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*  FORRESTER JULIA P.					2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol  Matador Resources Co [ MTDR ]								(Ch	Relationsh eck all ap X Dire	ctor 10		) to Is			
(Last) (First) (Middle) 5400 LBJ FREEWAY				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/27/2017									Offic belo		Other (specify below)					
SUITE 1500					4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)					
(Street) DALLAS	S T2	ζ 7	75240													m filed by One m filed by Mor son				
(City)	(St	ate) (	Zip)																	
		Tabl	e I - No	n-Deriv	ative	Sec	uritie	s Ac	quired	l, Dis	sposed o	f, or E	3ene	ficial	ly Own	ed				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transacti Date (Month/Day)						Execution Date,				es Acquired (A) o Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 a			) Secu Bene	ficially ed Following	Form: Dire (D) or Indi	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
								Code	v	Amount	ount (A) or Pric		ice	Trans	action(s) . 3 and 4)			(		
Common Stock 02/27/20					2017	D17 P 2,000 A \$.			24.72	.72 <sup>(1)</sup> 2,000 D										
Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)																				
Derivative Security (Instr. 3)  Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security  Date (Month/Day/Year) (Month/Day/Year) (Month/Day/Year)		4. Transa Code ( 8)	(Instr. Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		Expirati (Month)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)  Date Expiration Date Date		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)  Amoun or Numbe of Title Shares		tr. 3	s. Price of Derivative Security Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Owner Form: Direct or Indi (I) (Ins	(D) rect	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)					

## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. The price reported is a weighted average price. These shares were purchased in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$24.72 to \$24.73 per share, inclusive. The reporting person shall provide to the Securities and Exchange Commission, the Issuer or any security holder of the Issuer, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares purchased at each separate price.

## Remarks:

/s/ Julia P. Forrester, by Kyle A. Ellis as attorney-in-fact

03/01/2017

\*\* 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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