FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

<b>STATEMENT</b>	OF CHANGE	ES IN BENI	EFICIAL C	WNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person*     Goodwin Billy E				2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol Matador Resources Co [ MTDR ]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  Director 10% Owner  Officer (give title Other (specify							
(Last) (First) (Middle) 5400 LBJ FREEWAY SUITE 1500			09/	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 09/28/2021									EVP, COO - Operations						
(Street) DALLAS TX 75240						4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)  6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person  Form filed by More than One Reporting Person													
(City)	(S		(Zip)																
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned  1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transaction  2. Deemed  3.  4. Securities Acquired (A) or  5. Amount of  6. Ownership  7. Nature of																			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)		Date (Month/Day/Year)		Execution Date, ar) if any					Securities Acquired (A) or sposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 an			nd 5) Securities Beneficially Owned Followin		Form: Direct (D) or Indirect		Indirect Beneficial Ownership			
						Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price		Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(Instr. 4)			
Common	Stock			09/28/2021				M		55,739	A	\$27	.26 193,0		003 D		)		
Common Stock		09/28/2021				F		45,998(1)	D	\$37	7.15 147,0		)05 I		)				
Common Stock		09/29/2021		L		M		39,556	A	\$29	0.68 186,56		661 D		)				
Common Stock		09/29/2	09/29/2021				F		33,659 <sup>(2)</sup>	D	\$38	3.4 152,90		02	)2 D				
Common Stock												5,000		I		Represents shares held of record by the reporting person's 401(k) account			
		7	Гable II								posed of, convertil				Owned				
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	1. Title of Derivative Conversion Date Security or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any		4. Transa	ansaction of Deriva Securi Acquir (A) or Dispos of (D) (C)		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amour of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)		10. Ownersh Form: Direct (D or Indire (I) (Instr.	Beneficial ) Ownership ct (Instr. 4)		
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercis	sable	Expiration Date	Title	Amou or Numb of Share	ber					
Employee Stock Option	\$27.26	09/28/2021			М			55,739	(3)		02/14/2023	Common Stock	55,7	39	\$0	0		D	
Employee Stock Option	\$29.68	09/29/2021			M			39,556	(4)		02/15/2024	Common Stock	39,5	56	\$0	0		D	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Represents shares withheld by the Issuer in connection with the reporting person's net share settlement to satisfy the exercise price and tax liability upon the exercise of 55,739 employee stock options that were granted to the reporting person on February 15, 2017. No shares were sold by the reporting person to satisfy the exercise price or the tax liability.
- 2. Represents shares withheld by the Issuer in connection with the reporting person's net share settlement to satisfy the exercise price and tax liability upon the exercise of 39,556 employee stock options that were granted to the reporting person on February 16, 2018. No shares were sold by the reporting person to satisfy the exercise price or the tax liability.
- 3. The employee stock options vested in equal annual installments on the first, second and third anniversaries of the date of grant and were fully vested as of February 15, 2020.
- 4. The employee stock options vested in equal annual installments on the first, second and third anniversaries of the date of grant and were fully vested as of February 16, 2021.

## Remarks:

/s/ Billy E. Goodwin, by Brian J. Willey as attorney-in-fact

09/30/2021

\*\* 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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