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> Re: Summit Midstream Partners, LP Registration Statement on Form S-3 Filed November 19, 2019 File No. 333-234781

## Dear Mr. Deneke:

We have limited our review of your registration statement to those issues we have

addressed in our comments. In some of our comments, we may ask you to provide us with

information so we may better understand your disclosure.

Please respond to this letter by amending your registration statement and providing the  $\,$ 

requested information. If you do not believe our comments apply to your facts and

circumstances or do not believe an amendment is appropriate, please tell us why in your response.

After reviewing any amendment to your registration statement and the information you provide in response to these comments, we may have additional comments.

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## **Exhibits**

1. We note that your forum selection provision in your amended and restated agreement of  $\ensuremath{\mathsf{I}}$ 

limited partnership (Section 16.9) identifies the Court of Chancery of the State of

Delaware as the exclusive forum for certain litigation, including claims brought in a  $\,$ 

derivative manner. We also note your risk factor entitled "Our Partnership Agreement

designates the Court of Chancery..." on page 53 of your Form 10-K for the fiscal year  $\,$ 

ended December 31, 2018, which discloses certain risks from the provision. Please revise  $\,$ 

your prospectus to disclose whether this provision applies to actions arising under the  $\ensuremath{\mbox{}}$ 

Securities Act or Exchange Act. In that regard, we note that Section 27 of the Exchange

Act creates exclusive federal jurisdiction over all suits brought to enforce any duty or

liability created by the Exchange Act or the rules and regulations thereunder, and Section

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22 of the Securities Act creates concurrent jurisdiction for federal and state courts over all

suits brought to enforce any duty or liability created by the Securities  $\operatorname{\mathsf{Act}}$  or the rules and

regulations thereunder. If the provision applies to Securities  $\mbox{\it Act}$  claims, please also revise

your prospectus to include related risk factor disclosure, and to state that there is  $% \left( 1\right) =\left( 1\right) +\left( 1$ 

uncertainty as to whether a court would enforce such provision and that investors cannot

waive compliance with the federal securities laws and the rules and regulations

thereunder.

## General

2. We note your disclosure on your prospectus cover page that among the

securities that may

be offered pursuant to this registration statement, Summit Midstream Partners, LP may

offer and sell debt securities. We also note that footnote 1 to your registration fee table  $\begin{array}{c} \\ \\ \end{array}$ 

indicates that you are registering an indeterminate amount of debt securities of Summit

 $\,$  Midstream Partners, LP. However, you have not provided a description of such debt in

the prospectus, and have not filed as an exhibit an indenture governing the terms of such  $% \left( 1\right) =\left( 1\right) +\left( 1\right) +$ 

debt. Please revise. For guidance, consider Interpretations 201.02 and 201.04 of our

 $\,$  Trust Indenture Act of 1939 Compliance and Disclosure Interpretations. In addition,

please revise to provide a description of the guarantees.

3. Please explain the basis on which Summit Midstream Holdings, LLC and Summit

 $\,$  Midstream Finance Corp. are eligible to use Form S-3. If you are relying on General

Instruction I.C of Form S-3, please explain how such entities meet the requirements set  $\,$ 

forth in such instruction. Similarly, explain the basis on which the guarantors are eligible  $% \left( 1\right) =\left( 1\right) +\left( 1\right$ 

to use Form S-3. For example, please tell us whether Summit Midstream Partners,  $\ensuremath{\mathsf{LP}}$ 

will provide a full and unconditional guarantee of debt issued by Summit Midstream

 $\operatorname{\mathsf{Holdings}},\ \operatorname{\mathsf{LLC}}$  and  $\operatorname{\mathsf{Summit}}\ \operatorname{\mathsf{Midstream}}\ \operatorname{\mathsf{Finance}}\ \operatorname{\mathsf{Corp}}.$  In that regard, such quarantee is

not identified in your registration statement.

We remind you that the company and its management are responsible for the accuracy and adequacy of their disclosures, notwithstanding any review, comments, action or absence of action by the staff.

Refer to Rules 460 and 461 regarding requests for acceleration. Please allow adequate time for us to review any amendment prior to the requested effective date of the registration

statement.

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Please contact Kevin Dougherty, Staff Attorney, at (202) 551-3271 or Laura Nicholson, Special Counsel, at (202) 551-3584 with any questions.

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Sincerely,

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