

Penn Virginia GP Holdings, L.P.

Form 4

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934,  
Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section  
30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
VAN RODEN JOHN C JR

(Last) (First) (Middle)

FIVE RADNOR CORPORATE  
CENTER, 100 MATSONFORD RD,  
SUITE 500

(Street)

RADNOR, PA 19087

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
Penn Virginia GP Holdings, L.P.  
[PVG]3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
03/10/20114. If Amendment, Date Original  
Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

☒ Director ☐ 10% Owner  
☐ Officer (give title below) ☐ Other (specify below)6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
☒ Form filed by One Reporting Person  
☐ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Units	03/10/2011		D	500	D 1 0	D	

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

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(9-02)**Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned  
(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)**

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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. P Der Secr (Ins
				Code V (A) (D)		Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Deferred Common Units	<u>(1)</u>	03/10/2011		D	23,223	<u>(1)</u> <u>(1)</u>	Common Units	23,223

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships
	Director 10% Owner Officer Other
VAN RODEN JOHN C JR FIVE RADNOR CORPORATE CENTER 100 MATSONFORD RD, SUITE 500 RADNOR, PA 19087	X

## Signatures

/s/ Marci K. Donnelly, as power of attorney

03/14/2011

\_\_Signature of Reporting Person Date

## Explanation of Responses:

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).
  - \*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. *See* 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- The common units of the Issuer ("PVG Units") were disposed of effective March 10, 2011, in connection with the completion of the matters contemplated by the Agreement and Plan of Merger (the "Merger Agreement") dated as of September 21, 2010 by and among
- (1) Penn Virginia Resource Partners, L.P. ("PVR"), PVR's general partner, PVR Radnor, LLC, the Issuer and its general partner. Pursuant to the Merger Agreement, each PVG Unit held by the reporting person was exchanged for 0.98 common units of PVR and each deferred PVG Unit held was exchanged for 0.98 deferred common units of PVR.

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