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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

Kloppenburg Lauriann C

(Last)

(First)

(Street)

ADAMS FUNDS, Â 500 EAST

(Middle)

(Month/Day/Year)

Statement

2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

ADAMS DIVERSIFIED EQUITY FUND, INC. [ADX]

10/12/2017

4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

5. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

(Check all applicable) PRATT STREET, SUITE 1300

> _X_ Director Officer

10% Owner _ Other (give title below) (specify below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting

Person

Form filed by More than One

Reporting Person

BALTIMORE, MDÂ 21202

(City) (State) (Zip)

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)

2. Amount of Securities

Beneficially Owned

(Instr. 4)

Ownership Form:

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

Direct (D) or Indirect (I)

(Instr. 5)