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**INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * <u>Purgason Robert S</u>  (Last) (First) (Middle) <u>C/O CROSSTEX ENERGY, L.P.</u> <u>2501 CEDAR SPRINGS, SUITE 100</u>  (Street) <u>DALLAS TX 75201</u>  (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year) <u>11/16/2006</u>	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>CROSSTEX ENERGY LP [ XTEX ]</u>	
		4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  Director _____ 10% Owner _____ <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below) _____ <u>Exec. Vice President &amp; COO</u>	5. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)  6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person <input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
Common Shares	4,286 <sup>(2)</sup>	D	
Common Shares	5,797 <sup>(3)</sup>	D	

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

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	5. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date				
Common Unit Option	(1)	10/04/2014	Common Units	10,000	30	D

**Explanation of Responses:**

- 25% of this option vests on October 4, 2007, 25% vests on October 4, 2008, and 50% vests on October 4, 2009.
- This is a grant of restricted units under the company's long term incentive plan which will vest on January 1, 2008.
- This is a grant of restricted units under the company's long term incentive plan which will vest on January 1, 2009.

Barry E. Davis, Power of Attorney 12/12/2006

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

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

\*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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