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* Hairford Matthew V				2. 1	Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Matador Resources Co [MTDR]									(Chec	k all app Dired	p of Report olicable) ctor er (give title		10% (Issuer Owner r (specify	
(Last) 5400 LB3 SUITE 1	(Fii J FREEWA' 500	,	Middl	le)		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/13/2014									X		below)		below	
(Street) DALLAS (City)			7524 Zip)	0	4. 1	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year							6. Indi Line) X	Forn Forn	I or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable orm filed by One Reporting Person orm filed by More than One Reporting erson					
	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)			2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Ye	ear) it	2A. Deemed Execution Date,		3. Tra	3. Transaction Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
								Co	ode	v	Amou	nt	(A) or (D)	Price	anu	,				(111311. 4)
Common Stock		08/13/201	1				P		1,0	000	A	\$25.58	4,000			I	Represents shares held of record by the reporting person's Individual Retirement Account.			
Common	Common Stock 196,481 ⁽¹⁾⁽²⁾⁽³⁾⁽⁴⁾⁽⁵⁾⁽⁶⁾ D								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)	Exec if an	Deemed cution Date, y nth/Day/Year)		saction (Instr.	5. Num of Derivice Securical Acquical (A) or Disposof (D) (Instr. and 5	ative rities ired sed	Exp (Mo	piratior onth/Da	n Date ay/Year	ble and r) xpirationate	Amo Sect Und Deri Sect and	Amount or Number of	Der Sec (Ins	rice of ivative urity str. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficiall Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	ly	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) Or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Includes 5,769 shares of restricted stock granted to the reporting person on March 7, 2014. Such shares of restricted stock will vest in two equal biennial installments beginning on the second anniversary of the date of grant, March 7, 2016.
- 2. Includes 2,537 shares of restricted stock granted to the reporting person on February 11, 2014. Such shares of restricted stock will vest in two equal biennial installments beginning on the second anniversary of the date of grant, February 11, 2016.
- 3. Includes 25,000 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.
- 4. Includes 4,063 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.
- 5. Includes 8,125 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.
- 6. Includes 8,125 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.

Remarks:

/s/ Matthew V. Hairford

08/13/2014

** 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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