FORM 3

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington, D.C. 20549

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## INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

		I				(a) of the Securities Exchan e Investment Company Act		1934			
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  Warwick Royalty & Mineral  Master Fund LP			2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year) 11/01/2023		3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Viper Energy, Inc. [ VNOM ]						
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O WARWICK CAPITAL					-   1	4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  Director X 10% Owner			5. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)		
PARTNERS LLP 86 DUKE OF YORK SQUARE, 3RD FLOOR						Officer (give title below)	Other (specify below)		Individual or Joint/Group Filing     (Check Applicable Line)     Form filed by One Reporting     Person		
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		Та	ble I - Non	-Deriva	tiv	e Securities Benefic	ially O	wned			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)						Amount of Securities eneficially Owned (Instr.	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)		4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)		
Class A Common Stock					9,018,760		[	See Footnote <sup>(1)</sup>			
						Securities Beneficia ts, options, converti			5)		
, , ,			2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		ıd	3. Title and Amount of Se Underlying Derivative Se (Instr. 4)	curity Con		ersion ercise	5. Ownership Form:	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr.
			Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	on	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Price of Derivation Security	tive	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	5)
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Name and Address of Reporting Person*     Burgess Ian								
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## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. The reported securities are held directly by Warwick Royalty and Mineral Master Fund LP ("Master Fund"). Warwick Royalty and Mineral Fund GP Limited ("Fund GP") is the general partner of Master Fund. Alfredo Mattera and Ian Burgess share the power to make voting and investment decisions with regard to Fund GP. As such, each of Messrs. Mattera and Burgess may be deemed to beneficially own the reported securities.

> Warwick Royalty and Mineral Master Fund LP,

By: Warwick Royalty and 11/13/2023 Mineral Fund GP Limited

Its: General Partner By: /s/ Ralph Woodford, Director

/s/ Alfredo Mattera 11/13/2023 /s/ Ian Burgess 11/13/2023

\*\* Signature of Reporting Date Person

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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