unless the Susser board of directors fixes a new record date for the adjourned special meeting or law otherwise requires, no notice of the adjourned special meeting will be required so long as (i) the time and place to which the special meeting is adjourned are announced at the original special meeting and (ii) at the adjourned special meeting only such business is transacted as might have been transacted at the original special meeting. Abstentions will have the same effect as a vote AGAINST a proposal to adjourn the special meeting, while failures to vote and broker non-votes will have no effect on the outcome of the vote.

Support Agreement (see page 64)

Simultaneously with the execution of the merger agreement, Sam L. Susser and a related family limited partnership holding shares of Susser common stock beneficially owned by him, which owned 2,353,895 shares of Susser common stock representing approximately 11% of the Susser common stock outstanding and entitled to vote as of April 25, 2014, entered into a support agreement dated as of April 27, 2014. For a description of the support agreement, please read Proposal 1: The Merger Support Agreement beginning on page 64.

Recommendation of Susser s Board of Directors and Reasons for the Merger (see pages 51 to 55)

The Susser board of directors has unanimously approved and determined the advisability of the merger agreement and has recommended that the Susser stockholders vote **FOR** the adoption of the merger agreement. In reaching its decision to adopt the merger agreement and recommend to the Susser stockholders that they vote to adopt the merger agreement, the Susser board of directors consulted with Susser management and its financial and legal advisors and considered a variety of factors. Some of those factors include:

The aggregate value and composition of the merger consideration to be received by Susser stockholders in the merger.

The ability of Susser stockholders to choose the unit election or cash election for their shares of Susser common stock, and that following the merger Susser stockholders will have the opportunity to participate in the equity value of the combined company.

The premium that the merger consideration represents compared to Susser s historical trading prices.

The likelihood of completing the merger, including the lack of a financing condition and the obligation of ETP to use reasonable best efforts to obtain approvals of applicable antitrust and competition authorities, including the requirement of ETP to dispose of any assets and agree to any limitations on the combined company s freedom of action to obtain the regulatory approvals necessary to complete the merger.

The potential breakup fee of \$68 million or the expense reimbursement up to \$10 million, in each case, payable by Susser to ETP under the circumstances specified in the merger agreement.

The interests of the Susser board of directors as discussed under Proposal 1: The Merger Interests of Susser's Directors and Executive Officers in the Merger.

Opinion of Susser s **Financial Advisor** (see pages 55 to 63 and Annex C)

In connection with the merger, Merrill Lynch, Pierce, Fenner & Smith Incorporated (which we refer to as BofA Merrill Lynch), Susser's financial advisor, delivered to Susser's board of directors a written opinion, dated April 27, 2014, as to the fairness, from a financial point of view and as of the date of the opinion, of the merger consideration to be received by holders of Susser common stock (other than cancelled shares, shares held by direct or indirect wholly owned subsidiaries of Susser, ETP or Merger Sub and any dissenting shares) in the merger. The full text of that written opinion, which describes, among other things, the assumptions made,

procedures followed, factors considered and limitations on the review undertaken, is included as Annex C to this proxy statement/prospectus and is incorporated by reference herein in its entirety. BofA Merrill Lynch delivered its opinion to Susser s board of directors for the benefit and use of Susser s board of directors (in its capacity as such) in connection with and for purposes of its evaluation of the merger consideration from a financial point of view. BofA Merrill Lynch s opinion did not address any other aspect of the merger and no opinion or view was expressed as to the relative merits of the merger in comparison to other strategies or transactions that might be available to Susser or in which Susser might engage or as to the underlying business decision of Susser to proceed with or effect the merger. BofA Merrill Lynch also expressed no opinion or recommendation as to how any stockholder should vote or act in connection with the merger or any related matter, including, without limitation, whether such stockholder should elect to receive the cash election consideration, the unit election consideration or the standard mix of consideration in the merger.

For a more complete description, please see the section of this proxy statement entitled The Merger Opinion of Susser's Financial Advisor. Please also see Annex C to this proxy statement/prospectus.

Interests of Susser s Directors and Executive Officers in the Merger (see pages 69 to 75)

Susser s directors and executive officers have interests in the merger that are different from, or in addition to, their interests as Susser stockholders. The members of the Susser board of directors were aware of and considered these interests, among other matters, in evaluating and negotiating the merger agreement and the merger, and in recommending to Susser stockholders that they vote to adopt the merger agreement and the transactions contemplated thereby.

These interests include:

The merger agreement provides for the vesting and cash-out of all Susser equity awards granted on or before April 27, 2014, except that certain awards of restricted stock units that correspond to shares of Susser common stock that were granted to certain officers and employees of Susser under Susser s 2013 Equity Incentive Plan in 2014 prior to the date of the merger agreement will be converted into phantom unit awards in ETP subject to certain enhanced vesting provisions as described in Proposal 1: The Merger Interests of Susser s Directors and Executive Officers in the Merger Susser Equity-Based Awards. Susser estimates that the aggregate amount that would be received in connection with such accelerated vesting if the merger is completed and certain qualifying terminations of service occurred is approximately (i) \$1,110,809 in the aggregate for Susser s directors and (ii) \$16,472,265 in the aggregate for Susser s executive officers;

Pursuant to their terms, all outstanding awards granted on or before April 27, 2014 under the Susser Petroleum Partners LP 2012 Long Term Incentive Plan will become fully vested upon the effective time of the merger. Susser estimates that the aggregate amount that would be received in connection with such accelerated vesting if the merger is completed is approximately \$740,101 in the aggregate for Susser s executive officers. Susser s directors do not hold any such awards;

The merger agreement provides for the payment of pro-rata bonuses to all individuals employed by Susser or its subsidiaries immediately prior to the effective time of the merger who participate in Susser s employee bonus plan and who remain employed for 90 days following the effective time of the

merger and in certain other circumstances. Susser estimates that the aggregate amount that would be received in connection with such pro-rated bonuses if the merger is completed and certain qualifying terminations of service occurred is approximately \$671,257 in the aggregate for Susser s executive officers;

Susser s executive officers are parties to employment agreements that provide for severance and additional benefits with an estimated value of \$3,516,935 in the aggregate if their employment terminates in connection with or following the merger; and

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Susser s executive officers will be entitled to gross up payments estimated at \$4,572,184 in the aggregate in respect of any golden parachute excise taxes under Section 4999 of the Internal Revenue Code that arise as a result of the merger.

Susser s directors and executive officers are also entitled to continued indemnification and insurance coverage under the merger agreement. For additional information about these interests (including the payment estimates described above, the circumstances under which they become payable and the assumptions used to calculate such amounts), see Proposal 1: The Merger Interests of Susser s Directors and Executive Officers in the Merger.

Regulatory Approvals Required for the Merger (see page 81)

Governmental and regulatory approvals are required to complete the transactions contemplated by the merger agreement. These approvals include the expiration or termination of the applicable waiting period under the Hart-Scott-Rodino Antitrust Improvements Act of 1976, as amended (which we refer to as the HSR Act). ETE and Susser each filed the required notification and report forms under the HSR Act on May 14, 2014 and on May 27, 2014 were informed by the Federal Trade Commission (which we refer to as the FTC) that the waiting period was terminated. At any time before or after the completion of the merger, the Antitrust Division of the Department of Justice (which we refer to as the Antitrust Division), the FTC or others could take action under the antitrust laws as deemed necessary or desirable in the public interest, including without limitation seeking to enjoin the completion of the merger or to permit completion only subject to regulatory concessions or conditions.

Appraisal Rights (see pages 77 to 80)

Under Section 262 of the DGCL, Susser stockholders will have the right to obtain an appraisal of the value of their shares of Susser common stock in connection with the merger. To perfect appraisal rights, a Susser stockholder must not vote for the adoption of the merger agreement, must continue to hold their shares of common stock through the effective date and must strictly comply with all of the procedures required under Delaware law, including submitting a written demand for appraisal to Susser prior to the special meeting. Failure to strictly comply with Section 262 of the DGCL by a Susser stockholder may result in termination or waiver of that stockholder is appraisal rights. Because of the complexity of Delaware law relating to appraisal rights, if any Susser stockholder is considering exercising his, her or its appraisal rights, ETP and Susser encourage such Susser stockholder to seek the advice of his, her or its own legal counsel. A summary of the requirements under Delaware law to exercise appraisal rights is included in this document in the section titled Proposal 1: The Merger Appraisal Rights beginning on page 77, and the text of Section 262 of the DGCL as in effect with respect to this transaction is included as Annex D to this document.

NYSE Listing of ETP Common Units (see page 84)

ETP common units are currently listed on the NYSE under the ticker symbol ETP. It is a condition to closing that the common units to be issued in the merger to Susser stockholders be approved for listing on the NYSE, subject to official notice of issuance.

Delisting and Deregistration of Susser Common Stock (see page 84)

Susser common stock is currently listed on the NYSE under the ticker symbol SUSS. If the merger is completed, Susser common stock will cease to be listed on the NYSE and will be deregistered under the Exchange Act.

Conditions to Completion of the Merger (see pages 87 to 89)

The obligations of ETP, on one hand, and Susser, on the other hand, to complete the merger are subject to the fulfillment (or waiver, to the extent permissible under applicable law) of the following conditions:

Susser Stockholder Adoption. Adoption of the merger agreement by the affirmative vote of the holders of a majority of all outstanding shares of Susser common stock entitled to vote thereon.

HSR Approval. Expiration or termination of the waiting period under the HSR Act.

No Injunction. No injunction prohibiting the merger.

Registration Statement. The registration statement (of which this document forms a part) must be effective, and no proceeding for the purpose of suspending the effectiveness of the registration statement has been initiated or threatened by the SEC.

NYSE Listing. Approval for listing on the NYSE, subject to official notice of issuance, of the ETP common units to be issued in the merger.

Accuracy of Representations. Accuracy of the other party s representations, except with certain exceptions, where the failure to be accurate would not have a material adverse effect on the other party.

Compliance with Covenants. Material compliance with the other party s covenants.

Tax Opinions. Receipt by each party of one or more legal opinions from its counsel covering certain U.S. federal income tax matters.

ETP Partnership Agreement Amendment. Execution of the ETP partnership agreement amendment, pursuant to which, among other things, the amount of quarterly distributions that ETE, as the holder of incentive distribution rights, is entitled to receive from ETP would be reduced by an aggregate of \$350 million over 40 consecutive quarters following the closing of the merger or such earlier time as ETP transfers the general partner interest and incentive distribution rights in Susser MLP to ETE in exchange for ETP common units held by ETE.

Closing Certificates. Delivery by each party of a certificate, dated the closing date and signed by the chief executive officer or another senior officer of such party (in the case of ETP, the chief executive officer or another senior officer of ETP GP), certifying to the effect that certain conditions set forth in the merger agreement have

been satisfied.

Neither ETP nor Susser can give any assurance that all of the conditions to the merger will either be satisfied or waived or that the merger will occur.

ETP Partnership Agreement Amendment (see page 131)

In conjunction with the merger, ETP will enter into an amendment to its partnership agreement to reduce the amount of quarterly distributions that ETE, as the holder of incentive distribution rights, is entitled to receive from ETP by an aggregate of \$350 million over 40 consecutive quarters following the closing of the merger or such earlier time as ETP transfers the general partner interest and incentive distribution rights in Susser MLP to ETE in exchange for ETP common units held by ETE.

Post-Closing Transactions and Structure (see pages 66 to 69)

Immediately prior to the closing of the merger, (1) ETP will make a loan (which we refer to as the HHI Loan) to HHI, in an amount equal to the amount of cash sufficient to effect the delivery of the consideration for the merger to the holders of Susser common stock (in accordance with the applicable terms and provisions of the merger agreement) plus amounts necessary, as agreed by ETP and HHI, to pay certain transaction expenses and

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refinance a portion of the outstanding indebtedness of Susser at closing, (2) HHI will contribute to Merger Sub a portion of the cash received pursuant to the HHI Loan (in accordance with the applicable terms and provisions of the merger agreement) in exchange for 50% of the issued and outstanding capital stock of Merger Sub and (3) ETP will transfer to Merger Sub (or hold for delivery to the exchange agent on Merger Sub s behalf at the effective time of the merger) the number of ETP common units issuable at closing, in continuation of its ownership of 50% of the issued and outstanding capital stock of Merger Sub.

At the effective time of the merger, subject to the conditions set forth in the merger agreement and in accordance with the applicable provisions of the DGCL, Merger Sub will merge with and into Susser, whereupon the separate corporate existence of Merger Sub will cease, and Susser will continue its corporate existence under Delaware law as the surviving corporation owned 50% by ETP and 50% by HHI (a wholly owned subsidiary of ETP).

Following the effective time of the merger, ETP will (1) contribute its 50% equity interest in Susser to Holdco and (2) cause Susser to transfer to ETP (a) 100% of the incentive distribution rights of Susser MLP and (b) 100% of the limited liability company interests in Susser Petroleum Partners GP LLC, a Delaware limited liability company and the general partner of Susser MLP.

Following the merger and related transactions, each of ETE, ETP and Susser MLP will continue to be publicly traded partnerships, with ETP controlling Susser MLP through its ownership of the general partner of Susser MLP.

