### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

#### **SCHEDULE 13D**

(Rule 13d-101)

### INFORMATION TO BE INCLUDED IN STATEMENTS FILED PURSUANT TO § 240.13d-1(a) AND AMENDMENTS THERETO FILED PURSUANT TO § 240.13d-2(a)

(Amendment No. 20)1

Steel Partners Holdings L.P. (Name of Issuer)

<u>Common Units, no par value</u> (Title of Class of Securities)

> <u>85814R107</u> (CUSIP Number)

WARREN G. LICHTENSTEIN Steel Partners, Ltd. 590 Madison Avenue, 32<sup>nd</sup> Floor New York, New York 10022 (212) 520-2300 (Name, Address and Telephone Number of Person Authorized to Receive Notices and Communications)

September 1, 2024 (Date of Event Which Requires Filing of This Statement)

If the filing person has previously filed a statement on Schedule 13G to report the acquisition that is the subject of this Schedule 13D, and is filing this schedule because of 240.13d-1(e), 240.13d-1(f) or 240.13d-1(g), check the following box  $\square$ .

*Note:* Schedules filed in paper format shall include a signed original and five copies of the schedule, including all exhibits. *See* § 240.13d-7 for other parties to whom copies are to be sent.

The remainder of this cover page shall be filled out for a reporting person's initial filing on this form with respect to the subject class of securities, and for any subsequent amendment containing information which would alter disclosures provided in a prior cover page.

The information required on the remainder of this cover page shall not be deemed to be "filed" for the purpose of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 ("Act") or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section of the Act but shall be subject to all other provisions of the Act (however, *see* the *Notes*).

1	1 NAME OF REPORTING PERSON			
	WGL CAPITAL LLC			
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NUMBER OF	7	SOLE VOTING POWER		
SHARES BENEFICIALLY		- 0 -		
OWNED BY	8	SHARED VOTING POWER		
EACH REPORTING		1,485,000		
PERSON WITH	9	SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER		
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		1,485,000		
11	AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON			
	1,485,000			
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PERSON WITH	9	SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER	
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PERSON WITH	9	SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER		
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		B. LICHTENSTEIN		
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BENEFICIALLY		793,636		
OWNED BY	8	SHARED VOTING POWER		
EACH				
REPORTING		8,770,815		
PERSON WITH	9	SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER		
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		8,770,815		
11	AGGREGATE AN	40UNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON		
	9,564,451			
12	CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (11) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES			
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	49.8%			
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	JACK L. HC			
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SHARES				
BENEFICIALLY		6,027,752		
OWNED BY	8	SHARED VOTING POWER		
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11	AGGREGATE AM	10UNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON		
	6,142,546			
12	CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (11) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES			
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	32.0%			
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	EMH HOWARD LLC			
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NUMBER OF	7	SOLE VOTING POWER		
SHARES				
BENEFICIALLY		- 0 -		
OWNED BY EACH	8	SHARED VOTING POWER		
REPORTING		114,794		
PERSON WITH	9	SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER		
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	10	SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER		
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	114,794			
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13	PERCENT OF CL	ASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (11)		
15	13 PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (11)			
	LESS THAN 1%			
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The following constitutes Amendment No. 20 to the Schedule 13D filed by the undersigned ("Amendment No. 20"). This Amendment No. 20 amends the Schedule 13D as specifically set forth herein. This Amendment No. 20 is being filed to report a change of more than 1% in beneficial ownership of the Common Units outstanding that was triggered solely from a reduction in the number of Common Units outstanding.

#### Item 5. <u>Interest in Securities of the Issuer</u>.

Items 5(a) - (c) are hereby amended and restated to read as follows:

(a) The aggregate percentage of Common Units reported owned by each person named herein is based upon 19,207,699 Common Units outstanding as of September 3, 2024 based on information provided by the Issuer.

Specifically, on September 1, 2024, Steel Excel, Inc., a wholly owned subsidiary of the Issuer ("Steel Excel"), entered into a purchase agreement with Hale Partnership Fund, L.P. and related parties (the "Hale Entities") pursuant to which Steel Excel purchased an aggregate of 1,267,803 Common Units from the Hale Entities for a purchase price of \$50.00 per unit (the "Share Repurchase"). As a result of the Share Repurchase, the Issuer's outstanding Common Units decreased to 19,207,699.

As of the close of business on the date hereof, WGL owned directly 1,485,000 Common Units, constituting approximately 7.7% of the Common Units outstanding. By virtue of their relationship with WGL discussed in further detail in Item 2, each of SPL and Warren G. Lichtenstein may be deemed to beneficially own the Common Units owned directly by WGL.

As of the close of business on the date hereof, SPL owned directly 5,279,428 Common Units, constituting approximately 27.5% of the Common Units outstanding. By virtue of his relationship with SPL discussed in further detail in Item 2, Warren G. Lichtenstein may be deemed to beneficially own the Common Units owned directly by SPL.

