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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Add Johnston Paul		rting Person *	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
			Montage Resources Corp [MR]	(Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction				
122 WEST JO FREEWAY,			(Month/Day/Year) 03/29/2019	Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) See Remarks			
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
IRVING, TX	75039		Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities A	cquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned			

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	le I - Non-I	Derivative	Securi	ities Acqu	iired, Disposed of	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit on(A) or Di (Instr. 3,	sposed	of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	03/29/2019		A	11,131	A	<u>(1)</u> <u>(2)</u>	11,131	D	
Common Stock	03/29/2019		F	4,300 (3)	D	\$ 17.55	6,831	D	
Common Stock	03/29/2019		A	23,414	A	<u>(4)</u> <u>(5)</u>	30,245	D	
Common Stock	03/29/2019		F	5,701 (6)	D	\$ 17.55	24,544	D	

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.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Title	and	8. Price of	9. Nu
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transacti	onNumber	Expiration D	ate	Amoun	it of	Derivative	Deriv
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Underly	ying	Security	Secui
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	Security				Acquired						Follo
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					4, and 5)						
								1	Amount		
						Date	Expiration		or		
						Exercisable	*	Title Number			
									of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Johnston Paul M 122 WEST JOHN CARPENTER FREEWAY SUITE 300 IRVING, TX 75039

See Remarks

Signatures

/s/ Frank E. Day, Attorney-in-fact

04/02/2019

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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).

Received in exchange for 37,724 Blue Ridge Mountain Resources, Inc. ("BRMR") restricted stock units ("BRMR RSUs") in connection with the merger of Everest Merger Sub Inc. ("Merger Sub"), a wholly owned subsidiary of Montage Resources Corporation ("Montage"), with and into BRMR (the "Merger"). On the effective date of the Merger, the closing price of Montage common stock on the New York Stock Exchange, after giving effect to the 15-to-1 reverse stock split of Montage common stock effected on the effective date of the

(1) Stock Exchange, after giving effect to the 15-to-1 reverse stock split of Montage common stock effected on the effective date of the Merger, was \$17.55 per share (the "Closing Price"). Pursuant to the Agreement and Plan of Merger, dated as of August 25, 2018, among Montage, Merger Sub, and BRMR (the "Merger Agreement"), except as described below with respect to certain BRMR RSUs granted to directors of BRMR, each holder of outstanding BRMR RSUs was entitled to elect whether to receive in the Merger for such BRMR RSUs (i) 0.29506 (the "Exchange Ratio") of a share of Montage common stock,

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(Continued from Footnote 1) plus cash in lieu of fractional shares (the "Merger Consideration") for each share of BRMR common stock subject to such holder's BRMR RSUs, (ii) cash equal to the product of (A) the number of shares of BRMR common stock subject to such holder's BRMR RSUs multiplied by (B) (1) the Closing Price multiplied by (2) the Exchange Ratio, or (iii) a combination thereof, subject to applicable tax withholdings. Certain BRMR RSUs were granted to directors of BRMR as their one-time "charter equity grant," the terms of which did not provide for such an election. Holders of these other BRMR RSUs received the Merger Consideration for each share of BRMR common stock subject to such BRMR RSUs, after giving effect to an adjustment to the number of such BRMR RSUs in connection with the Merger pursuant to the terms of the applicable award agreement, subject to applicable tax withholdings.

- (3) Represents shares withheld to satisfy tax obligations in connection with the delivery of shares of Montage common stock in exchange for the BRMR RSUs.
 - Received in the Merger in exchange for 79,356 BRMR performance interest awards ("BRMR PIAs"). Pursuant to the Merger Agreement, each holder of a BRMR PIA received as a result of the Merger in respect of such holder's BRMR PIA: the Merger Consideration for a
- (4) number of shares of BRMR common stock equal to the lesser of (i) (A) the "Performance Interest Stock Value" (as defined in and determined by the BRMR board of directors under the applicable award agreement governing such BRMR PIA) divided by (B) (1) the Closing Price multiplied by (2) the Exchange Ratio and (ii) such holder's pro rata share of 965,232 shares of BRMR common stock,
 - (Continued from Footnote 4) with such pro rata share based on such holder's Performance Interest Stock Value relative to the sum of the Performance Interest Stock Values of all holders of BRMR PIAs; and cash in the amount, if any, by which such holder's Performance
- (5) Interest Stock Value exceeds the product of (i) the number of shares of BRMR common stock in respect of which such holder receives the Merger Consideration pursuant to the foregoing by (ii) the Exchange Ratio multiplied by (iii) the Closing Price, subject to applicable tax withholdings.
- (6) Represents shares withheld to satisfy tax obligations in connection with the delivery of shares of Montage common stock in exchange for the BRMR PIAs.

Remarks:

Executive Vice President, General Counsel and Corporate Secretary

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