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The diagrams below illustrate the organizational structure of ETP, ETE, Susser and Susser MLP prior to and after the closing of the merger. For simplicity, certain immaterial entities and ownership interests have not been depicted.

Pre-Closing Structure

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Post-Closing Structure

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Non-Solicitation by Susser (see pages 97 to 101)

The merger agreement contains a detailed provision prohibiting Susser from soliciting, engaging in discussions, providing non-public information, recommending or agreeing to an alternative takeover proposal, unless the Susser board of directors determines that the alternative proposal is, or could reasonably be expected to lead to, a Superior Offer (as defined in the merger agreement) and such alternative proposal was not made or received in violation of the non-solicitation prohibitions.

If Susser determines that a proposal is a Superior Offer and decides to change its recommendation to stockholders in favor of the merger or terminate the merger agreement in order to accept a Superior Offer, Susser must first negotiate with ETP for 72 hours (to the extent ETP desires to negotiate) to modify the current transaction.

Termination of the Merger Agreement (see pages 106 to 107)

The merger agreement can be terminated in the following circumstances:

Mutual Agreement. Mutual agreement of ETP and Susser.

End Date. Termination by either party, if the merger has not closed by November 30, 2014, which may be extended to January 31, 2015 in certain circumstances.

Final Injunction. Termination by either party, if a permanent injunction has been issued prohibiting the merger.

Stockholder No Vote. Termination by either party, if Susser stockholders fail to adopt the merger agreement at the Susser special meeting.

Superior Offer. Termination by Susser, prior to Susser stockholder approval of the merger, in order to accept a Superior Offer, but Susser must have first negotiated with ETP for 72 hours (to the extent ETP desires to negotiate) to modify the current transaction and, prior to terminating the merger agreement, must have paid to ETP the \$68 million breakup fee described below.

Change in Recommendation. Termination by ETP, if the Susser board of directors changes its recommendation to the Susser stockholders to vote for the merger.

Breach of Representations or Covenants. Termination by either party, if the other party has breached its representations or covenants in a way that causes a closing condition to fail, including a willful and material breach by Susser of its obligations (i) not to solicit acquisition proposals or (ii) to obtain stockholder approval by cooperating to file this proxy statement/prospectus on Form S-4 and by taking necessary actions to hold the special meeting and solicit proxies.

Breakup Fee and ETP Expenses (see pages 107 to 108)

Breakup Fee. Susser must pay ETP a breakup fee of \$68 million (which we refer to as the breakup fee) in the following circumstances:

Termination to Accept Superior Offer. Susser terminates the merger agreement in order to accept a Superior Offer.

Willful or Intentional Breach of Non-Solicitation Obligations or Obligations to Obtain Stockholder Approval. ETP terminates the merger agreement prior to the approval of the merger agreement by the Susser stockholders because Susser has willfully or intentionally breached either (x) its non-solicitation

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obligations or (y) its obligations to obtain stockholder approval by cooperating to file the registration statement on Form S-4 of which this proxy statement/prospectus is a part and by taking necessary actions to hold the special meeting and solicit proxies, in each case other than where (1) the breach is the result of an isolated action by a representative of Susser (other than a director or senior officer of Susser), (2) such breach was not caused by, or within the actual knowledge of, Susser, (3) Susser takes reasonably appropriate actions to remedy such breach reasonably promptly upon discovery thereof, and (4) ETP is not significantly harmed as a result of such breach.

Change in Recommendation. ETP terminates the merger agreement because the Susser board of directors changes its recommendation of the merger.

Stockholder No Vote Following an Alternative Acquisition Proposal with Subsequent Deal. Either party terminates the merger agreement because the Susser stockholders do not adopt the merger agreement at the Susser special meeting, and prior to the special meeting (1) an alternative proposal is publicly made to Susser prior to the Susser special meeting and not withdrawn at least 10 business days prior to such meeting and (2) Susser enters into an agreement providing for or consummates an alternative takeover transaction involving 75% of the assets or equity of Susser within 12 months after the termination of the merger agreement.

Termination due to Terminable Breach by Susser. ETP terminates the merger agreement because Susser has breached or failed to perform any of its representations, warranties or covenants under the merger agreement and such breach or failure to perform (i) if it occurred or was continuing to occur on the closing date, would result in a failure of a closing condition and (ii) by its nature cannot be cured by November 30, 2014, or if not capable of being cured by November 30, 2014, Susser does not cure such breach or failure within 30 days of receiving notice of such breach or failure (any such breach, a terminable breach <u>)</u>, and:

an alternative proposal is made to Susser on or prior to the date on which ETP terminates the merger agreement (whether or not publicly announced or disclosed); and

Susser enters into an agreement providing for or consummates an alternative takeover transaction involving 75% of the assets or equity of Susser within 12 months after the termination of the merger agreement.

ETP Expense Reimbursement. Susser will reimburse ETP s documented out-of-pocket expenses to any unaffiliated third-party up to \$10 million in the following circumstances:

Termination due to Terminable Breach by Susser. ETP terminates the merger agreement because Susser has breached or failed to perform any of its representations, warranties or covenants under the merger agreement such that there is a terminable breach and an alternative proposal is made to Susser on or prior to the date on which ETP terminates the merger agreement (whether or not publicly announced or disclosed).

If Susser has reimbursed ETP s expenses, and ETP later would become entitled to a breakup fee pursuant to a provision above, the expense reimbursement will be credited against the breakup fee.

Accounting Treatment (see page 81)

In accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States (which we refer to as GAAP), ETP will account for the merger using the acquisition method of accounting for business combinations.

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Material U.S. Federal Income Tax Considerations (see pages 109 to 128)

A Susser stockholder that exchanges shares of Susser common stock pursuant to the merger generally will recognize gain or loss in an amount equal to the difference, if any, between the amount of cash received and the stockholder s adjusted basis in the Susser common stock treated as sold in the merger. In general, no gain or loss will be recognized by a Susser stockholder upon the exchange of Susser common stock for ETP common units pursuant to the merger.

The U.S. federal income tax consequences of owning and disposing of ETP common units received in the merger are complex.

All Susser stockholders should consult their own tax advisors regarding the U.S. federal income tax consequences to them of exchanging shares of Susser common stock pursuant to the merger, and of owning and disposing of ETP common units in light of their particular circumstances. For a more detailed discussion of the material U.S. federal income tax consequences to Susser stockholders of exchanging shares of Susser common stock pursuant to the merger and of owning and disposing of ETP common units received in the merger, please see the section titled Material U.S. Federal Income Tax Considerations.

Comparison of Rights of Susser Stockholders and ETP Unitholders (see pages 137 to 148)

The rights of Susser stockholders are currently governed by Susser's amended and restated certificate of incorporation, amended and restated bylaws and the DGCL. Susser stockholders who receive ETP common units in the merger will become ETP unitholders upon completion of the merger, and their rights as such will be governed by ETP's certificate of limited partnership, partnership agreement, as amended, and the Delaware Revised Uniform Limited Partnership Act. As a result, these Susser stockholders will have different rights once they become unitholders of ETP due to the differences in the governing documents of and laws applicable to Susser and ETP. The key differences are described in the section titled Comparison of Rights of Susser Stockholders and ETP Unitholders, and among the most important differences are:

Under the Susser certificate of incorporation and bylaws, Susser stockholders have the right to vote for the election of directors who manage the affairs of the corporation. ETP unitholders are not entitled to elect the directors of ETP s general partner or directly or indirectly participate in the management or operation of ETP.

Approval of the Susser stockholders is required to authorize the issuance of Susser common stock in excess of the authorized number of shares set forth in the Susser certificate of incorporation. In addition, under the rules of the NYSE, subject to certain exceptions, Susser stockholders must approve the issuance of Susser common stock equal to or in excess of 20% of the voting power outstanding before the issuance. In contrast, ETP s partnership agreement authorizes ETP to issue an unlimited number of additional limited partner interests and other equity securities that are senior to, equal in rank with or junior to the common units on terms and conditions established by ETP s general partner in its sole discretion without the approval of ETP s unitholders. In addition, as a limited partnership, ETP is exempt from the rule of the NYSE that would require equityholder approval for the issuance of equity equal to or in excess of 20% of the number of outstanding equity of a company.

Susser stockholders are entitled to receive dividends as and when declared by the Susser board of directors out of funds legally available for such payment, subject to any preferential dividend rights of holders of outstanding

shares of preferred stock. ETP s partnership agreement requires that ETP distribute, within 45 days after the end of each quarter, all of its available cash to its partners as of the applicable record date.

Shares of Susser s common stock are not redeemable. If at any time ETP s general partner and its affiliates hold more than 80% of the outstanding limited partner interests of any class, the general partner has the right to acquire all of the remaining interests of the class held by unaffiliated persons.

Expected Timing of the Merger (see page 77)

ETP and Susser currently expect to complete the merger in the third quarter of 2014, subject to the receipt of required Susser stockholder and regulatory approvals and the satisfaction or waiver of the other conditions to completion of the merger. Because many of the conditions to completion of the merger are beyond the control of ETP and Susser, exact timing for completion of the merger cannot be predicted with any amount of certainty.

Litigation Related to the Merger (see page 85)

Following the April 28, 2014 announcement that ETP and Susser had entered into a definitive merger agreement, purported stockholders of Susser filed lawsuits in Delaware asserting claims challenging the merger. Two purported class action lawsuits were filed in the Delaware Court of Chancery and were consolidated under the caption In re Susser Holdings Corp. Stockholder Litigation, C.A. No. 9613-VCG (which we refer to as the Consolidated Action). Plaintiffs in the Consolidated Action name Susser, members of the board of directors of Susser, ETP, ETP GP, Merger Sub, HHI, and ETE as defendants. On June 17, 2014, plaintiffs filed an amended consolidated class action complaint.

Plaintiffs generally allege that the Susser director defendants breached their fiduciary duties of loyalty, due care and good faith owed to Susser's stockholders by allegedly approving the merger agreement at an unfair price and through an unfair process, failing to conduct a reasonably informed evaluation of whether the merger was in the best interests of Susser stockholders, failing to fully disclose all material information to stockholders, acting in bad faith and for improper motives to secure material benefits not shared by other Susser stockholders, discouraging other strategic alternatives, taking steps to avoid competitive bidding, and agreeing to allegedly unreasonable deal protection devices. Plaintiffs also allege that ETP and certain of its affiliates aided and abetted the alleged breaches of fiduciary duties by Susser's directors.

Plaintiffs generally seek, among other relief, to enjoin the merger; rescission in the event the merger is consummated; an order directing defendants to account to plaintiffs and other members of the putative class for all damages caused by their breaches; and an award of costs and disbursements, including reasonable attorneys and experts fees.

We cannot predict the outcome of these or any other lawsuits that might be filed, nor can we predict the amount of time and expense that will be required to resolve these lawsuits. We intend to defend vigorously against these and any other actions.

Advisory Vote on Specified Compensation (see page 149)

Susser is requesting the Susser stockholders approval, on an advisory (non-binding) basis, of specified compensation that may be payable to Susser s named executive officers in connection with the merger.

Energy Transfer Partners Selected Historical Consolidated Financial Data

The following table shows ETP s selected audited historical consolidated financial data as of and for each of the years ended December 31, 2013, 2012, 2011, 2010 and 2009 and unaudited consolidated financial data for each of the three months ended March 31, 2014 and 2013 and are derived from ETP s consolidated financial statements.

ETP is not required to furnish pro forma financial information with respect to the merger in this proxy statement/prospectus because Susser would not be a significant subsidiary under any of the financial conditions specified in Rule 1-02(w) of SEC Regulation S-X, substituting 20% for 10% in each of those conditions in accordance with Rule 11.01(b)(1) of SEC Regulation S-X.

You should read the historical financial data in connection with Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations and the consolidated financial statements and the related notes thereto set forth in ETP's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2013 and ETP's Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for the quarter ended March 31, 2014, as well as in Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations and the consolidated financial statements and the related notes thereto set forth in Susser's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 29, 2013 and Susser's Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for the quarter ended March 30, 2014, which are incorporated by reference into this document. See Where You Can Find More Information.

