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Institutional Investment Manager Filing this Report:

Name: STEEL PARTNERS HOLDINGS L.P. Address: 590 MADISON AVENUE, 32ND FLOOR

NEW YORK, NY 10022

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The institutional investment manager filing this report and the person by whom it is signed hereby represent that the person signing the report is authorized to submit it, that all information contained herein is true, correct and complete, and that it is understood that all required items, statements, schedules, lists, and tables, are considered integral parts of this form.

Person Signing this Report on Behalf of Reporting Manager:

Name: Jack L. Howard

Title: President of General Partner of Reporting

Manager

Phone: 212-520-2300 Signature, Place, and Date of Signing:

/s/ Jack L. Howard New York, NY 02-14-2017

[Signature] [City, State] [Date]

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Report Summary:

Number of Other Included Managers: 3
Form 13F Information Table Entry
Total: 7

Form 13F Information Table Value 360,546

Total:

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Provide a numbered list of the name(s) and Form 13F file number(s) of all institutional investment managers with respect to which this report is filed, other than the manager filing this report.

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1 028-14563 SPH Group Holdings LLC

2 028-14887 SPH Group LLC

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NAME OF ISSUER	TITLE OF CLASS	CUSIP	(x\$1000)	PRN AMT	PRN	CALL	DISCRETION	MANAGER	SOLE	SHARED	NONE
Aerojet Rocketdyne Holdings In	COM	007800105	75,049	4,180,997	SH		OTR	1, 2, 3	0	4,180,997	0
Aviat Networks Inc	СОМ	05366Y201	9,269	670,240	SH		OTR	1, 2, 3	0	670,240	0
Handy & Harman Ltd	СОМ	410315105	224,878	8,801,474	SH		OTR	1, 2, 3	0	8,801,474	0
HC2 Holdings Inc	СОМ	404139107	5,930	1,000,000	SH		OTR	1, 2, 3	0	1,000,000	0
ModusLink Global Solutions Inc	СОМ	60786L206	26,547	18,182,705	SH		OTR	1, 2, 3	0	18,182,705	0
MLNK 5 1/4 03/01/19	NOTE	60786LAB3	4,350	5,000,000	PRN		OTR	1, 2, 3	0	5,000,000	0
Steel Partners Holdings LP	LTD PRTRSHIP U	85814R107	14,523	936,968	SH		OTR	1, 2, 3	0	936,968	0