Matador Resources Co Form 4 May 03, 2016

FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

LANEY DAVID M.		Symbol Matador Resources Co [MTDR]				R1	Issuer				
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction				(Check all applicable)				
5400 LBJ FREEWAY, SUITE 1500			(Month/Day/Year) 04/29/2016					X Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below)			
Fi			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			
DALLAS, TX 75240			Person					,			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tabl	e I - Non-I	Derivative	Secui	rities A	cquired, Dispose	d of, or Benefic	cially Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Da (Month/Day/Yea	r) Execution any	med n Date, if Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		(A) c 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	04/29/2016			A	1,550 (1)	A	\$0	423,838	D		
Common Stock								66,000 (2)	I	Represents shares held of record by Laney Investments Ltd.	
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)

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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
LANEY DAVID M. 5400 LBJ FREEWAY SUITE 1500 DALLAS, TX 75240	X						

Signatures

/s/ David M. Laney, by Kyle A. Ellis as attorney-in-fact 05/03/2016

Explanation of Responses:

**Signature of Reporting Person

- * 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).
- Represents restricted stock units granted to the reporting person on April 29, 2016. Such restricted stock units will vest, and an equal (1) number of shares of common stock will be deliverable to the reporting person, in equal annual installments on the first, second and third anniversaries of the date of grant.

Date

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.

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