ENERGY TRANSFER PARTNERS, L.P. AND SUBSIDIARIES

CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF OPERATIONS DATA AND BALANCE SHEET DATA

(Dollars in millions, except per unit data)

	Historical								
	En	Months ded							
	March 31, 2014	March 31, 2013	2013	2012	2011	2010	2009		
Statement of Operations Data:									
Total revenues	\$12,232	\$ 10,854	\$46,339	\$15,702	\$ 6,799	\$ 5,843	\$ 5,378		
Operating income	688	534	1,541	1,394	1,247	1,065	1,134		
Income from continuing									
operations	467	402	735	1,757	700	623	797		
Basic net income (loss) per									
limited partner unit	0.76	0.60	(0.18)	4.43	1.10	1.20	2.53		
Diluted net income (loss) per									
limited partner unit	0.76	0.60	(0.18)	4.42	1.10	1.19	2.53		
Cash distributions per unit	0.935	0.89375	3.6125	3.58	3.58	3.58	3.58		
Balance Sheet Data (at period									
end):									
Total assets	43,589	44,368	43,702	43,230	15,519	12,150	11,735		
Long-term debt, less current									
maturities	16,191	16,135	16,451	15,442	7,388	6,405	6,177		
Total equity	15,216	17,469	16,288	17,332	6,350	4,743	4,600		
Other Financial Data:									
Capital expenditures:									
Maintenance (accrual basis)	39	51	343	313	134	99	103		
Growth (accrual basis)	718	435	2,112	2,736	1,350	1,276	524		
Cash (received in) paid for									
acquisitions			1,737	1,364	1,972	178	(30)		

Susser Selected Historical Consolidated Financial Data

The following table shows Susser s selected audited historical consolidated financial data as of and for each of the years ended December 29, 2013, December 30, 2012, January 1, 2012, January 2, 2011 and January 3, 2010 and unaudited historical consolidated financial data as of and for each of the three months ended March 30, 2014 and March 31, 2013 and are derived from Susser s consolidated financial statements. You should read the following data in connection with Management s Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations and the consolidated financial statements and the related notes thereto set forth in Susser s Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 29, 2013 and Susser s Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for the quarter ended March 30, 2014, which are incorporated by reference into this document. See Where You Can Find More Information. The following information is only a summary and is not necessarily indicative of the results of future operations of Susser.

SUSSER HOLDINGS CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES

CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF OPERATIONS DATA AND BALANCE SHEET DATA

(Dollars in millions, except per share data)

	Historical										
	Three Months Ended					Year Ended					
	March 30, 2014		arch 31, <mark>]</mark> 2013	December 2013	29)ec	ember 30, 2012		nuary 1, 2012		nuary 2, 2011	nuary 3, 2010
Statement of Operations											
Data:											
Total revenues	\$ 1,658	\$	1,498	\$6,214	\$	5,873	\$	5,249	\$	3,976	\$ 3,350
Income from Operations	8		16	98		126		115		70	42
Basic net income (loss) per											
share	(0.09)		(0.01)	0.68		2.25		2.74		0.05	0.12
Diluted net income (loss)											
per share	(0.09)		(0.01)	0.66		2.19		2.68		0.05	0.12
Balance Sheet Data (at											
period end):											
Total assets	1,542		1,586	1,375		1,570		1,096		914	873
Long-term debt	507		604	376		607		451		431	421
Total equity	421		393	415		389		334		214	210
Other Financial Data:											
Capital expenditures,											
net(1)	139		38	212		178		122		49	48

⁽¹⁾ Gross capital expenditures include acquisitions and purchase of intangible assets, including accrued capital expenditures. Net capital spending is gross capital spending less proceeds from third-party sale leaseback transactions and asset dispositions.

Unaudited Comparative Per Unit Information of ETP and Per Share Information of Susser

The following table sets forth for the periods presented (i) the historical earnings from continuing operations and book value per ETP common unit and historical ETP cash distributions, (ii) the historical earnings from continuing operations and book value per share of Susser common stock and historical Susser dividends, (iii) the unaudited pro forma earnings and book value per unit/share information after giving effect to the merger and (iv) the equivalent pro forma per unit/share attributable to 0.7253 of an ETP common unit that will be received for each share of Susser common stock in the merger.

You should read this information in conjunction with (i) the selected historical consolidated financial data included elsewhere in this document and (ii) the historical consolidated financial statements of ETP and Susser and related notes thereto that are incorporated by reference into this document. The unaudited pro forma per unit/share information does not purport to represent what the actual results of operations of ETP and Susser would have been had the merger been completed in another period or to project ETP s and Susser s results of operations that may be achieved if the merger is completed.

	Marci (E7 Ma	fonths Ended h 31, 2014 (P) and arch 30, (Susser)	Decem (ETP) and	or Ended ber 31, 2013 I December 29, 3 (Susser)
Historical ETP				
Earnings from Continuing Operations Per Unit:				
Basic	\$	0.69	\$	(0.23)
Diluted		0.69		(0.23)
Cash distributions(1)		0.935		3.6125
Book value per unit Diluted(2)		27.52		29.36
Historical Susser				
Earnings from Continuing Operations Per				
Share:				
Basic	\$	(0.09)	\$	0.68
Diluted		(0.09)		0.66
Cash dividends		0		0
Book value per share Diluted		18.86		19.08
Pro Forma Combined				
Earnings Per Unit/Share:				
Basic	\$	0.62	\$	(0.31)
Diluted		0.62		(0.31)
Book value per unit/share Diluted		28.75		30.45
Equivalent Pro Forma Per Unit/Share(3)				
Earnings Per Unit/Share:				
Basic	\$	0.45	\$	(0.23)
Diluted		0.45		(0.23)
Book value per unit/share Diluted		20.85		22.08

- (1) With respect to ETP, represents cash distributions per common unit declared and paid with respect to the period to which they relate.
- (2) Represents a period end amount.
- (3) Susser s equivalent pro forma earnings and book value amounts have been calculated by multiplying ETP s pro forma per unit amounts by the exchange ratio of 0.7253 of an ETP common unit.

Comparative ETP and Susser Per Unit/Share Market Price Data

ETP common units are currently listed on the NYSE under the ticker symbol ETP. Susser common stock is currently listed on the NYSE under the ticker symbol SUSS.

The following table presents closing prices for ETP common units and shares of Susser common stock on (i) April 25, 2014, the last trading day before the public announcement of the execution of the merger agreement and (ii) July 25, 2014, the last practicable trading day before the date of this document. This table also presents the equivalent market value per share of Susser common stock on April 25, 2014 and July 25, 2014. The equivalent market value per share of Susser common stock has been determined by multiplying the closing prices of ETP common units on those dates by, (i) in the case of the standard mix of consideration, the exchange ratio of 0.7253 of an ETP common unit and adding \$40.125, which represents the cash portion of the standard mix of

consideration, and (ii) in the case of a unit election, 1.4506 ETP common units, which is the number of ETP common units into which each Susser share subject to the unit election would be converted assuming no proration.

Although the exchange ratios are fixed, the market prices of ETP common units and Susser common stock will fluctuate before the merger is completed and the market value of the merger consideration ultimately received by Susser stockholders who receive ETP common units as all or a portion of their merger consideration will depend on the closing price of ETP common units on the day the merger is consummated. Thus, Susser stockholders who receive all or a portion of their merger consideration in ETP common units will not know the exact value of the merger consideration they will receive until the closing of the merger.

					Equivalent Susser					
					Va	lue per	Equivalent Susser			
					S	Share	Va	lue per		
					(As	suming	S	hare		
			Susser	· Common	,	Unit	(Assumi	ng Standard		
	ETP Cor	mmon Units	5	Stock	Ele	ection)	Mix of C	onsideration)		
April 25, 2014	\$	55.80	\$	57.03	\$	80.94	\$	80.60		
July 25, 2014	\$	59.04	\$	81.58	\$	85.64	\$	82.95		

The tables below set forth, for the calendar quarters indicated, the high and low intraday sale prices per ETP common unit and per share of Susser common stock on the NYSE. The tables also show the amount of cash distributions and cash dividends declared per ETP common unit and per share of Susser common stock for the calendar quarters indicated. The information in the table below is historical only. ETP and Susser urge Susser stockholders to obtain current market quotations for ETP common units and Susser common stock.

	ETP Common Units			Sussei	Susser Common Stock			
			Cash			Cash		
			Distributions			Dividends		
(in dollars)	High	Low	Declared	High	Low	Declared		
Fiscal Year Ending December 31, 2014								
and December 28, 2014								
Third Quarter (though July 25)	\$ 59.29	\$55.84	\$ ((1) \$81.67	\$79.08	\$		
Second Quarter	57.98	53.62	0.955	80.83	55.95			
First Quarter	57.00	52.49	0.935	68.71	57.26			
Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 2013								
and December 29, 2013								
Fourth Quarter	57.31	50.60	0.92	66.69	49.76			
Third Quarter	53.47	49.40	0.905	55.38	44.32			
Second Quarter	53.00	45.16	0.89375	56.95	45.77			
First Quarter	50.71	43.67	0.89375	51.41	34.03			
Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 2012								
and December 30, 2012								
Fourth Quarter	45.00	40.19	0.89375	37.96	33.04			
Third Quarter	46.00	41.35	0.89375	39.77	33.73			
Second Quarter	51.00	41.15	0.89375	37.48	25.13			

First Quarter 50.12 45.75 0.89375 27.99 21.50

(1) Distributions with respect to the third quarter of 2014 have not yet been declared or paid.

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RISK FACTORS

In addition to the other information included and incorporated by reference into this document, including the matters addressed in the section titled Cautionary Statement Regarding Forward-Looking Statements, you should carefully consider the following risks before deciding whether to vote for the adoption of the merger agreement and before making your merger consideration election. In addition, you should read and consider the risks associated with each of the businesses of ETP and Susser. These risks can be found in ETP s and Susser s respective Annual Reports on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2013 and December 29, 2013, respectively, as updated by subsequent Quarterly Reports on Form 10-Q, all of which are filed with the SEC and incorporated by reference into this document. For further information regarding the documents incorporated into this document by reference, please see the section titled Where You Can Find More Information.

Risks Factors Related to the Merger

Because the market price of ETP common units will fluctuate, Susser stockholders receiving ETP common units cannot be sure of the market value of ETP common units that they will receive in the merger.

At the time the merger is completed, Susser stockholders will receive, for each share of Susser common stock they own as of immediately prior to the merger, a combination of \$40.125 in cash and 0.7253 of an ETP common unit. Instead of receiving this standard mix of consideration, Susser stockholders will have an opportunity to make either a cash election to receive \$80.25 in cash (subject to proration), or a unit election to receive 1.4506 ETP common units (subject to proration), for each share of Susser common stock they own as of immediately prior to the merger. At the time that Susser stockholders make their election in respect of the merger consideration to be paid to them (and at the time they cast their votes regarding approval of the merger agreement and the merger). Susser stockholders will not know the actual market value of the ETP common units that they will receive when the merger is finally completed. The actual market value of the ETP common units, when received by Susser stockholders, will depend on the market value of those units on that date. Accordingly, Susser stockholders receiving ETP common units in the merger may receive aggregate consideration that may be worth more or less than the \$80.25 per share available to those making a cash election, subject to pro ration. These fluctuations in the market value of ETP common units may be caused by changes in the businesses, operations, results and prospects of both ETP and Susser, market expectations of the likelihood that the merger will be completed and the timing of the completion, general market and economic conditions or other factors. Susser stockholders are urged to obtain current market quotations for ETP common units when they make their election.

Susser stockholders who make a cash election or unit election may receive a form or combination of consideration different from what they elect.

Instead of receiving the standard mix of consideration, Susser stockholders will have an opportunity to make either a cash election to receive \$80.25 in cash, or a unit election to receive 1.4506 ETP common units, for each share of Susser common stock they own as of immediately prior to the merger. The cash and unit elections, however, will be subject to proration to ensure that the total amount of cash paid and the total number of ETP common units issued in the merger to Susser stockholders as a whole are equal to the total amount of cash and number of ETP common units that would have been paid and issued if all Susser stockholders received the standard mix of consideration. Accordingly, depending on the elections made by other Susser stockholders, if a Susser stockholder makes a unit election, such stockholder may receive a portion of consideration in the form of cash. Similarly, if a Susser stockholder makes a cash election, such stockholder may receive a portion of consideration in the form of ETP common units. Susser stockholders who elect to receive the standard mix of consideration will not be subject to proration and will receive a combination of \$40.125 in cash and 0.7253 of an ETP common unit for each share of

Susser common stock for which such an election has been made. If a Susser stockholder does not submit a properly completed and signed election form to the exchange agent by the election deadline and has not properly demanded appraisal in accordance with the DGCL, then such stockholder will be deemed to have elected to receive the standard mix of consideration consisting of \$40.125 in cash and 0.7253 of an ETP common unit.

If you tender shares of Susser common stock to make an election, you will not be able to sell those shares unless you revoke your election prior to the election deadline.

If you are a Susser stockholder and want to make a cash or unit election, you must deliver your stock certificates and a properly completed and signed election form to the exchange agent. The deadline for doing this is 5:00 p.m., New York time, on August 25, 2014 (or such other later date as ETP and Susser agree). You will not be able to sell any shares of Susser common stock that you have delivered unless you revoke your election before the deadline by providing written notice to the exchange agent. If you do not revoke your election, you will not be able to liquidate your investment in Susser common stock for any reason until you receive cash or ETP common units pursuant to the merger. In the time between delivery of your shares and the closing of the merger, the market price of Susser common stock or ETP common units may decrease, and you might otherwise want to sell your shares of Susser to gain access to cash, make other investments, or reduce the potential for a decrease in the value of your investment.

The merger is subject to various closing conditions, and any delay in completing the merger may reduce or eliminate the benefits expected and delay the payment of the merger consideration to stockholders.

The merger is subject to the satisfaction of a number of other conditions beyond the parties control that may prevent, delay or otherwise materially adversely affect the completion of the transaction. These conditions include, among other things, Susser stockholder approval and the receipt of clearance from U.S. antitrust authorities. Susser and ETP cannot predict with certainty whether and when any of these conditions will be satisfied. Any delay in completing the merger could cause the combined company not to realize, or delay the realization, of some or all of the benefits that the companies expect to achieve from the transaction. In such context, the date of which Susser stockholders shall receive the merger consideration is also uncertain.

