FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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	,		or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940					
1. Name and Add		Person*	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol  Matador Resources Co [ MTDR ]	(Check	all applicable)	,		
				X	Director	10% Owner		
(Last) (First) (Middle)		(Middle)	Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)	<b>X</b>	Officer (give title below)	Other (specify below)		
5400 LBJ FRE	EEWAY		09/08/2014		Chairman a	nd CEO		
SUITE 1500								
			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)		vidual or Joint/Group Fi	t/Group Filing (Check Applicable		
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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned											
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	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 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr.	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	09/08/2014		P		2,000	A	\$25	158,550 <sup>(1)</sup>	I	See footnote <sup>(2)</sup>	
Common Stock	09/08/2014		P		2,000	A	\$25	37,250 <sup>(1)</sup>	I	See footnote <sup>(3)</sup>	
Common Stock								121,250(4)(5)(6)(7)(8)	D		
Common Stock								1,084,933(1)	I	See footnote <sup>(9)</sup>	
Common Stock								4,000(1)	I	See footnote <sup>(10)</sup>	
Common Stock								675,293 <sup>(1)</sup>	I	See footnote <sup>(11)</sup>	
Common Stock								675,293 <sup>(1)</sup>	I	See footnote <sup>(12)</sup>	
Common Stock								312,190(1)	I	See footnote <sup>(13)</sup>	
Common Stock								312,190(1)	I	See footnote <sup>(14)</sup>	
Common Stock								161,888 <sup>(1)</sup>	I	See footnote <sup>(15)</sup>	
Common Stock								161,888 <sup>(1)</sup>	I	See footnote <sup>(16)</sup>	
Common Stock								59,269(1)	I	See footnote <sup>(17)</sup>	
Common Stock								59,269(1)	I	See footnote <sup>(18)</sup>	
Common Stock								135,500(1)	I	See footnote <sup>(19)</sup>	
Common Stock								50,000(1)	I	See footnote <sup>(20)</sup>	
Common Stock								270(1)	I	See footnote <sup>(21)</sup>	

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 Ta Date (Month/Day/Year)	Ge Premoerivative Securi Execution Date, Transaction if any (e.g., putsue Galls, (Month/Day/Year) 8)		it feelum led u Maricants, Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		ifed: Trepissed Pof, Expiration Pate Options:/reanvertib		OF Exprediciall Amount of Lamount	y <sup>8</sup> Ovine et Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transa Code ( 8) Code	Instr.	5. Num of Derivat Securit	tive ties	6. Date Exerc Expiration Da (Month/Day/) Date Exercisable	te	7. Title alamount Amount of Securitie lumber Underly of Dielevati Shares	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Security Explanation of Responses:					(A) or Dispos	sed			Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		Following Reported	(i) (instr. 4)		
1. The reporting person states that neither the filing of this statement nor anything herein states 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.														
2. Represents shares held of record by the Foran 2012 Savings Trust for which the reporting person's spouse is a trustee.														
3. Represents shares held of record by the Foran 2012 Security Trust for which the reporting person is the trustee.  Amount or												_ ]		
4. Includes 17,094 shares of restricted stock granted to the reporting person on March 7, 2014. Such shares of restricted stock will vest in tww.myberbiennial installments beginning on the second anniversary of the date of grant. March 7, 2016.														

- 5. Includes 40,000 shares of restricted stock granted to the reporting person on March 8, 2013. Such shares of restricted stock will vest following the fourth anniversary of the date of grant, March 8, 2017. 6. Includes 10,026 shares of restricted stock granted to the reporting person on April 16, 2012 that vest on the fourth anniversary of the date of grant, April 16, 2016.
- 7. Includes 20,052 shares of restricted stock granted to the reporting person on April 16, 2012. Such shares of restricted stock will vest following the third anniversary of the date of grant, April 16, 2015, in an amount to be determined based upon the achievement of certain performance conditions as specified in the reporting person's award agreement.
- 8. Includes 20,052 restricted stock units granted to the reporting person on April 16, 2012. Such restricted stock units will vest, and an applicable number of shares of common stock will be deliverable to the reporting person, following the third anniversary of the date of grant, April 16, 2015, in an amount to be determined based upon the achievement of certain performance conditions as specified in the reporting person's award agreement.
- 9. Represents shares held of record by Sage Resources, Ltd., which is a limited partnership owned by the reporting person's family, including the reporting person.
- 10. Represents shares held of record by the reporting person's spouse through her Individual Retirement Account.
- 11. Represents shares held of record by the JWF 2011-1 GRAT, for which the reporting person is the trustee and over which the reporting person has sole voting and investment power.
- 12. Represents shares held of record by the NNF 2011-1 GRAT, for which the reporting person is the trustee and over which the reporting person has sole voting and investment power.
- 13. Represents shares held of record by the JWF 2013-1 GRAT, for which the reporting person is the trustee and over which the reporting person has sole voting and investment power.
- 14. Represents shares held of record by the NNF 2013-1 GRAT, for which the reporting person is the trustee and over which the reporting person has sole voting and investment power.
- 15. Represents shares held of record by the JWF 2014-1 GRAT, for which the reporting person is the trustee and over which the reporting person has sole voting and investment power.
- 16. Represents shares held of record by the NNF 2014-1 GRAT, for which the reporting person is the trustee and over which the reporting person has sole voting and investment power.
- 17. Represents shares held of record by the JWF 2014-2 GRAT, for which the reporting person is the trustee and over which the reporting person has sole voting and investment power.
- 18. Represents shares held of record by the NNF 2014-2 GRAT, for which the reporting person is the trustee and over which the reporting person has sole voting and investment power.
- 19. Represents shares held of record by The Don Foran Family Trust 2008, for which the reporting person is the co-trustee and over which the reporting person has shared voting and investment power with other members of his family.
- 20. Represents shares held of record by The Foran Family Special Needs Trust for which the reporting person is the co-trustee and over which the reporting person has shared voting and investment power with other members of his family.
- 21. Represents shares held of record by the Individual Retirement Account of the reporting person's adult child, who gave the reporting person investment power over such shares through a revocable power of

## Remarks:

/s/ Joseph Wm. Foran, by Kyle 09/09/2014 A. 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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