

**UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

**Washington, D.C. 20549**

**SCHEDULE 13G**

**INFORMATION TO BE INCLUDED IN STATEMENTS FILED  
PURSUANT TO RULES 13d-1(b), (c), AND (d) AND AMENDMENTS  
THERE TO FILED PURSUANT TO RULE 13d-2  
(Amendment No. )\***

**Constellation Energy Partners LLC**

(Name of Issuer)

Common Units

(Title of Class of Securities)

21038E101

(CUSIP Number)

July 18, 2011

(Date of Event Which Requires Filing of this Statement)

Check the appropriate box to designate the rule pursuant to which this Schedule is filed:

☐ Rule 13d-1(b)

☒ Rule 13d-1(c)

☐ Rule 13d-1(d)

\* The remainder of this cover page shall be filled out for a reporting person's initial filing on this form with respect to the subject class of securities, and for any subsequent amendment containing information which would alter the disclosures provided in a prior cover page.

The information required in the remainder of this cover page shall not be deemed to be "filed" for the purpose of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 ("Act") or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section of the Act but shall be subject to all other provisions of the Act (however, see the Notes).

1	NAMES OF REPORTING PERSONS  Essex Equity Capital Management, LLC		
2	CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP  (a) <input type="radio"/> (b) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
3	SEC USE ONLY		
4	CITIZEN OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION  Delaware		
NUMBER OF SHARES BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON WITH	5	SOLE VOTING POWER  1,133,299	
	6	SHARED VOTING POWER  0	
	7	SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER  1,133,299	
	8	SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER  0	
9	AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON  1,219,006		
10	CHECK IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES  <input type="radio"/>		
11	PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW 9  5.12%		
12	TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON  IA, HC		

1	NAMES OF REPORTING PERSONS  Richmond Hill Investment Co., LP		
2	CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP  (a) <input type="radio"/> (b) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
3	SEC USE ONLY		
4	CITIZEN OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION  Delaware		
NUMBER OF SHARES BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON WITH	5	SOLE VOTING POWER  0	
	6	SHARED VOTING POWER  85,707	
	7	SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER  0	
	8	SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER  85,707	
9	AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON  1,219,006		
10	CHECK IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES  <input type="radio"/>		
11	PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW 9  5.12%		
12	TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON  IA, PN		

1	NAMES OF REPORTING PERSONS  Richmond Hill Capital Management, LLC		
2	CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP  (a) <input type="radio"/> (b) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
3	SEC USE ONLY		
4	CITIZEN OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION  Delaware		
NUMBER OF SHARES BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON WITH	5	SOLE VOTING POWER  0	
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9	AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON  1,219,006		
10	CHECK IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES  <input type="radio"/>		
11	PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW 9  5.12%		
12	TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON  HC, OO		

1	NAMES OF REPORTING PERSONS  Richmond Hill Advisors, LLC		
2	CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP  (a) <input type="radio"/> (b) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
3	SEC USE ONLY		
4	CITIZEN OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION  Delaware		
NUMBER OF SHARES BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON WITH	5	SOLE VOTING POWER  0	
	6	SHARED VOTING POWER  85,707	
	7	SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER  0	
	8	SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER  85,707	
9	AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON  1,219,006		
10	CHECK IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES  <input type="radio"/>		
11	PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW 9  5.12%		
12	TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON  HC, OO		

1	NAMES OF REPORTING PERSONS Ryan P. Taylor		
2	CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP (a) <input type="radio"/> (b) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
3	SEC USE ONLY		
4	CITIZEN OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION U.S.		
NUMBER OF SHARES BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON WITH	5	SOLE VOTING POWER 85,707	
	6	SHARED VOTING POWER 0	
	7	SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER 85,707	
	8	SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER 0	
9	AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON 1,219,006		
10	CHECK IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES <input type="radio"/>		
11	PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW 9 5.12%		
12	TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON IN, HC		

