

Midstates Petroleum Company, Inc.  
Form SC 13G/A  
February 16, 2016

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

SCHEDULE 13G

Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934  
(Amendment No. 4)\*

MIDSTATES PETROLEUM COMPANY, INC.

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(Name of Issuer)

Common Stock, Par Value \$0.01 Per Share

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(Title of Class of Securities)

59804T100  
(CUSIP Number)

December 31, 2015  
(Date of Event which Requires Filing  
of this Statement)

Check the appropriate box to designate the rule pursuant to which this Schedule is filed:

- Rule 13d-1(b)  
 Rule 13d-1(c)  
 Rule 13d-1(d)

\*The remainder of this cover page shall be filled out for a reporting person's initial filing on this form with respect to the subject class of securities, and for any subsequent amendment containing information which would alter the disclosures provided in a prior cover page.

The information required on the remainder of this cover page shall not be deemed to be "filed" for the purpose of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 ("Act") or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section of the Act but shall be subject to all other provisions of the Act (however, see the Notes).



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1 NAME OF REPORTING PERSON  
I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NO. OF  
ABOVE PERSON

Rubric Capital Management, LLC

2 CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX  
IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP\*  
(a)  
(b)

3 SEC USE ONLY

4 CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF  
ORGANIZATION  
  
Delaware

NUMBER OF  
SHARES BENEFICIALLY OWNED  
BY EACH  
REPORTING PERSON  
WITH:

|                   |
|-------------------|
| SOLE VOTING POWER |
| 0                 |

|                     |
|---------------------|
| SHARED VOTING POWER |
| 6                   |
| 0 (see Item 4)      |

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|------------------------|
| SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER |
| 7                      |
| 0                      |

8 SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER

0 (see Item 4)

9 AGGREGATE AMOUNT  
BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY  
EACH REPORTING PERSON

0 (see Item 4)

10 CHECK BOX IF THE  
AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW  
(9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN  
SHARES

11 PERCENT OF CLASS  
REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN  
ROW (9)

0% (see Item 4)

12 TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON\*  
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\*SEE INSTRUCTION BEFORE FILLING OUT

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1 NAME OF REPORTING PERSON  
I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NO. OF  
ABOVE PERSON

Steven A. Cohen

2 CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX  
IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP\*  
(a)  
(b)

3 SEC USE ONLY

4 CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF  
ORGANIZATION  
  
United States

NUMBER OF  
SHARES SOLE VOTING POWER  
BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY  
EACH REPORTING PERSON  
WITH: 5 0  
6  
0 (see Item 4)

7  
0

8 SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER  
  
0 (see Item 4)

9 AGGREGATE AMOUNT  
BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY  
EACH REPORTING PERSON

0 (see Item 4)

10 CHECK BOX IF THE  
AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW  
(9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN  
SHARES

11 PERCENT OF CLASS  
REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN  
ROW (9)

0% (see Item 4)

12 TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON\*  
IN

\*SEE INSTRUCTION BEFORE FILLING OUT

Item  
1(a) Name of Issuer:

Midstates Petroleum Company, Inc.

Item  
1(b) Address of Issuer's Principal Executive Offices:

321 South Boston, Suite 1000, Tulsa, Oklahoma 74103

Item  
2(a) Name of Person Filing:

This statement is filed by: (i) Rubric Capital Management, LLC (“Rubric Capital Management”) with respect to shares of Common Stock, \$0.01 par value per share (“Shares”), of the Issuer held by certain investment funds it manages; and (ii) Steven A. Cohen with respect to Shares beneficially owned by Rubric Capital Management.

Rubric Capital Management and Steven A. Cohen, have entered into a Joint Filing Agreement, a copy of which is filed with this Schedule 13G as Exhibit 99.1, pursuant to which they have agreed to file this Schedule 13G jointly in accordance with the provisions of Rule 13d-1(k) of the Act.

Item  
2(b) Address or Principal Business Office:

The address of the principal business office of Rubric Capital Management and Mr. Cohen is 72 Cummings Point Road, Stamford, CT 06902.

Item  
2(c) Citizenship:

Rubric Capital Management is a Delaware limited liability company. Mr. Cohen is a United States citizen.

Item  
2(d) Title of Class of Securities:

Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share

Item  
2(e) CUSIP Number:

59804T100

Item  
3 Not Applicable

Item  
4 Ownership:

As of the close of business on December 31, 2015:

1. Rubric Capital Management, LLC

(a) Amount beneficially owned: -0-

(b) Percent of class: 0%

(c)(i) Sole power to vote or direct the vote: -0-

(ii) Shared power to vote or direct the vote: -0-

(iii) Sole power to dispose or direct the disposition: -0-



(iv) Shared power to dispose or direct the disposition: -0-

2. Steven A. Cohen

(a) Amount beneficially owned: -0-

(b) Percent of class: 0%

(c)(i) Sole power to vote or direct the vote: -0-

(ii) Shared power to vote or direct the vote: -0-

(iii) Sole power to dispose or direct the disposition: -0-

(iv) Shared power to dispose or direct the disposition: -0-

Rubric Capital Management and Mr. Cohen own directly no Shares. Pursuant to an investment management agreement, Rubric Capital Management maintains investment and voting power with respect to the securities held by certain investment funds it manages. Mr. Cohen controls Rubric Capital Management. Each of Rubric Capital Management and Mr. Cohen disclaims beneficial ownership of any of the securities covered by this statement.

Item Ownership of Five Percent or Less of a Class:  
5

If this statement is being filed to report the fact that as of the date hereof the reporting person has ceased to be the beneficial owner of more than five percent of the class of securities, check the following.

Item Ownership of More than Five Percent on Behalf of Another Person:  
6

Not Applicable

Item Identification and Classification of the Subsidiary Which Acquired the Security Being Reported on By the Parent Holding Company:  
7

Not Applicable

Item Identification and Classification of Members of the Group:  
8

Not Applicable

Item Notice of Dissolution of Group:  
9

Not Applicable

Item Certification:  
10

By signing below the signatory certifies that, to the best of his knowledge and belief, the securities referred to above were not acquired and are not held for the purpose of or with the effect of changing or influencing the control of the issuer of the securities and were not acquired and are not held in connection with or as a participant in any transaction

having that purpose or effect.

SIGNATURE

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, I certify that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

Dated: February 16, 2016

RUBRIC CAPITAL MANAGEMENT, LLC

By: /s/ Kevin J. O'Connor

Name: Kevin J. O'Connor

Title: Authorized Person

STEVEN A. COHEN

By: /s/ Kevin J. O'Connor

Name: Kevin J. O'Connor

Title: Authorized Person