Certain executive officers and directors of Susser have interests in the merger that are different from, or in addition to, the interests of Susser stockholders generally, which could have influenced their decision to support or approve the merger.

Certain executive officers and directors of Susser are parties to agreements or participants in other arrangements that give them interests in the merger that may be different from, or be in addition to, your interests as a stockholder of Susser. You should consider these interests in voting on the merger. These different interests are described under Proposal 1: The Merger Interests of Susser s Directors and Executive Officers in the Merger.

The merger agreement limits Susser's ability to pursue alternatives to the merger.

The merger agreement contains provisions that make it more difficult for Susser to sell its business to a party other than ETP. These provisions include the general prohibition on Susser soliciting any acquisition proposal (as defined in the section titled. The Merger Agreement. Non-Solicitation by Susser.) or offer for a competing transaction from a third party, and the requirement that Susser pay ETP a breakup fee of \$68 million or up to \$10 million of ETP. s expenses if the merger agreement is terminated in specified circumstances, including in the event Susser terminates the merger agreement in response to an acquisition proposal from a third party it determines constitutes a superior offer (as defined in the section titled. The Merger Agreement. Non-Solicitation by Susser.). In addition, even if the Susser board of directors receives a superior offer, it must, prior to accepting any offer from a competing bidder, provide ETP with the opportunity to amend the merger agreement such that the third-party offer no longer constitutes a superior offer. See. The Merger Agreement. Termination of the Merger Agreement. and. The Merger Agreement. Breakup Fee and ETP Expenses.

The foregoing may discourage a third party that might have an interest in acquiring all or a significant part of Susser from considering or proposing an acquisition, even if that party were prepared to pay consideration with a higher per share value than the current proposed merger consideration. Furthermore, the breakup fee and the ETP expense reimbursement provisions may result in a potential competing acquiror proposing to pay a lower per share price to acquire Susser than it might otherwise have proposed to pay.

A different set of factors and conditions affect ETP common units and could have a negative impact on the unit price.

Upon completion of the merger, Susser stockholders who receive ETP common units will become equityholders in ETP. The businesses of ETP and the other companies it has acquired and may acquire in the future are different in many respects from those of Susser. There is a risk that various factors, conditions and developments which would not affect the price of Susser's common stock could negatively affect the price of ETP common units. Please see the section titled Cautionary Statement Regarding Forward-Looking Statements for a summary of some of the key factors that might affect ETP and the prices at which ETP common units may trade from time to time. Susser stockholders are also urged to read carefully the risk factors included in ETP's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2013 and any subsequent Quarterly Reports on Form 10-Q, which are or will be incorporated by reference into this document.

Pending litigation against ETP and Susser challenging the merger could result in an injunction preventing completion of the merger, and any injunctive relief or adverse judgment for monetary damages could prevent the merger from occurring or could have a material adverse effect on the combined company s business, financial condition or results of operations following the merger.

In connection with the merger, purported stockholders of Susser have filed several class action lawsuits against Susser, members of the board of directors of Susser, ETP, ETP GP, Merger Sub, HHI, and ETE in the Delaware Court of Chancery. Plaintiffs generally allege breach of fiduciary duties in connection with the merger transactions, and aiding and abetting arising out of the defendants—pursuit of the merger at an unfair price and by way of an unfair process. Among other remedies, the plaintiffs seek to enjoin defendants from proceeding with or consummating the merger and, to the extent that the merger is implemented before relief is granted, plaintiffs seek to have the merger rescinded. Additional lawsuits may be filed against ETP and/or Susser challenging the merger. One of the conditions to the completion of the merger is that no injunction of any court or tribunal of competent jurisdiction shall be in effect that enjoins the consummation of the merger. A preliminary injunction could delay or jeopardize the completion of the merger and result in substantial costs to ETP and Susser, including any costs associated with the indemnification of directors. An adverse judgment granting permanent injunctive relief could indefinitely enjoin completion of the merger, and an adverse judgment for rescission or for monetary damages could have a material adverse effect on the combined company—s business, financial condition or results of operations following the merger. See the section titled—Proposal 1: The Merger—Litigation Related to the Merger.

Susser stockholders will have a reduced ownership and voting interest after the merger and will exercise less influence over management, which has contractually-limited fiduciary duties to the unitholders of ETP.

Susser stockholders currently have the right to vote in the election of the Susser board of directors and other matters affecting Susser. When the merger occurs, each Susser stockholder that receives ETP common units will become a unitholder of ETP with a percentage ownership of the combined organization that is much smaller than such stockholder s percentage ownership of Susser. ETP unitholders are not entitled to elect the directors of ETP s general partner. In addition, ETP unitholders have only limited voting rights on matters affecting ETP s business and, therefore, limited ability to influence management s decisions regarding Susser s business. Because of this, Susser stockholders will have less influence on the management and policies of ETP than they have now on the management and policies of Susser.

In addition, unitholders of ETP did not elect its general partner and have no right to elect its general partner on an annual or other continuing basis. Although ETP GP has a contractually-limited fiduciary duty to the unitholders of ETP, the directors of ETP GP LLC have a fiduciary duty to manage ETP GP and ETP GP LLC in a manner beneficial

to the owners of those entities, primarily ETE.

Furthermore, if ETP unitholders are dissatisfied with the performance of ETP GP, they may be unable to remove ETP GP as general partner. Under the terms of ETP s partnership agreement, its general partner

generally may not be removed except upon the vote of the holders of 66 2/3% of the outstanding units voting together as a single class, including units owned by the general partner and its affiliates. As of June 30, 2014, ETE and its affiliates held approximately 9.5% of ETP s outstanding common units, with an additional approximate 0.2% held by ETP s officers and directors.

ETP common units to be received by Susser stockholders as a result of the merger will have different rights from Susser common stock.

Following completion of the merger, Susser stockholders who receive all or a portion of their merger consideration in ETP common units will no longer hold shares of Susser common stock, but will instead be unitholders of ETP. There are important differences between the rights of Susser stockholders and the rights of ETP unitholders. See Comparison of Rights of Susser Stockholders and ETP Unitholders for a discussion of the different rights associated with Susser common stock and ETP common units.

If the merger agreement is terminated, under certain circumstances, Susser may be obligated to reimburse ETP for costs incurred related to the merger or pay a breakup fee to ETP. These costs could require Susser to seek loans or use Susser s available cash that would have otherwise been available for operations, dividends or other general corporate purposes.

In certain circumstances, Susser would be responsible for reimbursing ETP for up to \$10 million in expenses related to the transaction or may be obligated to pay a breakup fee to ETP of \$68 million. If the merger agreement is terminated, the breakup fee required to be paid, if any, by Susser under the merger agreement may require Susser to seek loans or borrow amounts to enable it to pay these amounts to ETP. In either case, payment of these amounts would reduce the cash Susser has available for operations, dividends or other general corporate purposes. See The Merger Agreement Breakup Fee and ETP Expenses.

The failure to successfully combine the businesses of ETP and Susser in the expected time frame may adversely affect ETP s future results, which may adversely affect the value of the ETP common units that Susser stockholders would receive in the merger.

The success of the merger will depend, in part, on the ability of ETP to realize the anticipated benefits from combining the businesses of ETP and Susser, including those ETP expects to result from segregating its retail and wholesale fuels businesses from its other transportation and midstream businesses over time, through a contemplated series of transfers of its retail and wholesale fuels business to Susser MLP. To realize these anticipated benefits, ETP s and Susser s businesses must be successfully combined and to realize the benefits related to any drop downs, those transactions must be successfully negotiated, approved and implemented. If the combined company is not able to achieve these objectives, the anticipated benefits of the merger may not be realized fully or at all or may take longer to realize than expected. In addition, the actual integration may result in additional and unforeseen expenses, which could reduce the anticipated benefits of the merger.

ETP and Susser, including their respective subsidiaries, have operated and, until the completion of the merger, will continue to operate independently. It is possible that the integration process could result in the loss of key employees, as well as the disruption of each company s ongoing businesses or inconsistencies in their standards, controls, procedures and policies. Any or all of those occurrences could adversely affect the combined company s ability to maintain relationships with customers and employees after the merger or to achieve the anticipated benefits of the merger. Integration efforts between the two companies will also divert management attention and resources. These integration matters could have an adverse effect on each of ETP and Susser.

The pendency of the merger could materially adversely affect the future business and operations of Susser or result in a loss of Susser employees.

In connection with the pending merger, it is possible that some customers, suppliers and other persons with whom Susser has a business relationship may delay or defer certain business decisions or might decide to seek to

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terminate, change or renegotiate their relationship with Susser as a result of the merger, which could negatively impact revenues, earnings and cash flows of Susser, as well as the market price of shares of Susser common stock, regardless of whether the merger is completed. Similarly, current and prospective employees of Susser may experience uncertainty about their future roles with ETP and Susser following the completion of the merger, which may materially adversely affect the ability of Susser to attract and retain key employees.

Failure to complete the merger could negatively affect the stock price of Susser and its future businesses and financial results.

If the merger is not completed, the ongoing business of Susser may be adversely affected and Susser will be subject to several risks and consequences, including the following:

under the merger agreement, Susser may be required, under certain circumstances, to pay ETP a breakup fee of \$68 million or ETP s expenses up to \$10 million;

Susser will be required to pay certain costs relating to the merger, whether or not the merger is completed, such as legal, accounting, financial advisor and printing fees;

under the merger agreement, Susser is subject to certain restrictions on the conduct of its business prior to completing the merger which may adversely affect its ability to execute certain of its business strategies; and

matters relating to the merger may require substantial commitments of time and resources by Susser management, which could otherwise have been devoted to other opportunities that may have been beneficial to Susser as an independent company.

In addition, if the merger is not completed, Susser may experience negative reactions from the financial markets and from its customers and employees. Susser also could be subject to litigation related to any failure to complete the merger or to enforcement proceedings commenced against Susser to attempt to force it to perform its obligations under the merger agreement.

Tax Risks Related to the Merger

Your exchange of Susser common stock for ETP common units may be taxable in certain circumstances.

In general, the exchange by a Susser stockholder of Susser common stock for ETP common units is expected to qualify as an exchange to which Section 721(a) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended (which we refer to as the Internal Revenue Code) applies, i.e., a transaction in which no gain or loss is recognized for U.S. federal income tax purposes. However, under certain circumstances, a Susser stockholder may recognize gain upon such exchange or upon the occurrence of certain subsequent events or transactions undertaken by ETP.

Specifically, the exchange of Susser common stock for ETP common units pursuant to the merger will not qualify as a transaction in which no gain or loss is recognized for U.S. federal income tax purposes if, immediately after the merger ETP were characterized, for U.S. federal income tax purposes, as (1) a partnership which would be treated as an investment company if the partnership were incorporated, or (2) a publicly traded partnership treated as a

corporation. It is a condition to Susser s obligation to effect the merger that (1) Susser receive an opinion from its counsel, Gibson, Dunn & Crutcher LLP (which we refer to as Gibson Dunn), to the effect that, for U.S. federal income tax purposes, the exchange of shares of Susser common stock for ETP common units pursuant to the merger should qualify as an exchange to which Section 721(a) of the Internal Revenue Code applies (which opinion may rely on the opinions described in clauses (2) and (3) below), (2) ETP receive an opinion from its special tax counsel, Bingham McCutchen LLP, to the effect that ETP should not be treated as an investment company under applicable provisions of the Internal Revenue Code, and (3) ETP receive an opinion from its counsel, Vinson & Elkins L.L.P., to the effect that for U.S. federal income tax

purposes, at least 90% of ETP s gross income for the most recent four complete calendar quarters ending before the effective time of the merger for which necessary financial information is available constitutes—qualifying income within the meaning of Section 7704(d) of the Internal Revenue Code and that ETP is treated as a partnership for U.S. federal income tax purposes pursuant to Section 7704(c) of the Internal Revenue Code. However, the Internal Revenue Service (which we refer to as the IRS) is not bound by any of these opinions and may disagree with their conclusions. For a more detailed discussion, please see Material U.S. Federal Income Tax Considerations.

In addition, as described below under Tax Risks Related to the Ownership and Disposition of ETP Common Units Received in the Merger, a Susser stockholder could be required to recognize part or all of the built-in gain in his shares of Susser common stock exchanged for ETP common units in the merger upon the occurrence of certain subsequent events or transactions undertaken by ETP.

Tax Risks Related to the Ownership and Disposition of ETP Common Units Received in the Merger

ETP may engage in transactions that cause you to be subject to taxation in a manner different from that applicable to other holders of ETP common units.

A former Susser stockholder could be required to recognize part or all of the built-in gain in his shares of Susser common stock exchanged for ETP common units pursuant to the merger if ETP (1) sells or otherwise disposes of, or is considered to sell or otherwise to dispose of, in a taxable transaction at any time following the merger, such shares of Susser common stock or interests in any entity to which such Susser common stock was contributed, (2) distributes such shares of Susser common stock acquired from such Susser stockholder, or interests in an entity to which such Susser common stock was contributed, to another ETP unitholder within seven years following the merger, (3) distributes any property (other than money or shares of Susser common stock acquired from such Susser stockholder) to such former Susser stockholder who became a ETP unitholder as a result of the merger within seven years of the merger, or (4) makes any distribution (other than an operating cash flow distribution) to such former Susser stockholder within two years following the merger. For a more detailed discussion, please see Material U.S. Federal Income Tax Considerations.

