

Matador Resources Co
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Krug George G

(Last) (First) (Middle)

5400 LBJ FREEWAY, SUITE 1500

(Street)

DALLAS, TX 75240

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
Matador Resources Co [MTDR]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
04/06/2017

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)

SVP - Mktg and Midstream

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

Form filed by One Reporting Person
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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially 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. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	04/06/2017		M	V	8,000 (A) or (D) Price \$ 10.49	71,410 (1) (2) (3) (4) (5)	D
Common Stock	04/06/2017		F		5,300 (6) Price \$ 24.07	66,110 (1) (2) (3) (4) (5)	D

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

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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 8,000 employee stock options that were granted to the reporting person on April 16, 2012. No shares were sold by the reporting person to satisfy the exercise price or the tax liability.

- (7) The employee stock options vested in two equal biennial installments beginning on the second anniversary of the date of grant and were fully vested as of April 16, 2016.

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