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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> Renahan William J			 Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year) 	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ClearBridge Energy MLP Opportunity Fund Inc. [EMO]				
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	06/09/2011	4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)		
620 EIGHT FLOOR	H AVENU	JE, 49TH		(Check	all applicable))		
NEW YORI	(Street) EW YORK, NY 10018			Director 10% Owner X_Officer Other (give title below) (specify below) Assistant Secretary		r	 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 - N	Non-Derivat	tive Securiti	ies Be	neficially Owned	
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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security	2. Date Exercisable and	3. Title and Amount of	4.	5.	6. Nature of Indirect
(Instr. 4)	Expiration Date	Securities Underlying	Conversion	Ownership	Beneficial Ownership
	(Month/Day/Year)	Derivative Security	or Exercise	Form of	(Instr. 5)
		(Instr. 4)	Price of	Derivative	
		Title	Derivative	Security:	
			Security	Direct (D)	

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Date	Expiration	Amount or	or Indirect
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		Shares	(Instr. 5)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Addre	55	Relationships					
		10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Renahan William J 620 EIGHTH AVENUE 49TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10018	Â	Â	Assistant Secretary	Â			
Signatures							
/s/ William J. 0 Renahan	6/09/2011						
<u>**</u> Signature of Reporting Person	Date						

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(b)(v).

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(1) The Reporting Person does not beneficially own any securities of the issuer, directly or indirectly.

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