As of the close of business on the date hereof, SPH SPV owned directly 2,006,387 Common Units, constituting approximately 10.4% of the Common Units outstanding. By virtue of his relationship with SPH SPV discussed in further detail in Item 2, Warren G. Lichtenstein may be deemed to beneficially own the Common Units owned directly by SPH SPV.

As of the close of business on the date hereof, Warren G. Lichtenstein owned directly 793,636 Common Units, constituting approximately 4.1% of the Common Units outstanding, which, together with the Common Units owned directly by WGL, SPL and SPH SPV that Mr. Lichtenstein may also be deemed to beneficially own, constitute approximately 49.8% of the Common Units outstanding.

As of the close of business on the date hereof, EMH owned directly 114,794 Common Units, constituting less than 1% of the Common Units outstanding. By virtue of his relationship with EMH discussed in further detail in Item 2, Jack L. Howard may be deemed to beneficially own the Common Units owned directly by EMH.

As of the close of business on the date hereof, Jack L. Howard owned: (i) directly 2,071,621 Common Units, constituting approximately 10.8% of the Common Units outstanding, and (ii) indirectly, through trusts of which Mr. Howard is trustee, 3,956,130 Common Units, constituting approximately 20.6% of the Common Units outstanding, which, together with the Common Units owned directly by EMH that Mr. Howard may also be deemed to beneficially own, constitute approximately 32.0% of the Common Units outstanding. Mr. Howard's direct ownership of securities of the Issuer reported herein includes securities held by an entity that is 100% owned by him.

The Common Units reported as beneficially owned by the Reporting Persons in this statement exclude 23,312.5 Common Units owned directly by certain adult family members of Warren G. Lichtenstein and Jack L. Howard. Messrs. Lichtenstein and Howard do not have voting or dispositive power over such Common Units and specifically disclaim beneficial ownership of such Common Units.

Absent banking regulatory approval, voting rights are forfeited with respect to all Common Units in excess of 9.9%, and such Common Units may not be voted on any matter and will not be considered to be outstanding when sending notices of a meeting of unitholders (unless otherwise required by law), calculating required votes, determining the presence of a quorum or for other similar purposes.

Mr. Lichtenstein holds directly 416,948 6.0% Series A Preferred Units of the Issuer (the "Preferred Units"), Mr. Howard holds directly 114,516 Preferred Units and EMH holds directly 87,649 Preferred Units. The Preferred Units currently do not have voting rights and may only be converted to Common Units in the Issuer's discretion. Accordingly, Mr. Lichtenstein, Mr. Howard and EMH are not deemed to beneficially own the Common Units underlying their Preferred Units.

(b) Each of WGL, SPL and Warren G. Lichtenstein may be deemed to have shared power to vote and dispose of the Common Units reported in this Schedule 13D owned directly by WGL. Each of SPL and Mr. Lichtenstein may be deemed to have shared power to vote and dispose of the Common Units reported in this Schedule 13D owned directly by SPL. Each of SPH SPV and Mr. Lichtenstein may be deemed to have shared power to vote and dispose of the Common Units reported in this Schedule 13D owned directly by SPL. Each of SPH SPV. Mr. Lichtenstein has the sole power to vote and dispose of the Common Units reported in this Schedule 13D owned directly by SPH SPV. Mr. Lichtenstein has the sole power to vote and dispose of the Common Units reported in this Schedule 13D owned directly by him.

Each of EMH and Jack L. Howard may be deemed to have shared power to vote and dispose of the Common Units reported in this Schedule 13D owned directly by EMH. Mr. Howard has the sole power to vote and dispose of the Common Units reported in this Schedule 13D owned directly by him. As trustee of the trusts, Mr. Howard has the sole power to vote and dispose of the Common Units reported in this Schedule 13D owned indirectly by him through the trusts.

The filing of this Schedule 13D shall not be deemed an admission that the Reporting Persons are, for purposes of Section 13(d) of the Exchange Act, the beneficial owners of any Common Units he or it does not directly own. Each of the Reporting Persons specifically disclaims beneficial ownership of the Common Units reported herein that he or it does not directly own.

(c) There were no transactions in securities of the Issuer by the Reporting Persons during the past 60 days.

#### SIGNATURES

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of his knowledge and belief, the undersigned certifies that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

Dated: September 4, 2024

#### WGL CAPITAL LLC

By: /s/ Maria Reda

Name:	Maria Reda
Title:	Attorney-in-Fact for Jack L. Howard

#### STEEL PARTNERS, LTD.

By: /s/ Jason Wong Name: Jason Wong Title: CFO

#### SPH SPV-I LLC

- By: Warren G. Lichtenstein, Managing Member
- By: /s/ Maria Reda Name: Maria Reda Title: Attorney-in-Fact for Warren G. Lichtenstein

#### WARREN G. LICHTENSTEIN

/s/ Maria Reda Maria Reda as Attorney-in-Fact for Warren G. Lichtenstein

#### EMH HOWARD, LLC

/s/ Maria Reda Name: Maria Reda Title: Attorney-in-Fact for Jack L. Howard

#### /s/ Maria Reda

By:

Maria Reda as Attorney-in-Fact for Jack L. Howard