FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Matador Resources Co [MTDR]									5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)						
															X Dire		ctor	10%	Owner		
(Last) (First) (Middle) 5400 LBJ FREEWAY						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/11/2017										Offic belov	er (give title w)	Other below	r (specify v)		
SUITE 1500							4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable					
(Street)															Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person						
DALLAS TX 75240														Form filed by More than One Reporting							
(City)	(St	rate) (Zip)													Pers	on				
		Tabl	e I - Noi	n-Deriv	ative	Se	curiti	es Ac	quire	d, Di	sposed	of, c	or Ben	efici	ally	Owne	ed				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Date)						Day/Year) Exec		A. Deemed kecution Date, any lonth/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) 4. Securi Disposed					4 and See Be Ow		ount of ties cially d Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
						Cod	le V	Amount	t	(A) or (D)	Pric	e	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			(Instr. 4)					
Common Stock 04/11/						7					1,399	1,399(1)		\$0		10,072		D			
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deem Execution if any (Month/Da	Date,	Code (Instr		n of		Expira	6. Date Exercisable Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			and 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)			rice of vative urity tr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
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Explanation of Responses:

1. Represents restricted stock units granted to the reporting person on April 11, 2017. Such restricted stock units will vest, and an equal number of shares of common stock will be deliverable to the reporting person, in equal annual installments on the first, second and third anniversaries of the date of grant.

Remarks:

/s/ William M. Byerley, by

Kyle A. Ellis as attorney-in-

<u>fact</u> ** Signature of Reporting Person Date

04/13/2017

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

- * 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).

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