North American Energy Partners Inc. Form 6-K January 19, 2018

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

#### Form 6-K

## REPORT OF FOREIGN PRIVATE ISSUER PURSUANT TO RULE 13a-16 OR 15d-16 UNDER THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the month of January 2018

Commission File Number: 001-33161

#### NORTH AMERICAN ENERGY PARTNERS INC.

(Translation of registrant's name into English)

Suite 300 18817 Stony Plain Road Edmonton, Alberta Canada T5S 0C2 (Address of principal executive office)

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant files or will file annual reports under cover of Form 20-F or Form 40-F. Form 20-F [ ] Form 40-F [ X ]
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Yes [ ] No [X]
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Documents Included as Part of this Report

No. News Release

99.1 North American Energy Partners Year End and Fourth Quarter Results Conference Call and Webcast

**Notification** 

#### **SIGNATURES**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

#### NORTH AMERICAN ENERGY PARTNERS INC.

Date: January 18, 2018

By: /s/ Martin Ferron

Name: Martin Ferron

Title: Chairman and Chief Executive Officer

CAN SECURITIES GROUP LLC, 220 EAST 42ND STREET, SUITE 3105 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/29/2010

(Street)

NEW YORK, NY 10017 4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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 - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owne
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1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	omr Dispose (Instr. 3, 4	ed of	5) Price	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)
Common Stock	11/29/2010		S	3,000	D	\$ 57.5262 (2)	284,157	Ι	By Trust
Common Stock							80,505	D	
Common Stock							1,200	I	By Adult Child (3)
Common Stock							30,000	I	By Trust
Common Stock							1,800	I	By Adult Child (5)

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Dr.Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price Derivat Security (Instr. 5
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Stock Option	\$ 21.094					<u>(6)</u>	07/21/2011	Common Stock	5,250	
Stock Option	\$ 25.2867					<u>(7)</u>	04/26/2012	Common Stock	3,900	
Stock Option	\$ 33.2667					(8)	04/25/2013	Common Stock	3,645	
Stock Option	\$ 36.44					(9)	04/23/2014	Common Stock	4,240	
Stock Option	\$ 48.6					(10)	04/22/2015	Common Stock	3,630	
Stock Option	\$ 32.71					(11)	04/22/2016	Common Stock	3,920	

### **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
topotting of their tallier, reduces	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
VARET ELIZEBETH R AMERICAN SECURITIES GROUP LLC 220 EAST 42ND STREET, SUITE 3105 NEW YORK, NY 10017	X					
Signatures						

/s/Kathryn E. Sena, attorney-in-fact for Ms. 11/30/2010 Varet

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

Reporting Owners 4

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).
- (1) Held by trust of which the reporting person is a co-trustee or co-beneficiary.
- The shares were sold at prices ranging from \$57.50 to \$57.57 per share. Upon request by the SEC staff, the issuer or any security holder of the issuer, the reporting person will provide information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.
- (3) The reporting person is a managing member of the limited liability company which holds the securities for the benefit of the reporting person's adult child. The reporting person disclaims any beneficial ownership of these securities.
- (4) These shares are held in a trust for the benefit of the reporting person's spouse. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of these securities.
- (5) The reporting person has a power of attorney over the securities. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of these securities.
- (6) The stock options will become exercisable in four equal annual installments beginning on July 22, 2005.
- (7) The stock options will become exercisable in four equal annual installments beginning on April 27, 2006.
- (8) The stock options will become exercisable in four equal annual installments beginning on April 26, 2007.
- (9) The stock options will become exercisable in four equal annual installments beginning on April 24, 2008.
- (10) The stock options will become exercisable in four equal annual installments beginning on April 23, 2009.
- (11) The stock options will become exercisable in four equal annual installments beginning on April 23, 2010.

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