FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNER	SHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Baty Robert Gaines</u>						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Matador Resources Co [ MTDR ]									Relationshi eck all app X Direc	olicable)	g Person(s) to 10%	Issuer Owner
(Last) (First) (Middle) 5400 LBJ FREEWAY, SUITE 1500						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/04/2018									Offic belo	er (give title w)	Othe belov	r (specify v)
(Street) DALLAS TX 75240 (City) (State) (Zip)					4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								Line	e) <mark>X</mark> Forn Forn	ridual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable  Form filed by One Reporting Person  Form filed by More than One Reporting  Person		
	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																	
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transac Date (Month/Da					Execution Date,		3. Transaction Code (Instr. ) 8)  4. Securities Acquired (A Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 5)				Secur Benef	icially d Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)				
									Code	v	Amount (A		) or )	Price	Trans	action(s) 3 and 4)		(iiisti. 4)
Common Stock 12				12/04	/2018		P		819 A		A	\$24.3	6 3	31,342	D			
	Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)																	
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security  3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) (Month/Day/Year)  3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Date,		ransaction ode (Instr. Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		ative rities ired osed . 3, 4	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)  Date Exercisable Expiration Date			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)  Amoun or Numbe of Title Shares		tr. 3	J. Price of Derivative Security Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	

Explanation of Responses:

Remarks:

Robert Gaines Baty, by Kyle A. Ellis as attorney-in-fact

12/07/2018

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

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