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## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

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# TATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person*     Howard James M					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  Matador Resources Co [ MTDR ]									5. Relationship of Repo (Check all applicable) X Director			10%	Owner
(Last) (First) (Middle) 5400 LBJ FREEWAY					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/10/2022									Officer (give title Other (specif below) below)				
(Street)		,	75240		4. If <i>i</i>	Amend	ment,	Date	of Origir	nal File	ed (Month/Da	y/Year)		ne) X Forr	n filed by	One Re	porting P	
(City)			Zip)											Pers	n filed by I son	More tha	an One R	eporting
		Table	l - No	n-Deriva	tive	Secu	rities	Ac	quirec	l, Dis	sposed of	, or B	enefici	ally Owi	ned			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)			2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		ar) 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Dis Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) of Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 s		ed (A) or tr. 3, 4 and	r 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
								Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(Instr. 4)	
Common	Stock			06/10/20	022				A		2,040(1)	A	\$0	20	,214		D	
Common Stock												50,	50,000		I	Represents shares held of record by the reporting person's Individual Retirement Account		
Common Stock										50,000(2)		I		See footnote <sup>(3)</sup>				
		Ta	ble II								osed of, convertib				d			
Security or Ex (Instr. 3) Price Deriv	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	rsion Date Exec rcise (Month/Day/Year) Exec if any five (Mon		eemed 4. ution Date, Tran		ransaction ode (Instr.		umber vative urities uired or osed or r. 3, 4	er 6. Date E Expiration (Month/E		cisable and	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Inst 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)		10. Ownersl Form: Direct (I or Indire (I) (Instr.	Beneficial Ownershi ct (Instr. 4)
						v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable		Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares					

#### **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Represents restricted stock units ("RSUs") granted to the reporting person on June 10, 2022. Such RSUs will vest on June 10, 2023, or if sooner, immediately prior to the election of the nominees for director at the 2023 annual meeting of shareholders of the Issuer (the "Vesting Date"). Pursuant to the Issuer's Nonqualified Deferred Compensation Plan for Non-Employee Directors, the reporting person has deferred delivery of all of his vested RSUs to within 30 days of separation of service (the "Delivery Date"). On the Delivery Date, such vested RSUs will be deliverable to the reporting person in an equal number of shares of common stock.
- 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.
- 3. Represents shares held of record by PBH Family Partners, Ltd., a family limited partnership owned by the reporting person's family, including the reporting person, and over which the reporting person and his spouse share voting and investment authority.

### Remarks:

/s/ James M. Howard, by Brian J. Willey as attorney-in- 06/13/2022 fact

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

- $^{\star}$  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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