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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

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Issuer

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Matador Resources Co [MTDR]

Symbol

See Instruction 1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

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Stock

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

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	(Last) (First) (Middle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/13/2019					
5400 LBJ FREEWAY, SUITE 1500							X Director 10% OwnerX Officer (give title Other (specify below) Chairman and CEO		
(Street) DALLAS, TX 75240				4. If Amendment, Date 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)	(State)	Zip)	able I - Non-D	erivative S	Securities Ac	quired, Disposed	of, or Beneficia	lly Owned
	1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date any (Month/Day/Y	Code	4. SecurionAcquired Disposed (Instr. 3,	l (A) or l of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned 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)
	Common Stock					(2) 11100	229,352 <u>(1)</u> <u>(2)</u> <u>(3)</u>	D	
	Common Stock						1,105,913 (4)	I	See footnote (5)
	Common Stock						1,177,568 (4)	I	See footnote (6)
	Common Stock						258,344 (4)	I	See footnote (7)
	Common Stock						229,951 (4)	I	See footnote (8)

footnote (8)

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Common Stock	4,000 (4)	I	See footnote (9)
Common Stock	125,043 (4)	I	See footnote (10)
Common Stock	125,043 (4)	I	See footnote (11)
Common Stock	39,067 (4)	I	See footnote (12)
Common Stock	39,067 (4)	I	See footnote (13)
Common Stock	131,876 (4)	I	See footnote (14)
Common Stock	131,876 (4)	I	See footnote (15)
Common Stock	390,807 (4)	I	See footnote (16)
Common Stock	390,807 (4)	I	See footnote (17)
Common Stock	105,000 (4)	I	See footnote (18)
Common Stock	40,000 (4)	I	See footnote (19)

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5. Number of	6. Date Exercisable and	7. Title and Amount of
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	TransactionDerivative		Expiration Date	Underlying Securities
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	Securities	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 3 and 4)
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Acquired (A) or		

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Derivative Disposed of (D) Security (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) Code V (A) (D) Date **Expiration Title** Amount or Exercisable Number of Date Shares Phantom Common (21)(21)(20)02/13/2019 113,379 Α 113,379 Units Stock

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
•	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Foran Joseph Wm							
5400 LBJ FREEWAY	X		Chairman and CEO				
SUITE 1500	Λ		Chairman and CEO				
DALLAS, TX 75240							

Signatures

/s/ Joseph Wm. Foran, by Kyle A. Ellis as attorney-in-fact 02/15/2019

**Signature of Reporting Person

Explanation of Responses:

- * 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).

Date

- (1) Includes 89,847 shares of restricted stock granted to the reporting person on February 16, 2018 that vest in equal installments on the first, second and third anniversaries of the date of grant.
- (2) Includes 18,648 shares of restricted stock granted to the reporting person on February 15, 2017 that vest on the third anniversary of the date of grant.
- (3) Includes 94,230 shares of restricted stock granted to the reporting person on February 19, 2016 that vest on the third anniversary of the date of grant.
- The reporting person states that neither the filing of this statement nor anything herein shall be deemed an admission that such person is, for purposes of Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as 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.
- (5) 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.
- Represents shares held of record collectively by the LRF 2011 Non-GST Trust, WJF 2011 Non-GST Trust, JNF 2011 Non-GST Trust, (6) SIF 2011 Non-GST Trust and MCF 2011 Non-GST Trust (collectively, the "Non-GST Trusts"). The reporting person and his spouse, as settlors of each of the Non-GST Trusts, retain the power of substitution with respect to the property of the Non-GST Trusts.
- (7) Represents shares held of record by the Foran 2012 Savings Trust for which the reporting person's spouse is a trustee.
- (8) Represents shares held of record by the Foran 2012 Security Trust for which the reporting person is the trustee.
- (9) Represents shares held of record by the reporting person's spouse through her Individual Retirement Account.
- (10) Represents shares held of record by the JWF 2017-2 GRAT, for which the reporting person is the trustee and over which the reporting person has sole voting and investment power.
- (11) Represents shares held of record by the NNF 2017-2 GRAT, for which the reporting person is the trustee and over which the reporting person has sole voting and investment power.

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- (12) Represents shares held of record by the JWF 2018-1 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 NNF 2018-1 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 JWF 2018-2 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 NNF 2018-2 GRAT, for which the reporting person is the trustee and over which the reporting person has sole voting and investment power.
 - Represents shares held of record by the JWF 2019-1 GRAT, for which the reporting person is the trustee and over which the reporting person has sole voting and investment power. Includes 190,461 shares gifted to the trust following their distribution from the JWF
- (16) 2017-1 GRAT to its settlor as an annuity payment required by the terms of the JWF 2017-1 GRAT. Also includes 200,346 shares gifted to the trust following their distribution from the JWF 2018-1 GRAT to its settlor as an annuity payment required by the terms of the JWF 2018-1 GRAT.
 - Represents shares held of record by the NNF 2019-1 GRAT, for which the reporting person is the trustee and over which the reporting person has sole voting and investment power. Includes 190,461 shares gifted to the trust following their distribution from the NNF
- (17) 2017-1 GRAT to its settlor as an annuity payment required by the terms of the NNF 2017-1 GRAT. Also includes 200,346 shares gifted to the trust following their distribution from the NNF 2018-1 GRAT to its settlor as an annuity payment required by the terms of the NNF 2018-1 GRAT.
- (18) 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.
- (19) 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.
- (20) Each phantom unit is the economic equivalent of one share of common stock of Matador Resources Company.
- (21) The phantom units vest in equal annual installments on the first, second and third anniversaries of the date of grant.

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