

Harding Amelia Kim
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FORM 4

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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 *
 Harding Amelia Kim

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 Midstates Petroleum Company, Inc.
 [MPO]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
 (Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 321 SOUTH BOSTON, SUITE 1000
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 10/21/2017

____ Director
 ____ Officer (give title below)
 ____ 10% Owner
 ____ Other (specify below)
 VP-Human Resources & Admin

TULSA, OK 74103

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

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(City) (State) (Zip)

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)			
				(A) or (D)	Price					
Common Stock	10/21/2017		M	V	6,209	A	\$ 14.75	10,533	D	
Common Stock	10/21/2017		F		4,185	D	\$ 14.75	6,348	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 Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. P... Deri... Sec... (Ins...)	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Option (Employee Right to Buy)	\$ 19.66					(1)	10/21/2026	Common Stock	37,247

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Harding Amelia Kim 321 SOUTH BOSTON, SUITE 1000 TULSA, OK 74103			VP-Human Resources & Admin	

Signatures

/s/ Harding, Amelia Kim	10/23/2017
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date
/s/ AMELIA KIM HARDING	10/23/2017
**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).
- In accordance with the Company's Chapter 11 Plan of Reorganization, the Reporting Person received an award of restricted stock units (1) and stock options (Options) granted on October 21, 2016, 1/6 of which will vest on 4/21/2017, an additional 1/6 of which will vest on 10/21/2017, an additional 1/3 of which will vest on 10/21/2018 and the final 1/3 of which will vest on 10/21/2019.

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