**Item 1(a). Name of Issuer:**

Constellation Energy Partners LLC

**Item 1(b). Address of Issuer's Principal Executive Offices:**

1801 Main Street  
Suite 1300  
Houston, TX 77002

**Item 2(a). Name of Person Filing:**

Essex Equity Capital Management, LLC, Richmond Hill Investment Co., LP, Richmond Hill Capital Management LLC, Richmond Hill Advisors, LLC and Ryan P. Taylor. Essex Equity Capital Management, LLC is the investment advisor and control person of Essex Equity Joint Investment Vehicle, LLC, the holder of 1,133,299 common units of the Issuer. Ryan P. Taylor is the control person of each of Richmond Hill Advisors, LLC and Richmond Hill Capital Management LLC, which is the control person of Richmond Hill Investment Co., LP. Richmond Hill Investment Co., LP is the investment advisor, and Richmond Hill Advisors, LLC is the general partner, of Richmond Hill Capital Partners, LP, the holder of 85,707 common units of the Issuer.

**Item 2(b). Address of Principal Business Office or, if none, Residence:**

375 Hudson Street 12th Floor  
New York, NY 10014

**Item 2(c). Citizenship:**

See the response(s) to Item 4 on the attached cover page(s).

**Item 2(d). Title of Class of Securities:**

Common Units

**Item 2(e). CUSIP Number:**

21038E101

**Item 3. If this statement is filed pursuant to §§240.13d-1(b) or 240.13d-2(b) or (c), check whether the person filing is a:**

Not Applicable

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**Item 4. Ownership.**

Provide the following information regarding the aggregate number and percentage of the class of securities of the issuer identified in Item 1:

- (a) Amount Beneficially owned: See the response(s) to Item 9 on the attached cover page(s).
- (b) Percent of Class: See the response(s) to Item 11 on the attached cover page(s), which was determined by dividing the number of shares beneficially held by the Reporting Persons by 23,788,300, the number of shares of common stock issued and outstanding as reported in the Issuer's Form 10-Q filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on May 6, 2011.
- (c) Number of shares as to which the person has:
  - (i) Sole power to vote or to direct the vote:  
See the response(s) to Item 5 on the attached cover page(s).
  - (ii) Shared power to vote or to direct the vote:  
See the response(s) to Item 6 on the attached cover page(s).
  - (iii) Sole power to dispose or to direct the disposition of:  
See the response(s) to Item 7 on the attached cover page(s).
  - (iv) Shared power to dispose or to direct the disposition of:  
See the response(s) to Item 8 on the attached cover page(s).

**Item 5. Ownership of Five Percent or Less of a Class.**

Not Applicable.

**Item 6. Ownership of More Than Five Percent on Behalf of Another Person.**

Not Applicable.

**Item 7. Identification and Classification of the Subsidiary Which Acquired the Security Being Reported on by the Parent Holding Company or Control Person.**

Not Applicable.

**Item 8. Identification and Classification of Members of the Group.**

Not Applicable.

**Item 9. Notice of Dissolution of Group.**

Not Applicable.

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**Item 10. Certifications.**

By signing below I certify that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the securities referred to above were not acquired and are not held for the purpose of or with the effect of changing or influencing the control of the issuer of the securities and were not acquired and are not held in connection with or as a participant in any transaction having that purpose or effect.

**SIGNATURE**

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, I certify that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

**DATE:** July 28, 2011

**ESSEX EQUITY CAPITAL MANAGEMENT, LLC**

By: /s/ JOHN LIU  
Name: John Liu  
Title: Chief Executive Officer

**RICHMOND HILL INVESTMENT CO., LP**

By: /s/ RYAN P. TAYLOR  
Name: Ryan P. Taylor  
Title: Managing Partner

**RICHMOND HILL CAPITAL MANAGEMENT, LLC**

By: /s/ RYAN P. TAYLOR  
Name: Ryan P. Taylor  
Title: Managing Member

**RICHMOND HILL ADVISORS, LLC**

By: /s/ RYAN P. TAYLOR  
Name: Ryan P. Taylor  
Title: Managing Member

/s/ RYAN P. TAYLOR  
Ryan P. Taylor