FORM 3

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and A Wayne Ka	ddress of Report	ting Person [*]	2. Date of Event Requiring Stater (Month/Day/Yea 05/22/2015	ment	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Matador Resources Co [MTDR]				
(Last) (First) (Middle) 5400 LBJ FREEWAY SUITE 1500				Relationship of Reporting Personal (Check all applicable) Director Officer (give title below)	Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify		If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check		
			_		Controller and Treasurer		Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person		. One Departing Dersen
(Street) DALLAS	TX	75240			Controller und 11	cuourer			y More than One
(City)	(State)	(Zip)							
			Table I - Nor	n-Derivati	ive Securities Beneficial	ly Owned			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)					. Amount of Securities eneficially Owned (Instr. 4)			4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)	
Common Stock					52,325(1)(2)(3)(4)	D	D		
					e Securities Beneficially nts, options, convertible		s)		
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)			2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Inst		4. Conversio or Exercise	Form:	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
			Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Price of Derivative Security	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Employee Stock Option			(5)	02/21/2020	Common Stock	7,500	9	D	
Employee Stock Option			(6)	04/15/2017	Common Stock	11,667	10.49	D	
Employee Stock Option			(7)	03/11/2018	Common Stock	16,250	8.18	D	
Employee Stock Option			(8)	01/20/2020	Common Stock	5,714	22.01	D	

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Includes 1,459 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.
- 2. Includes 8,125 shares of restricted stock granted to the reporting person on March 12, 2013. Such shares of restricted stock will vest on the fourth anniversary of the date of grant, March 12, 2017.
- 3. Includes 3,310 shares of restricted stock granted to the reporting person on March 17, 2014. Such shares of restricted stock will vest in two equal biennial installments beginning on the second anniversary of the date of grant, March 17, 2016.
- 4. Includes 2,500 shares of restricted stock granted to the reporting person on January 21, 2015. Such shares of restricted stock will vest on the third anniversary of the date of grant, January 21, 2018.
- $5.\ As$ of the date of this report, the employee stock options are fully vested and exercisable.
- 6. As of the date of this report, half of the employee stock options are vested and exercisable and half will vest on the fourth anniversary of the date of grant, April 16, 2016.
- 7. As of the date of this report, half of the employee stock options are vested and exercisable and half will vest on the fourth anniversary of the date of grant, March 12, 2017.
- $8. \ The \ employee \ stock \ options \ vest \ on \ the \ third \ anniversary \ of \ the \ date \ of \ grant, \ January \ 21, \ 2018.$

Remarks:

<u>/s/ Kathryn L. Wayne</u>

** 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 5 (b)(v).
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