Other Risk Factors of ETP and Susser

In addition to the risks described above, ETP and Susser are, and will continue to be, subject to the risks described in ETP s and Susser s Annual Reports on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2013 and December 29, 2013, respectively, as updated by subsequent Quarterly Reports on Form 10-Q and Current Reports on Form 8-K, all of which are filed with the SEC and incorporated by reference into this proxy statement/prospectus. See Where You Can Find More Information for the location of information incorporated by reference in this proxy statement/prospectus.

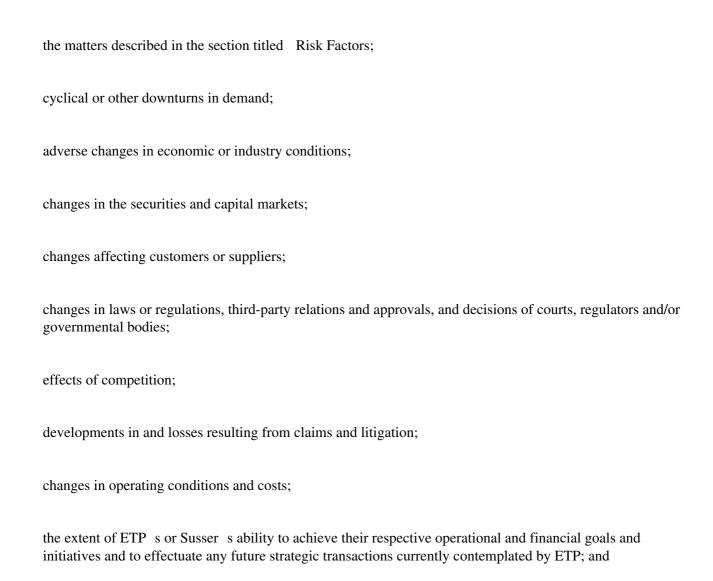
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CAUTIONARY STATEMENT REGARDING FORWARD-LOOKING STATEMENTS

This document includes forward-looking statements about ETP and Susser that are subject to risks and uncertainties. All statements other than statements of historical or current facts included in this document are forward-looking statements. Statements using words such as anticipate, believe, intend, project, plan, expect, continue, forecast, may, will, or similar expressions help identify forward-looking statements.

Except for their respective obligations to disclose material information under U.S. federal securities laws, neither ETP nor Susser undertakes any obligation to release publicly any revisions to any forward-looking statements, to report events or circumstances after the date of this document, or to report the occurrence of unanticipated events.

Forward-looking statements involve a number of risks and uncertainties, and actual results or events may differ materially from those projected or implied in those statements. Important factors that could cause such differences include, but are not limited to:



ETP s continued taxation as a partnership and not as a corporation.

In addition, the acquisition of Susser by ETP is subject to the satisfaction of the conditions to the completion of the merger and the absence of events that could give rise to the termination of the merger agreement, the possibility that the merger does not close, risks that the proposed acquisition disrupts current plans and operations and business relationships or poses difficulties in attracting or retaining employees, the possibility that the costs or difficulties related to the integration of the two companies will be greater than expected and the possibility that the anticipated benefits from the merger cannot or will not be fully realized.

All written and oral forward-looking statements attributable to ETP or Susser or persons acting on behalf of ETP or Susser are expressly qualified in their entirety by such factors. For additional information with respect to these factors, please see the section entitled Where You Can Find More Information.

INFORMATION ABOUT THE COMPANIES

Energy Transfer Partners, L.P.

ETP, a Delaware limited partnership, is one of the largest publicly traded master limited partnerships in the United States in terms of equity market capitalization (approximately \$19.21 billion as of July 25, 2014). ETP is managed by its general partner, ETP GP, and ETP GP is managed by its general partner, ETP LLC, which is owned by ETE, another publicly traded master limited partnership. ETP LLC is ultimately responsible for the business and operations of ETP GP and conducts ETP s business and operations, and the board of directors and officers of ETP LLC make decisions on ETP s behalf.

The activities in which ETP is engaged, all of which are in the United States, and the wholly owned operating subsidiaries through which ETP conducts those activities are as follows:

natural gas operations, including the following:

natural gas midstream and intrastate transportation and storage through La Grange Acquisition, L.P.; and

interstate natural gas transportation and storage through Energy Transfer Interstate Holdings, LLC (which we refer to as ET Interstate) and PEPL. ET Interstate is the parent company of Transwestern Pipeline Company, LLC, ETC Fayetteville Express Pipeline, LLC, ETC Tiger Pipeline, LLC and CrossCountry Energy, LLC. PEPL is the parent company of Trunkline Gas Company, LLC and Sea Robin Pipeline Company, LLC;

natural gas liquids ($\,$ NGL $\,$) transportation, storage and fractionation services primarily through Lone Star NGL $\,$ LLC;

refined product and crude oil operations, including the following:

refined product and crude oil transportation through Sunoco Logistics; and

retail marketing of gasoline and middle distillates through Sunoco and Mid-Atlantic Convenience Stores, LLC.

ETP s executive offices are located at 3738 Oak Lawn Avenue, Dallas, Texas 75219. Its telephone number is (214) 981-0700.

Susser Holdings Corporation

Susser, a Delaware corporation, is a leading operator of convenience stores in Texas based on store count and one of the largest distributors of motor fuel by volume in Texas. Susser s operations include retail convenience stores and

wholesale motor fuel distribution. For the fiscal year ended December 29, 2013, Susser purchased 1.6 billion gallons of branded and unbranded motor fuel directly from refiners for distribution to its Stripes[®] convenience stores, contracted independent operators of convenience stores, independently operated consignment locations, unbranded convenience stores and other commercial users. Susser s operations as of March 30, 2014 include the following:

retail segment, consisting of 629 convenience stores in Texas, New Mexico and Oklahoma, offering merchandise, food service, motor fuel and other services; and

wholesale segment, consisting primarily of the fuel distribution operations conducted through Susser MLP, which purchases branded and unbranded motor fuel from refiners and distributes it to: (1) Susser s Stripes branded retail convenience stores; (2) over 517 convenience stores and retail fuel outlets operated by independent operators, who have long-term distribution agreements with Susser MLP; (3) 99 other independently operated consignment locations where Susser sells motor fuel to retail customers; and (4) approximately 1,900 other commercial customers, including unbranded convenience stores, other fuel distributors, school districts and municipalities and other industrial customers.

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Susser also owns 50.2% of Susser MLP s limited partner interests in a combination of common and subordinated units, the general partner of Susser MLP and all of Susser MLP s incentive distribution rights, which entitle Susser to specified increasing percentages of cash distributions as Susser MLP s per-unit cash distributions increase. Susser MLP engages in the fee-based wholesale distribution of motor fuels to Susser and third parties. For the year ended December 31, 2013, Susser MLP distributed 1.1 billion gallons of motor fuel to Stripes® convenience stores and Susser consignment locations and 517.8 million gallons of motor fuel to other third-party customers. Susser believes Susser MLP is one of the largest independent motor fuel distributors by gallons in Texas, and among the largest distributors of Valero and Chevron branded motor fuel in the United States.

Susser s principal executive offices are located at 4525 Ayers Street, Corpus Christi, Texas 78415, and its telephone number is (361) 884-2463.

Drive Acquisition Corporation

Merger Sub, a Delaware corporation, is a subsidiary of ETP that was formed solely in contemplation of the transactions, has not commenced any operations, has only nominal assets and has no liabilities or contingent liabilities, nor any outstanding commitments other than as set forth in the merger agreement. Other than as set forth in this document, Merger Sub has not incurred any obligations, engaged in any business activities or entered into any agreements or arrangements with any third parties other than the merger agreement. Merger Sub s principal executive offices are located at 3738 Oak Lawn Avenue, Dallas, Texas 75219, and its telephone number is (214) 981-0700.

Heritage Holdings, Inc.

HHI, a Delaware corporation, is a wholly owned subsidiary of Holdco. HHI directly owns 50% of the equity interests in Sunoco and indirectly owns 100% of the equity interests in PEPL. At the effective time of the merger, HHI will directly own 50% of the equity interests in Susser. Please see Proposal 1: The Merger Post-Closing Transactions and Structure for more information. HHI s principal executive offices are located at 3738 Oak Lawn Avenue, Dallas, Texas 75219, and its telephone number is (214) 981-0700.

Energy Transfer Equity, L.P.

ETE, a publicly traded Delaware limited partnership, is the indirect owner of 100% of the general partner interests and incentive distribution rights of ETP and the direct and indirect owner of 9.5% and 100% of the outstanding ETP common units and ETP Class H units, respectively. ETE s principal sources of cash flow are derived from its direct and indirect investments in the limited partner and general partner interests in ETP and Regency Energy Partners LP, both of which are publicly traded limited partnerships engaged in diversified energy-related services. ETE s principal executive offices are located at 3738 Oak Lawn Avenue, Dallas, Texas 75219, and its telephone number is (214) 981-0700.

Energy Transfer Partners GP, L.P.

ETP GP, a Delaware limited partnership, is the general partner of ETP. The principal business of ETP GP is to serve as the general partner of ETP.

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SPECIAL MEETING OF SUSSER STOCKHOLDERS

This section contains information about the special meeting of Susser stockholders that has been called, among other reasons, to adopt the merger agreement, and to approve, on an advisory (non-binding) basis, specified compensation that may be received by Susser s named executive officers in connection with the merger. This document is being furnished to Susser stockholders in connection with the solicitation of proxies by the Susser board of directors to be used at the special meeting. Susser is first mailing this document and enclosed proxy card on or about July 30, 2014.

Date, Time and Place of the Special Meeting

A special meeting of Susser stockholders will be held at the offices of Susser Holdings Corporation, 4525 Ayers Street, Corpus Christi, TX 78415 on August 28, 2014, starting at 10:00 a.m., local time (unless it is adjourned or postponed to a later date).

Admission to the Special Meeting

Only stockholders of record or their duly authorized proxies have the right to attend the special meeting or any postponement or adjournment thereof. To gain admittance, you must present valid photo identification, such as a driver s license or passport. If your shares of Susser common stock are held through a bank, brokerage firm or other nominee, please bring to the special meeting a copy of your brokerage statement evidencing your beneficial ownership of Susser common stock and valid photo identification. If you are the representative of a corporate or institutional stockholder, you must present valid photo identification along with proof that you are the representative of such stockholder. Please note that cameras, recording devices and other electronic devices will not be permitted at the special meeting.

Purpose of the Special Meeting

- 1. To consider and vote upon a proposal to adopt the merger agreement;
- 2. To consider and cast an advisory (non-binding) vote on specified compensation that may be received by Susser s named executive officers in connection with the merger; and
- 3. To consider and vote upon any adjournment of the special meeting, if necessary, to solicit additional proxies in favor of the proposal to adopt the merger agreement.

Recommendation of the Susser Board of Directors

The Susser board of directors has unanimously determined that the merger agreement, the merger and the other transactions contemplated by the merger agreement are in the best interests of Susser and its stockholders, and recommends that the Susser stockholders vote to adopt the merger agreement. In addition, the Susser board of directors recommends that the Susser stockholders vote to approve, on an advisory (non-binding) basis, specified compensation that may be received by Susser s named executive officers in connection with the merger and to approve any adjournment of the special meeting, if necessary, to solicit additional proxies in favor of the proposal to adopt the merger agreement.

Susser stockholders should carefully read this document in its entirety for more detailed information concerning the merger agreement. In particular, Susser stockholders are directed to the merger agreement, which is attached hereto as Annex A.

Record Date; Stockholders Entitled to Vote; Outstanding Shares Held

The Susser board of directors has designated the close of business on July 22, 2014 as the record date that will determine the stockholders who are entitled to receive notice of, and to vote at, the special meeting or at any adjournment or postponement of the special meeting. Only holders of record at the close of business on the

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record date are entitled to vote at the special meeting. At the close of business on the record date, there were 21,683,099 shares of common stock outstanding, held by approximately 145 holders of record. Each holder of Susser shares is entitled to one vote per share of common stock held.

Quorum

A majority of the shares of Susser common stock outstanding at the close of business on the record date and entitled to vote, present in person or represented by proxy, at the special meeting constitutes a quorum for the purposes of the special meeting. Shares of Susser common stock represented at the special meeting but not voted, including shares of Susser common stock for which a stockholder directs an abstention from voting, as well as broker non-votes, if any, will be counted for purposes of establishing a quorum. A quorum is necessary to transact business at the special meeting. Once a share of Susser common stock is represented at the special meeting, it will be counted for the purpose of determining a quorum at the special meeting and any adjournment of the special meeting, unless a new record date is required to be established. However, if a new record date is set for the adjourned special meeting, then a new quorum will have to be established. In the event that a quorum is not present at the special meeting, it is expected that the special meeting will be adjourned.

