

Crestview Partners III GP, L.P.
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FORM 4

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 Crestview Partners III GP, L.P.

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 NORTHERN OIL & GAS, INC.
 [NOG]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

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

____ Director
 ____ Officer (give title below)
 10% Owner
 ____ Other (specify below)

C/O CRESTVIEW PARTNERS, 590
 MADISON AVENUE, 36TH
 FLOOR

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

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

NEW YORK, NY 10022

(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
				(A) or (D)	Price					
				Code	V	Amount				
Common Stock	01/17/2019		S		268,000	D	2.55 <u>(3)</u>	44,144,982	I	See Footnotes (1) (2)
Common Stock	01/18/2019		S		365,000	D	2.77 <u>(4)</u>	43,779,982	I	See Footnotes (1) (2)
Common Stock	01/22/2019		S		126,136	D	2.68 <u>(5)</u>	43,653,846	I	See Footnotes (1) (2)

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__Signature of Reporting Person

Date

By: W Energy Partners LLC, By: /s/ Shane Hannabury, President

01/22/2019

__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).
Represents shares of Common Stock of the Issuer directly held by W Energy Partners LLC. Crestview W2 Holdings, L.P., in its capacity as a member of W Energy Partners LLC, may be deemed to have beneficial ownership of the shares of Common Stock directly held by W Energy Partners LLC. Crestview Partners III GP, L.P. exercises voting and dispositive power over the shares of Common Stock beneficially owned by Crestview W2 Holdings, L.P., which decisions are made by the investment committee of Crestview Partners III GP, L.P.
- (1) Each Reporting Person disclaims beneficial ownership of the reported securities except to the extent of its pecuniary interest therein.
The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. The reported securities were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$2.51 to \$2.60. The reporting person undertakes to provide to the issuer, any security holder of the issuer or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within such range.
- (2) The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. The reported securities were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$2.60 to \$2.84. The reporting person undertakes to provide to the issuer, any security holder of the issuer or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within such range.
- (3) The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. The reported securities were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$2.63 to \$2.73. The reporting person undertakes to provide to the issuer, any security holder of the issuer or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within such range.
- (4) The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. The reported securities were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$2.63 to \$2.73. The reporting person undertakes to provide to the issuer, any security holder of the issuer or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within such range.
- (5) The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. The reported securities were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$2.63 to \$2.73. The reporting person undertakes to provide to the issuer, any security holder of the issuer or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within such range.

Remarks:

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