FORM 4

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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* <u>Mitchell Gregory E</u>					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Matador Resources Co [MTDR]									(Che	elationshi eck all app C Direc			()	Issuer Owner		
	(Fii J FREEWA'	,	Middle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/15/2017									Office below	er (give tit v)	le	Othe belo	er (specify w)		
SUITE IS	UITE 1500					4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)						
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(City)	(St	ate) (2	Zip)																		
		Tabl	e I - No	on-Deriv	ative	Sec	uritie	s Ac	quired	l, Di	sposed o	f, or E	Benefic	ciall	y Owne	ed					
		Date (Month/Day/Year) if		Exec if an	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 a 5)			Beneficially Owned Following		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership					
									Code	v	Amount	(A) o	Price	•	Reported Transacti (Instr. 3 a	on(s)			(Instr. 4)		
Common	Stock			02/15/2	2017				A		1,251(1)	A	\$(0	33,077 D						
Common Stock												191,292 ⁽²⁾			I	Represents shares held of record by JAMAL Enterprises, LP.					
		Та	ble II -								osed of, convertib				Owned						
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	Date Exe (Month/Day/Year) if an	if any	med on Date,	4. Transa	ransaction		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			isable and	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		8. Di Si	Price of erivative ecurity nstr. 5)	9. Numbe derivative Securitie Beneficia Owned Following Reported Transacti (Instr. 4)	e Ownersh Form: Direct (D or Indirect (I) (Instr.		Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
					Code	v	(A) (D)		Date Exercisable		Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares								

- 1. Represents restricted stock units granted to the reporting person on February 15, 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.
- 2. The reporting person states that neither the filing of this statement nor anything herein shall be deemed an admission that such person is, for purposes of Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or otherwise, the beneficial owner of these shares. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of these shares, except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.

Remarks:

/s/ Gregory E. Mitchell, by

Kyle A Ellis as attorney-in-02/17/2017

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** 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).
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