Abstentions

Abstentions are counted as a vote AGAINST the merger agreement proposal, the adjournment proposal or the advisory say-on-compensation proposal. Abstentions are counted as shares present and entitled to be voted for the purposes of determining whether a quorum is present.

Broker Non-Votes

Under the rules of the NYSE, banks, brokerage firms or other nominees holding shares of record may vote those shares in their discretion on certain routine proposals when they do not receive timely voting instructions from the beneficial holders. A broker non-vote occurs under these NYSE rules when a bank, brokerage firm or other nominee holding shares of record is not permitted to vote on a non-routine matter without instructions from the beneficial owner of the shares and no instruction is given.

In accordance with these NYSE rules, banks, brokers and other nominees who hold shares of Susser common stock in street name—for their customers, but do not have discretionary authority to vote the shares, may not exercise their voting discretion with respect to the adoption of the merger agreement proposal, the adjournment proposal or the advisory say-on-compensation proposal. Accordingly, if banks, brokers or other nominees do not receive specific voting instructions from the beneficial owner of such shares, they may not vote such shares with respect to the adoption of the merger agreement proposal, the advisory say-on-compensation proposal or the adjournment proposal. For shares of Susser common stock held in—street name,—only shares of Susser common stock affirmatively voted—FOR the adoption of the merger agreement proposal, the adjournment proposal or the advisory say-on-compensation proposal will be counted as affirmative votes therefor. Broker non-votes will have the same effect as a vote—AGAINST the adoption of the merger agreement proposal, broker non-votes will have no effect on the approval of the adjournment proposal and broker non-votes will not be voted on the advisory say-on-compensation proposal, but, assuming a quorum is present, this will not have an effect on the advisory say-on-compensation proposal.

Required Vote

The merger agreement proposal must be adopted by the affirmative vote of the holders of a majority of all outstanding shares of Susser common stock entitled to vote thereon. Failures to vote, abstentions and broker non-votes will have

the same effect as a vote AGAINST the merger agreement proposal.

Approval of the advisory say-on-compensation proposal requires the affirmative vote of holders of a majority of those shares of Susser common stock present in person or by proxy at the special meeting and

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entitled to vote thereon. The vote to approve specified compensation is not a condition to completion of the merger. The vote of Susser stockholders on specified compensation that may be received by Susser's named executive officers in connection with the merger is advisory in nature and will not be binding on ETP or Susser. Accordingly, regardless of the outcome of the advisory vote, if the merger is approved and completed, specified compensation may be paid. Abstentions will have the same effect as a vote AGAINST the advisory say-on-compensation proposal, while failures to vote and broker non-votes will have no effect on the outcome of the advisory vote.

Any adjournment of the special meeting, if necessary, to solicit additional proxies in favor of the proposal to adopt the merger agreement requires the affirmative vote of holders of a majority of those shares of Susser common stock present or represented at the special meeting in person or by proxy at the special meeting and entitled to vote thereon. Unless the Susser board of directors fixes a new record date for the adjourned special meeting or law otherwise requires, no notice of the adjourned special meeting will be required so long as (i) the time and place to which the special meeting is adjourned are announced at the original special meeting and (ii) at the adjourned special meeting only such business is transacted as might have been transacted at the original special meeting. Abstentions will have the same effect as a vote AGAINST a proposal to adjourn the special meeting, while failures to vote and broker non-votes will have no effect on the outcome of the vote.

Shares Beneficially Owned by Directors and Executive Officers

The members of the Susser board of directors and executive officers of Susser beneficially owned an aggregate of 3,195,430 shares of Susser common stock as of June 27, 2014. These shares represent in total 14.6% of the total voting power of Susser s voting securities.

Proxies

You may vote in person by ballot at the special meeting or by submitting a proxy. Please submit your proxy even if you plan to attend the special meeting. If you attend the special meeting, you may vote by ballot, thereby canceling any proxy previously given.

Voting instructions are included on your proxy card. If you properly give your proxy and submit it to Susser in time for it to be voted, one of the individuals named as your proxy will vote your shares as you have directed. You may vote for or against the proposals or abstain from voting.

Shares Held in Street Name

If you hold Susser shares in the name of a bank, broker or other nominee, you should follow the instructions provided by your bank, broker or nominee when voting your Susser shares or when granting or revoking a proxy.

Absent specific instructions from you, your broker is not empowered to vote your Susser shares. The shares not voted because brokers lack power to vote them without instructions are also known as broker non-votes, as described above.

How to Submit Your Proxy

Voting by Telephone. You can vote by calling the toll-free number printed on the proxy card or, if you are a beneficial owner, in accordance with any telephonic voting instructions provided to you by the record holder, as applicable. Telephone voting is available 24 hours a day and will be accessible until 1:00 a.m. Central Time on August 28, 2014.

Voting by Internet. You can vote electronically in accordance with the instructions on the proxy card or, if you are a beneficial owner, in accordance with any electronic voting instructions provided to you by the record holder, as applicable. Internet voting is available 24 hours a day and will be accessible until 1:00 a.m. Central Time on August 28, 2014.

Voting by Proxy Card. If you are a record holder and received a proxy card, you can vote by completing and returning your signed proxy card. To vote using your proxy card, please mark, date and sign the card and return it by mail in the accompanying postage-paid envelope. If you vote by telephone or by Internet, you should not return a proxy card unless you wish to change your vote.

Voting in Person. You can vote in person at the special meeting if you are a record owner of the shares to be voted. You can also vote in person at the special meeting if you present a properly signed proxy that authorizes you to vote shares on behalf of the record owner.

Revoking Your Proxy

You may change your vote at any time prior to the vote at the special meeting. If you are the stockholder of record, you may change your vote by granting a new proxy bearing a later date (which automatically revokes the earlier proxy), by providing a written notice of revocation to the Corporate Secretary prior to your shares being voted, or by attending the special meeting and voting in person. Attendance at the special meeting will not cause your previously granted proxy to be revoked unless you specifically make that request. For shares you hold beneficially in street name, you may change your vote by submitting new voting instructions to your broker, trustee or nominee, or, if you have obtained a legal proxy from your broker or nominee giving you the right to vote your shares, by attending the special meeting and voting in person.

Adjournments and Postponements

Although it is not currently expected, the special meeting may be adjourned, including for the purpose of soliciting additional proxies, if there are insufficient votes at the time of the special meeting to approve the proposal to adopt the merger agreement or if a quorum is not present at the special meeting. Other than an announcement to be made at the special meeting of the time, date and place of an adjourned meeting, an adjournment generally may be made without notice. Any adjournment or postponement of the special meeting for the purpose of soliciting additional proxies will allow the Susser s stockholders who have already sent in their proxies to revoke them at any time prior to their use at the special meeting as adjourned or postponed.

Proxy Solicitation

ETP and Susser will each bear their own costs related to the merger and the retention of any information agent or other service provider in connection with the merger, except for the expenses incurred in connection with the filing, printing and mailing of this document which will be shared equally. This proxy solicitation is being made by Susser on behalf of the Susser board of directors. Susser has hired Georgeson, Inc. to assist in the solicitation of proxies. In addition to this mailing, proxies may be solicited by directors, officers or employees of Susser or its affiliates in person or by telephone or electronic transmission. None of the directors, officers or employees will be directly compensated for such services.

PROPOSAL 1: THE MERGER

Background of the Merger

Susser s management and board of directors have regularly reviewed Susser s financial position and results of operations, as well as potentially available options to create value for Susser s stockholders. These reviews have included consideration, from time to time, of Susser s strategic plans, the potential benefits of such plans and the risks in implementing such plans. Similarly, Susser s management periodically explores and evaluates, and discusses with

the Susser board of directors, various strategic alternatives potentially available to Susser, including strategic acquisitions, financing structures and divestitures and other potential transactions.

In early 2013, following ETP s acquisition of Sunoco, and after reading comments from ETP management regarding a desire to simplify ETP s overall structure and plan to evaluate Sunoco s retail business, Sam L.

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Susser, then President and CEO, and now CEO and Chairman of the board of directors, of Susser, called John D. Harkey, a long-time personal friend of Mr. Susser s who at the time was a member of the board of directors of ETE, to inquire as to whether ETP might have an interest in selling Sunoco Inc. s retail operations. After a few conversations among members of senior management of Susser and ETP regarding Susser s interest, ETP management informed Susser that ETP was not interested in selling those operations.

In the Fall of 2013, Robert W. Owens, the President and CEO of Sunoco s retail operations, called Mr. Susser and indicated that he had heard that Susser was considering a sale of the company. Mr. Susser informed Mr. Owens that Susser was not for sale. Later in the Fall of 2013, Mr. Harkey called Mr. Susser and indicated that he believed ETP might have an interest in acquiring Susser.

At a meeting in November 2013, Mr. Harkey and Mr. Susser discussed ETP s interest and ETP s view of the operational logic of a potential combination of Sunoco and Susser. Mr. Susser indicated that Susser was not considering a sale of the company and was aggressively executing its own plan for growth, both organically and through acquisitions, but that the Susser board of directors, in the exercise of its fiduciary duties, would consider any serious offer that was truly compelling from a stockholder value perspective.

In mid-January 2014, Mr. Harkey again called Mr. Susser and told Mr. Susser that he believed ETP had a serious interest in exploring the possibility of an acquisition of Susser. He invited Mr. Susser to come to Dallas to meet with Kelcy L. Warren, the Chief Executive Officer and Chairman of the board of directors of ETP and Chairman of the board of directors of ETE, as well as other senior management of ETP and ETE. On January 21, 2014, Mr. Susser and E.V. Bonner, Jr., Susser's Executive Vice President and General Counsel, traveled to Dallas and met with Mr. Warren and Mr. Harkey, as well as with Jamie Welch, the Group Chief Financial Officer and Head of Business Development for the Energy Transfer family of companies, and Thomas P. Mason, Senior Vice President and General Counsel of ETP. At the meeting, ETP representatives expressed an interest in moving forward with discussion of a potential transaction on a highly confidential and expedited basis, with a view toward executing a definitive agreement within two to three weeks of agreeing upon a transaction framework. ETP management also indicated ETP would not participate in a process with multiple bidders. Mr. Susser expressed concerns regarding the competitive risks to Susser s business and the potential negative impact on employee morale if the existence of discussions was made public, indicated that any transaction would need to be negotiated both rapidly and discreetly and requested that ETP and ETE limit their transaction working group to a very small number of key management personnel. Mr. Susser and Mr. Bonner discussed certain publicly available Susser information with ETP representatives. Mr. Susser emphasized that he did not believe that the Susser board of directors would be willing to provide ETP with any confidential information unless ETP provided a written indication of interest at a value that the Susser board of directors considered to be highly attractive.

On January 24, 2014, Mr. Susser and Mr. Bonner participated in a call with Mr. Welch in which they discussed certain additional publicly-available Susser information. A few days later, Mr. Harkey called Mr. Susser and indicated that ETP would be interested in engaging in discussions with Susser on an exclusive basis to try to reach agreement on an acquisition of Susser by ETP for consideration in the \$75-\$80 per share range. Mr. Susser indicated to Mr. Harkey that he could not recommend to the Susser board of directors that Susser consider a transaction in that price range but that the board might consider a higher offer. A few days later, Mr. Harkey called Mr. Susser and indicated that Susser could expect a written indication of interest from ETP in the coming days with an offer range in excess of \$80 per share. Shortly thereafter, Mr. Susser informed Bruce Krysiak, Susser s lead independent director, of ETP s interest and the meetings and discussions that had taken place with ETP management, and noted that he intended to brief the entire Susser board on these developments at a meeting to occur on January 29, 2014.

On January 29, 2014, the board of directors of Susser held a meeting at which Mr. Susser informed the board of the meeting with ETP management in Dallas and the subsequent communications from ETP. The directors discussed the potential engagement of a financial advisor in the event Susser did receive an offer with a

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range in excess of \$80 per share and concluded that BofA Merrill Lynch would be engaged if such a revised offer was received, subject to review of any material relationships that could present a conflict of interest. On January 31, 2014, ETP delivered to Susser a letter setting forth ETP s non-binding proposal to acquire Susser for consideration in the range of \$80 to \$82 per share of Susser common stock, consisting of 50% cash and 50% ETP common units. Mr. Susser forwarded the offer letter that day to the members of the Susser board of directors. On the same day, ETP sent Susser a draft mutual confidentiality agreement that it proposed the parties should execute.

On February 3, 2014, Susser engaged Gibson Dunn as outside counsel in connection with Susser s consideration of a potential transaction with ETP.

On February 5, 2014, Mr. Susser informed Mr. Harkey that the Susser board of directors would be discussing ETP s January 31st proposal at a meeting that day and that Susser likely would respond thereafter. Later that day, the Susser board of directors met to discuss ETP s January 31st proposal. Representatives of BofA Merrill Lynch and a representative of Gibson Dunn also attended the meeting. Representatives of BofA Merrill Lynch made a presentation to the board regarding financial aspects of a potential transaction with ETP, including certain preliminary matters relating to ETP s January 31st proposal, as well as certain preliminary analyses regarding other potential interested parties and strategic alternatives. The Susser board of directors discussed the ETP offer and strategic alternatives. There was consensus among the directors that, while a price of \$80 to \$82 per share appeared attractive as an initial matter, Susser should finalize and enter into an appropriate confidentiality agreement with ETP in order to be able to share certain non-public information with ETP to attempt to illuminate potential synergies and other value considerations that might lead ETP to further increase the price of its offer. Following the meeting, at the direction of the Susser board of directors, a representative of BofA Merrill Lynch called Mr. Welch and informed him that the Susser board of directors considered the high end of ETP s offer range to be insufficient, but that the board had authorized Susser to enter into a confidentiality agreement to permit certain non-public information to be shared with ETP in order to assist ETP in increasing its valuation and providing a definitive price per share offer without a range.

