FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  Macalik Robert T						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  Matador Resources Co [ MTDR ]									5. Relationship of Report (Check all applicable) Director Officer (give title			10%	Issuer Owner (specify	
(Last) (First) (Middle) 5400 LBJ FREEWAY SUITE 1500						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/22/2018									X Officer (give title Officer Specify below)  SVP, Chief Accounting Officer					
(Street) DALLAS TX 75240					_   4. li	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applica Line)     X Form filed by One Reporting Person     Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City)	(St		Zip)																	
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned  1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transaction  2. Deemed  3. 4. Securities Acquired (A) or 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of																				
Date				Date			2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 at 5)			d	5. Amount Securities Beneficial Following Transaction	6. Owne Form: D (D) or In (I) (Instr	irect direct	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
									Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price		(Instr. 3 a				(11311. 4)	
Common Stock 08/22/2					018	18			F		820(1)	D	\$32.5	6	44,262(2)(3)(4)(5)(6)		D			
Common Stock															75	50	Ι		Represents shares held of record by the reporting person's Individual Retirement Account	
		Та	ble II								posed of, convertib				Owned					
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	itle of 2. 3. Transaction Date Execution (Month/Day/Year) if any		emed tion Date,	med 4. on Date, Transa Code (l		S. Number of Of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Dat	e Exer ation I h/Day	rcisable and late (Year)	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)  Amount of Number of Shares		8 5 (1	s. Price of Derivative Security Instr. 5)	rivative derivative curity Securities		wnership vrm: rect (D) Indirect (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Represents shares withheld by the Issuer in connection with the reporting person's net share settlement to satisfy tax liability upon the vesting of 2,083 shares of restricted stock that were granted to the reporting person on August 22, 2016. No shares were sold by the reporting person to satisfy this tax liability.
- 2. Includes 17,969 shares of restricted stock granted to the reporting person on February 16, 2018 that vest in equal annual installments on the first, second and third anniversaries of the date of grant.
- 3. Includes 6,973 shares of restricted stock granted to the reporting person on July 6, 2017 that vest on the third anniversary of the date of grant.
- 4. Includes 3,724 shares of restricted stock granted to the reporting person on February 16, 2017 that vest in equal annual installments on the second and third anniversaries of the date of grant.
- 5. Includes 2,084 shares of restricted stock granted to the reporting person on August 22, 2016 that vest on the third anniversary of the date of grant.
- 6. Includes 5,669 shares of restricted stock granted to the reporting person on July 18, 2016 that vest on the third anniversary of the date of grant.

## Remarks:

/s/ Robert T. Macalik, by Kyle

08/23/2018

. Ellis as attorney-in-fact \*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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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