Orchid Island Capital, Inc.

Form 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Cauley Robert E

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Symbol

Orchid Island Capital, Inc. [ORC]

(Check all applicable)

C/O BIMINI CAPITAL

MANAGEMENT, INC., 3305 FLAMINGO DRIVE

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 02/27/2017

_X__ Director 10% Owner Other (specify X_ Officer (give title below)

President, CEO

(Street)

(State)

(First)

(Middle)

(Zip)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

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(Instr. 3)		any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3,	4 and	5)	Beneficially Owned	Form: Direct (D) or	Beneficial Ownership
		(Montal Day, Tear)	Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)
Common Stock	02/27/2017		P	5,000	A	\$ 9.65	27,931	D	
Common Stock	02/27/2017		P	2,500	A	\$ 9.6763	30,431	D	

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

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$\label{thm:convertible} \begin{tabular}{ll} Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned \\ (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) \end{tabular}$

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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	7. Titl Amou Under Securi (Instr.	nt of lying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
1	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Cauley Robert E						
C/O BIMINI CAPITAL MANAGEMENT, INC.	X		President,			
3305 FLAMINGO DRIVE	Λ		CEO			
VERO BEACH, FL 32963						

Signatures

Issuer

Company Name Markwest Energy Partners L.P.	Meeting Date June 1, 2012	CUSIP 570759100	Ticker MWE
Vote	For/Against Management	Proposal	Proposed by Issuer or Security Holder
For	For	Election of Directors: 1) Frank M. Semple 2) Danield D. Welf	Issuer
		2) Donald D. Wolf3) Keith E. Bailey4) Michael L. Beatty	

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		5) Charles K. Dempster6) Donald C. Heppermann7) Randall J. Larson8) Anne E. Fox Mounsey9) William P. Nicoletti	
For	For	To approve an amendment to the partnership's 2008 Long-Term Incentive Plan to increase the number of common units available for issuance under the plan from 2.5 million to 3.7 million	Issuer
For	For	Ratification of Deloitte & Touche LLP as the Partnership's Independent Registered Public Accountants for the fiscal year ending December 31, 2012	Issuer
Company Name	Meeting Date	CUSIP	Ticker
Copano Energy, L.L.C.	May 17, 2012	217202100	CPNO
Vote	For/Against Management	Proposal	Proposed by Issuer or Security Holder
For	For	Election of Directors:	Issuer
		1) James G. Crump	
		2) Ernie L. Danner	
		3) Scott A. Griffiths	
		4) Michael L. Johnson	
		5) Michael G. MacDougall	
		6) R. Bruce Northcutt	
		7) T. William Porter	
		8) William L. Thacker	

Company Name Meeting Date		CUSIP	Ticker
Holly Energy Partners LP	April 25, 2012	435763107	HEP
Vote	For/Against Management	Proposal	Proposed by Issuer or Security Holder
For	For	Approve an Amendment and Restatement of the Holly Energy Partners, L.P. Long-Term Incentive Plan (as it has been amended from time to time, the LTIP), which, among other things, provides for an increase in the maximum number of common units reserved and available for delivery with respect to awards under the LTIP to 1,250,000 Common Units (the "LTIP Proposal")	Issuer
For	For	Approve the adjournment of the special meeting to a later date or dates, if necessary or appropriate, to solicit additional proxies in the event there are not sufficient votes at the time of the special meeting to approve the LTIP Proposal	Issuer
Company Name	Meeting Date	CUSIP	Ticker
Regency Energy Partners LP	December 16, 2011	75885Y107	RGP
Vote	For/Against Management	Proposal	Proposed by Issuer or Security Holder
For	For	Approval of the terms of the Regency Energy Partners LP 2011 Long-Term Incentive Plan, which provides for awards of options, all as more fully described in the Proxy Statement	Issuer

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Investment Company Act of 1940, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

TORTOISE MLP FUND, INC.

Date: August 27, 2012 By: /s/ Terry Matlack

Terry Matlack

Chief Executive Officer