Susser and ETP finalized the form of confidentiality agreement between February 5 and February 7, 2014 and executed the confidentiality agreement on February 7, 2014.

On February 10 and 11, 2014, members of Susser senior management met in Houston with members of ETP senior management to discuss Susser s business and provide certain non-public information regarding Susser to ETP. Representatives of BofA Merrill Lynch and a representative of Gibson Dunn also attended those meetings. In the course of those meetings, representatives of Susser reiterated that ETP s indicated range was insufficient and also stated that, if an agreement was to be reached, it was important to target execution of a definitive agreement prior to Susser s February 26, 2014 earnings release. During a break from the larger meeting, Mr. Welch asked Mr. Susser whether he had an interest in remaining with the business in some capacity following any acquisition of Susser by ETP. Mr. Susser responded that he was not in a position to discuss such matters at that time.

Later on February 11, 2014, the Susser board of directors met in Houston to discuss process matters and the status of discussions with ETP. A representative of Gibson Dunn delivered a presentation to the members of the Susser board of directors on their legal and fiduciary duties in connection with the consideration of a transaction involving a sale of Susser. Representatives of BofA Merrill Lynch were then invited to join the meeting and participate in the board s discussion of the financial aspects of a potential transaction with ETP. Among other matters, the directors discussed the possibility that Mr. Susser might be asked by ETP to continue with the business in some capacity following any transaction with ETP. Mr. Susser indicated that he would be comfortable not having a continuing role in the event of a sale but that he would be willing to consider continuing in some capacity if that would be helpful in obtaining the best price from a potential buyer. The directors discussed the fact that Mr. Susser (together with entities he controls, or of which his family members are beneficiaries) is the largest stockholder of Susser and concluded that Mr. Susser s

interests are aligned with

interests of stockholders. In order to avoid any appearances of a conflict that might arise, the directors advised Mr. Susser that, while he could indicate to ETP his willingness to consider remaining with the business in some capacity, there should be no discussions of economic terms of any such arrangement unless and until negotiations with respect to price and other key merger agreement terms were concluded.

On February 12, 2014, a representative of BofA Merrill Lynch and Mr. Welch had a phone conversation in which, among other things, the representative of BofA Merrill Lynch, at the direction of the Susser board of directors, informed Mr. Welch that the \$80 to \$82 per share range was insufficient and (based upon prior statements of representatives of ETP that ETP s equity cost of capital could be greater than its debt cost of capital, and that cash was, therefore, a less expensive form of consideration) Susser might consider increasing the percentage of cash in the consideration mix to a 75% cash/25% equity consideration, if reducing the amount of equity consideration would enable ETP to improve the overall offer price.

On February 13, 2014, Mr. Welch contacted a representative of BofA Merrill Lynch and indicated that, based on ETP s analysis of diligence information provided by Susser, including information with respect to potential synergies, ETP would be willing to move forward with a transaction at \$80 per share of Susser common stock and that upon further consideration ETP preferred a 50-50 cash and unit consideration mix. Mr. Welch also summarized certain synergy and other assumptions used by ETP in formulating this revised offer and proposed that the transaction be structured in a manner consistent with the terms reflected in the merger agreement relating to ETP s recent acquisition of Sunoco.

On February 13, 2014, the Susser board of directors met, together with representatives of BofA Merrill Lynch and Gibson Dunn, to discuss ETP s revised proposal. The Susser board of directors discussed their disappointment that ETP had responded with a price at the bottom of their previously indicated range. The consensus of the directors was that \$80 per share appeared to be an attractive price but that, given that this price was at the bottom of the range previously indicated by ETP, and that Susser had provided ETP extensive, detailed non-public information not previously available to ETP to support a higher valuation, any expression of willingness to proceed might weaken Susser s negotiating posture in further negotiations on merger consideration and possibly impede Susser s ability to obtain a favorable outcome on key merger agreement provisions, including deal protections that were included in the Sunoco merger agreement (which agreement ETP proposed to serve as the starting point for negotiations of a merger agreement with Susser).

That day, a representative of BofA Merrill Lynch, at the direction of the Susser board of directors, called Mr. Welch to inform him that Susser's directors were disappointed and surprised with ETP's offer and certain assumptions including synergies and suggested that Susser provide certain supplemental information that might permit ETP to refine or improve its assumptions regarding potential synergies and other potential areas of incremental value. Such supplemental information was provided by Susser to ETP on February 14, 2014.

During the week of February 14, 2014, while ETP s due diligence continued, Susser began conducting reverse due diligence on ETP.

Between February 14 and February 16, 2014, representatives of ETP, Susser and BofA Merrill Lynch participated in multiple calls to discuss financial modeling assumptions, potential transaction synergies and the impact of those assumptions and potential synergies on ETP s offer. In the course of those conversations, Mr. Susser also indicated to Mr. Harkey that while the Sunoco transaction was helpful precedent for framing discussions on the terms of a definitive merger agreement, he could not recommend that the Susser board of directors accept all of the deal protection provisions in the Sunoco merger agreement, such as the termination fee of 4.2% of equity value.

After these discussions, during which ETP indicated its unwillingness to move above \$80 per share, Mr. Susser, in an effort to find a way to get ETP to raise its price, called Mr. Harkey on February 16, 2014 and communicated key terms that, if offered by ETP, would enable Mr. Susser to be in a position to recommend a

transaction to the Susser board of directors. Specifically, Mr. Susser indicated that, if ETP could offer \$80.95 per share, based on a 50-50 split of cash and ETP common units, he personally would be prepared to commit to electing to receive 100% ETP common units in exchange for his Susser stock holdings (to the extent a sufficient number of ETP common units was available after giving effect to any pro-ration mechanism), even though such commitment would deprive Mr. Susser of the flexibility that other Susser stockholders would have and potentially, depending on the trading price of ETP units, could result in Mr. Susser disposing of his Susser shares on terms less favorable than other Susser stockholders. Mr. Susser told Mr. Harkey that, if ETP offered the \$80.95 per share price, Mr. Susser would recommend that the Susser board of directors accept a no-shop covenant, which Susser understood ETP would require . Later that day, Mr. Susser spoke to Mr. Harkey again and was informed that ETP could not make any significant increase in its offer price, indicating that if ETP could increase its per share offer price at all, it could not do so by more than \$0.25.

On February 17, 2014, ETP delivered a diligence request list to Susser and also indicated that it would like to work to target signing a merger agreement the week of March 2, 2014, rather than prior to Susser s February 26, 2014 earnings call. Mr. Bonner and Mr. Mason had a series of telephone conversations regarding the due diligence request list. Mr. Bonner indicated that, given the very limited number of Susser personnel who were aware of discussions occurring between Susser and ETP, the request list was too extensive. Subsequently, on February 19, 2014, ETP sent Susser a more limited due diligence request list.

On February 19, 2014, the board of directors of Susser held a meeting that also was attended by representatives of BofA Merrill Lynch and a representative of Gibson Dunn. At the meeting, the Susser board of directors reviewed the status of discussions with ETP, including the fact that ETP had made no formal increase in its price above \$80 per share. The directors discussed that, while the negotiating team should continue to push for a higher price, a price of \$80 per share appeared to present a highly attractive value proposition for Susser's stockholders, representing a premium of more than 33% over Susser's closing price of \$60.08 on that day. The directors also discussed the requirement expressed by ETP that the merger agreement for any transaction must include a no-shop covenant (rather than a go-shop provision) and a termination fee of not less than 4% of Susser's equity value. Given ETP's offer price, the directors discussed factors that appeared to indicate that the likelihood of a competing offer would be low (but could not be completely ruled out) in the case of a transaction with ETP. The directors discussed with the Gibson Dunn representative advantages and disadvantages of beginning merger agreement negotiations starting from a draft that is based on the Sunoco transaction merger agreement, as proposed by ETP. The directors determined that it would be acceptable to begin merger agreement negotiations on that basis, but that changes to certain key agreement provisions would be necessary.

On the night of February 19, 2014, Vinson & Elkins L.L.P. delivered an initial draft of a merger agreement to Gibson Dunn. Among other things, the draft included a no-shop covenant and a termination fee equal to 4% of Susser equity value. Also on February 19, 2014, Susser management provided ETP with access to a virtual data room which included certain information in response to ETP s diligence requests and delivered to ETP representatives, through a representative of BofA Merrill Lynch, a reverse due diligence request.

On February 20, 2014, members of Susser senior management met in Dallas with members of ETP senior management. Representatives of BofA Merrill Lynch also were in attendance. The meeting was focused on Susser providing additional diligence information to ETP, but ETP also provided certain non-public information to Susser, including information relating to ETP s fuel purchasing costs and capabilities as well as a transaction steps memo, financial forecast and financial model. During breaks from the larger meeting, Mr. Warren and Mr. Susser, and subsequently Mr. Owens, Mr. Harkey, Mr. Susser and Mr. Bonner, spoke about ETP s plans for the operation of Susser s business following any acquisition.

On February 21, 2014, Gibson Dunn delivered to Vinson & Elkins L.L.P. a revised draft of the merger agreement. Among other things, this draft reflected changes to provisions regarding ETP s deal protections, including providing for a 45 day go-shop right and a bifurcated termination fee of 1.75% of equity value in the event of termination of the merger agreement in order for Susser to accept a superior offer from a bidder who

first engaged during the go-shop period and a termination fee of 3.5% of equity value in other cases. On that same day, Vinson & Elkins L.L.P. delivered to Gibson Dunn a draft support agreement that would be required by ETP in connection with the transaction, pursuant to which Mr. Susser and an entity controlled by Mr. Susser would commit to vote as stockholders in favor of the transaction and elect to take 100% ETP units (to the extent available after applicable pro-rations). Members of Susser and ETP management, as well as their respective financial advisors, also participated in a phone call to discuss ETP reverse due diligence information that had been provided.

On February 23, 2014, the Susser Board held a meeting to discuss the proposed transaction. A representative of Gibson Dunn attended the meeting and discussed with the board information regarding certain relationships between BofA Merrill Lynch and ETP and its affiliates, and certain fees received by BofA Merrill Lynch from ETP and its affiliates. After discussion, the Susser board of directors concluded that such relationships and fees did not present a conflict of interest or require the engagement of an additional financial advisor to render a fairness opinion. After such discussion, representatives of BofA Merrill Lynch joined the meeting and delivered a presentation regarding key financial transaction terms, the state of negotiations regarding various transaction issues and certain preliminary valuation matters, as well as an analysis regarding other potential interested bidders. Among other things, it was noted that ETP would be incurring substantial costs in connection with its ongoing evaluation and diligence of the transaction and its impact on ETP which tended to support the view that ETP was committed to consummating the transaction and would be holding a board of directors meeting that night.

On February 25, 2014 representatives of BofA Merrill Lynch had a phone conversation with Mr. Welch in which Mr. Welch indicated that ETP was prepared to continue to move forward toward reaching an agreement on final terms and executing an agreement by March 5, 2014.

Also on February 25, 2014, Susser entered into an engagement letter with BofA Merrill Lynch pursuant to which BofA Merrill Lynch agreed to act as financial advisor to Susser in connection with Susser s consideration of a potential transaction with ETP.

On February 26, 2014, Vinson & Elkins L.L.P. delivered to Gibson Dunn a revised draft of the merger agreement, which, among other things, eliminated the go-shop provision (replacing it with a no-shop covenant) and re-inserted the concept that the termination fee would be 4% of Susser equity value. On the next day, representatives of Vinson & Elkins L.L.P. and Gibson Dunn participated in conference calls to negotiate open issues on the merger agreement and support agreement, a portion of which calls also were attended by representatives of management of ETP and Susser. Although the parties were unable to resolve, during such calls, the open issues regarding whether the merger agreement would include a go-shop provision and regarding the size of the termination fee, the parties were able to resolve previously outstanding issues regarding the content of certain representations and warranties in the merger agreement, the restrictions to be imposed under the merger agreement on the conduct of Susser s business prior to the merger, the terms of the covenant in the merger agreement requiring Susser to provide certain assistance in connection with financing activities of ETP and a provision in the support agreement to permit certain transfers by Mr. Susser and an entity controlled by Mr. Susser of a limited number of shares of Susser common stock for charitable purposes. On March 1, 2014, Gibson Dunn sent Vinson & Elkins L.L.P. revised drafts of the merger agreement and support agreement that reflected such resolved matters and reflected that the parties had not reached resolution as to whether the merger agreement would include a go-shop provision or the size of the termination fee.

