ALLIANCE RESOURCE PARTNERS LP Form 3 July 31, 2006 FORM 3 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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1. Name and A Person <u>*</u> Fouch Re		eporting	2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year)	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ALLIANCE RESOURCE PARTNERS LP [ARLP]					
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	07/31/2006	4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)			
1717 S. BO 400	ULDER,Â	SUITE		(Check all applicable)					
TULSA, ((Street) DKÂ 7411	9		Director10% Owner XOfficerOther (give title below) (specify below) Vice President Controller		6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - N	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned					
1.Title of Secu (Instr. 4)	rity		2. Amount o Beneficially (Instr. 4)		3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nat Owne (Instr.	*		
Reminder: Rep owned directly	-		ach class of securities benefic	ially	SEC 1473 (7-02)			
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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (<i>e.g.</i> , 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	5. Ownership Form of Derivative	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date		Amount or Number of Shares	Derivative Security	Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	

(Instr. 5)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Fouch Robert J 1717 S. BOULDER SUITE 400 TULSA, OK 74119	Â	Â	Vice President Controller	Â		
Signatures						

/s/ Robert J. Fouch by Megan Cordle, pursuant to power of attorney dated July 27, 07/31/2006

<u>**</u>Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

No securities are beneficially owned

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

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