

TORTOISE MLP FUND, INC.
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FORM 5

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
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ANNUAL STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
MATLACK TERRY
 (Last) (First) (Middle)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
**TORTOISE MLP FUND, INC.
 [NTG]**

3. Statement for Issuer's Fiscal Year Ended (Month/Day/Year)
 11/30/2016

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)
 Member of Investment Committee

6. Individual or Joint/Group Reporting
 (check applicable line)

11550 ASH STREET, SUITE 300
 (Street)

LEAWOOD, KS 66211
 (City) (State) (Zip)

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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 at end of Issuer's Fiscal Year (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Shares	12/01/2015	^	L	96.4 ⁽¹⁾ A	\$ 15,449.77 ₍₂₎ 16.31	I	By Matlack Living Trust dated 12/30/04
Common Shares	03/01/2016	^	L	176.44 ₍₁₎ A	\$ 15,449.77 16.33	I	By Matlack Living

Common Shares	06/01/2016	Â	L	<u>163.3</u> (1)	A	\$ 18.1	15,449.77	I	Trust dated 12/30/04 By Matlack Living Trust dated 12/30/04
Common Shares	09/01/2016	Â	L	<u>152.02</u> (1)	A	\$ 19.89	15,449.77	I	Trust dated 12/30/04 By Matlack Living Trust dated 12/30/04

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. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. of D Se B O E Is Fi (I
					(A) (D)	Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
MATLACK TERRY 11550 ASH STREET SUITE 300 LEAWOOD, KS 66211	Â X	Â	Â	Member of Investment Committee

Signatures

Terry Matlack

01/12/2017

**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).
- (1) Automatic reinvestment of distribution by broker not made at the Tortoise MLP Fund, Inc. dividend reinvestment plan price. This transaction is being reported on Form 5 pursuant to Rule 16a-6.
 - (2) Includes 755.98 shares acquired under the Tortoise MLP Fund, Inc. dividend reinvestment plan.

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