On March 3, 2014, Mr. Welch called a representative of BofA Merrill Lynch to convey that ETP needed additional time to evaluate its post-transaction plans for the combined ETP and Susser businesses, including the potential impact of different post-acquisition transactions relating to Susser and its subsidiaries and Sunoco s retail business on ETP s credit metrics. On March 4, 2014, Mr. Warren and Mr. Susser spoke by telephone regarding the status of this evaluation. Mr. Warren indicated that, while some delay would be necessary, he believed that ETP would be able to

complete sufficient analysis and diligence to determine that the proposed

transaction would be credit neutral or credit enhancing with respect to ETP and that Mr. Warren remained entirely supportive of, and committed to, reaching agreement on a transaction with Susser. Mr. Susser informed Mr. Warren that Susser did not intend to continue providing ETP access to diligence materials or to have Susser s lawyers continue to work on documentation regarding a possible transaction until ETP had resolved these matters, had received all final board approvals, and was in a position to quickly finalize and execute an agreement for a transaction that was acceptable to Susser s board of directors.

In a March 18, 2014, telephone conversation among certain ETP senior executives and representatives of BofA Merrill Lynch, ETP discussed ETP s ongoing evaluation of the potential impact of the transaction on ETP s credit rating. At the direction of the Susser board of directors, the BofA Merrill Lynch representatives indicated that Susser did not intend to engage any further regarding a possible transaction unless and until ETP had finalized all necessary matters with respect to these post-closing structural matters and otherwise was in a position to finalize open transaction points very quickly. The parties also discussed that price per share remained unresolved and would need to be settled in order for a merger agreement to be finalized.

From March 24 through 27 2013, representatives of BofA Merrill Lynch and representatives of ETP stayed in regular communication regarding ETP s ongoing diligence with respect to the potential impact of the transaction on its credit rating. Based on discussions regarding the status thereof, Susser agreed to re-engage in merger agreement negotiations and prepared, and delivered to ETP, a revised transaction timeline reflecting announcement of a definitive agreement on April 3, 2014, if all remaining issues could be resolved. On March 28, 2014, Vinson & Elkins L.L.P. delivered a revised draft merger agreement to Gibson Dunn. Over the next several days, representatives of Vinson & Elkins L.L.P. and Gibson Dunn negotiated the open terms of the merger agreement and related documents, excluding certain matters such as deal protection and price per share, which remained as open points for discussion.

On March 31 and April 1, 2014, in a number of calls between Mr. Harkey and Mr. Susser and between Mr. Welch and representatives of BofA Merrill Lynch, ETP communicated that, although it had generally completed its diligence with respect to the potential credit impact of the proposed transaction, and determined the transaction together with post-acquisition plans should be credit enhancing or credit neutral to ETP, it still was not ready to attempt to finalize a transaction with Susser prior to convening another meeting of the board of directors of ETP s general partner in mid-April to discuss the post-transaction restructuring of the Susser and Sunoco retail business units. In the communications on April 1, 2014, ETP disclosed that it needed to complete further diligence around whether completion of the Susser transaction would negatively impact the rating of ETP or that of any of its affiliates in the event that certain unrelated strategic transactions under consideration by affiliates of ETP were consummated.

On April 2, 2014, the Susser board of directors held a meeting at which representatives of BofA Merrill Lynch and a representative of Gibson Dunn were present. The directors concluded that, given continued process issues raised by ETP, they did not have confidence that ETP could finalize a transaction with Susser on a timely basis. The board of directors instructed counsel to deliver a written notice to ETP indicating that discussions were being terminated and requesting that ETP and its representatives return or destroy all Susser confidential information in accordance with the parties confidentiality agreement. Such notice was delivered to ETP that same day.

On April 9, 2014, Mr. Welch called representatives of BofA Merrill Lynch and indicated that ETP and its affiliates had concluded their consideration of the potential impact of unrelated strategic transactions on the proposed transaction with Susser, and ETP wanted to reengage with Susser and attempt to finalize a transaction quickly. Various other phone conversations took place that day in which ETP representatives conveyed a similar message to representatives of Susser. In a call that night with Mr. Welch, a representative of BofA Merrill Lynch, at the direction of the Susser board of directors, informed Mr. Welch that Susser would likely be willing to re-engage and execute a definitive agreement reflecting a no-shop provision and 4.0% termination fee at a \$82.75 price per share. On the

morning of April 10, 2014, Mr. Welch responded that ETP could not offer a price above \$80.25 per share (consisting of a 50/50 split between cash and ETP common units), with the number of ETP common units being based on the volume-weighted average trading price (VWAP) of ETP common units over

the two trading days prior to execution of the merger agreement, but that ETP could reduce the termination fee from 4.0% to 3.75% of Susser s equity value, provided that Susser reimbursed certain expenses (upon certain events of termination) with a cap of \$10 million, and that Susser agreed to a no-shop covenant.

On April 10, 2014, representatives of BofA Merrill Lynch had a number of discussions with Mr. Welch to explore whether there was any flexibility on the part of ETP with respect to price. Among other things, the parties discussed the possibility of calculating the number of ETP common units included in the consideration based on the VWAP of the ETP common units over a longer period of time than two trading days. That evening, Mr. Welch informed a representative of BofA Merrill Lynch that, while there was no flexibility on the part of ETP with respect to the \$80.25 price per share, ETP would be willing to calculate the number of ETP common units to be included in the consideration based on the VWAP of the ETP common units over a 15 trading day period.

On the morning of April 11, 2014, Mr. Susser spoke with a representative of BofA Merrill Lynch, who then had a telephone conversation with Mr. Welch. In that conversation, the BofA Merrill Lynch representative indicated that Mr. Susser informed him that he would be willing to recommend the transaction to the Susser board of directors based on the terms indicated by ETP (including the number of ETP common units being based on a 15 day VWAP), but with the termination fee being 3.5% (rather than 3.75%) of Susser equity value. The parties agreed that Mr. Warren and Mr. Susser should speak directly. Mr. Welch, after conferring with Mr. Warren, subsequently indicated that a 3.5% break-up fee would not be supported by ETP or Mr. Warren. Later that day, Mr. Warren and Mr. Susser spoke by telephone. Mr. Warren stated that he would not be willing to agree to a transaction with Susser under any circumstances with a breakup fee of less than 3.75% of the Susser equity value, but that the other terms discussed by the parties were acceptable to ETP. After discussion, Mr. Susser eventually indicated to Mr. Warren that, subject to the completion of routine reverse due diligence on ETP, including an assessment of its first quarter results of operations, he would recommend that the Susser Board approve the transaction based on the terms proposed by Mr. Warren.

Mr. Susser, in a phone conversation on the evening of April 11, 2014, raised with Mr. Warren that, because ETP was requiring Mr. Susser and an entity controlled by him to enter into a support agreement pursuant to which he and such entity would elect to receive 100% ETP units, and because of his understanding that ETP wanted Mr. Susser to remain with the business in some capacity following any acquisition by ETP, Mr. Susser would need to better understand certain facts regarding ETP s plans for the operation of the business. Mr. Susser invited Mr. Warren to travel to Corpus Christi on April 14, 2014, to visit several Stripes retail stores and Susser s Corpus Christi headquarters and discuss integration and personnel matters.

On April 14, 2014, Mr. Warren and Mr. Harkey traveled to Corpus Christi, where they toured certain Susser facilities and met with Mr. Susser and Mr. Bonner. During this visit, Mr. Warren and Mr. Susser discussed various integration and personnel matters, and Mr. Warren suggested that Mr. Susser and Mr. Owens, the CEO of ETP s Sunoco business, meet in Dallas the next day to further discuss post-closing matters. Mr. Warren also indicated that the boards of various Energy Transfer entities were scheduled to hold meetings on April 21-23, 2014, and that he thought that a merger agreement could be executed and announced shortly thereafter.

Mr. Susser and Mr. Owens traveled to Dallas the next day and, together with Mr. Warren, discussed various matters relating to ETP s plans for the post-transaction operation of Susser and discussed Mr. Susser giving up his role as Chairman, CEO and President of Susser, while remaining Chairman of Susser MLP with a focus on integration, growth strategy (including mergers and acquisitions) and supplier relations. In particular, Mr. Warren assured Mr. Susser that the support center for the combined retail operations would remain in Corpus Christi, Texas and the headquarters for SUSP would remain in Houston, Texas, which Mr. Susser indicated would be important factors in his decision to play a continuing role in the combined company and support the transaction through his entry into the

support agreement.

Between April 23, 2014 and April 25, 2014, representatives of ETP and Susser had a number of discussions to determine the final calculation of the number of ETP common units to be included in the merger

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consideration. On April 23, 2014, at the direction of Susser, BofA Merrill Lynch sent a revised draft of the merger agreement to representatives of ETP.

On April 25, 2014, Mr. Susser called Mr. Warren and told him that he would be prepared to proceed with a Susser board meeting on April 27, 2014 and to recommend to the Susser board of directors that the transaction with ETP be approved. Beginning that evening and continuing until April 27, representatives of Vinson & Elkins L.L.P. and Gibson Dunn worked to negotiate and finalize the remaining provisions of the merger agreement and all related documents.

During the afternoon of April 27, 2014, the Susser board of directors met, with representatives of BofA Merrill Lynch and Gibson Dunn also in attendance. At this meeting, Mr. Susser summarized the process that had occurred with ETP over the past three months and the key economic terms of the proposed transaction with ETP. A representative of Gibson Dunn presented a summary of the material provisions of the merger agreement and delivered a presentation to the directors on their legal and fiduciary duties in connection with decisions and actions with respect to the merger. BofA Merrill Lynch then reviewed with the Susser board of directors their financial analyses of the merger consideration and delivered to the Susser board of directors an oral opinion, confirmed by delivery of a written opinion dated April 27, 2014, to the effect that, as of such date and based on and subject to various assumptions and limitations described in its opinion, the merger consideration to be received by holders of Susser common stock (other than cancelled shares, shares held by direct or indirect wholly owned subsidiaries of Susser, ETP or Merger Sub and any dissenting shares) in the merger was fair, from a financial point of view, to such holders. The directors then discussed the terms of the proposed transaction and the process, including the fact that no market check or other approach to other potential bidders had been made. The directors discussed the risks and other consequences of any pre-signing market valuation check (including the directors understanding that ETP would refuse to proceed if Susser were to engage in any pre-signing market check and that engaging in such a process would reduce the certainty of consummating a transaction while creating the risk of information leaks that could cause management attrition and disruption of Susser s ability to effectively operate its business). The Susser board of directors also discussed the existence of the no-shop covenant and the size of the break-up fee. Following a review and discussion of these and other matters, the Susser board of directors unanimously approved entering into the merger agreement, resolved that the board had determined that the merger agreement and the transactions contemplated thereby are advisable and in the best interests of Susser and its stockholders and resolved to recommend that Susser s stockholders vote in favor of the adoption and approval of the merger agreement and the transactions contemplated thereby.

Later on April 27, 2014, the parties entered into the merger agreement.

Recommendation of Susser s Board of Directors and Reasons for the Merger

By a vote at a meeting held on April 27, 2014, the Susser board of directors unanimously determined that the merger agreement and the transactions contemplated by the merger agreement were advisable and in the best interests of Susser and its stockholders and approved the merger agreement and the transactions contemplated by the merger agreement. The Susser board of directors unanimously recommends that the Susser stockholders vote FOR the proposal at the Susser special meeting to adopt the merger agreement.

In evaluating the proposed transactions, the Susser board of directors consulted with Susser s management and legal and financial advisors and, in reaching its determination and recommendation, the Susser board of directors considered a number of factors. The Susser board of directors also consulted with outside legal counsel regarding its obligations, legal due diligence matters and the terms of the merger agreement.

Many of the factors considered favored the conclusion of the Susser board of directors that the merger agreement and the transactions contemplated by the merger agreement are advisable and in the best interests of Susser and its stockholders, including the following:

The aggregate value and composition of the merger consideration to be received by Susser stockholders in the merger.

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That the merger agreement provides Susser stockholders with the ability to choose to receive the unit election or the cash election for their shares of Susser common stock (subject to proration) and that, following the merger, Susser stockholders will have the opportunity to participate in the equity value of the combined company following the proposed transactions, including the future growth and expected synergies at the combined company, while at the same time providing immediate value through the cash component of the merger consideration.

That the merger consideration with a value of \$80.60 per share of Susser common stock, based upon the closing price of ETP common units on April 25, 2014 (the last trading date before the date of the merger agreement), represented a premium of:

41.3% to the closing price of Susser common stock on the same date;

18.9% to the highest closing price of Susser common stock during the 52 weeks prior to such date; and

44% to the average closing price of Susser common stock for the year prior to such date.

Uncertainties regarding the stockholder value that might result from other alternatives available to Susser, including the alternative of entering into a transaction with another third party or remaining an independent public company, in each case, considering the potential for Susser stockholders to share in any future earnings growth of Susser s businesses and continued costs, as well as the risks and uncertainties associated with its business plans or any alternative thereto and the ability to achieve a higher valuation than the proposed transaction.

The belief of the Susser board of directors that the shared core values of the two companies, including those of safety, employee development, ethics, operational excellence and customer satisfaction, would assist in integration of the companies and enhance customer service going forward.