Laredo Petroleum, Inc. Form 4 March 03, 2014

#### FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person ** Curth Patrick J			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
			Laredo Petroleum, Inc. [LPI]	(Check all applicable)		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction			
			(Month/Day/Year)	Director 10% Owner		
15 W. SIXTH STREET, SUITE 1800			02/27/2014	_X_ Officer (give title Other (specify		
				below) below) Sr. VP - Exploration & Land		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
TULSA, OK 74119			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities A	canired Disposed of ar Reneficially Owne		

(City)	(State) (2	Table	: I - Non-De	erivative S	ecurit	ies Acq	uired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if	3. Transactio	4. Securiti		•	5. Amount of Securities	6. Ownership Form: Direct	7. Nature of Indirect
(Instr. 3)	(1.1011111,1211)	any	Code	Fransaction(A) or Disposed of Code (D)			Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3, 4	and 5	j)	Owned Following	Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Ownership (Instr. 4)
					(A)		Reported Transaction(s)		
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	02/27/2014	02/27/2014	A	10,534	A	\$ 0 (1)	151,066	D	
Common Stock	02/27/2014	02/27/2014	A	2,486	A	\$ 0 (2)	153,552	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 orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisals Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year		7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Secu
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	An or Nu of
Stock Option (Right to buy)	\$ 25.6	02/27/2014		A	26,068	02/27/2015	02/27/2024	Common Stock	26
Performance Units	<u>(4)</u>	02/27/2014		A	21,068	12/31/2016	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	21
Stock Option (Right to buy)	\$ 17.34					02/15/2014(3)	02/15/2023	Common Stock	33
Performance Units	<u>(5)</u>					12/31/2015	<u>(5)</u>	Common Stock	4
Stock Option (Right to buy)	\$ 24.11					02/03/2013(3)	02/03/2022	Common Stock	21
Performance Units	<u>(6)</u>					12/31/2014	<u>(6)</u>	Common Stock	4

### **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
• 0	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		

Curth Patrick J

15 W. SIXTH STREET, SUITE 1800 Sr. VP - Exploration & Land TULSA, OK 74119

### **Signatures**

Kenneth E. Dornblaser, as attorney-in-fact for Patrick J.
Curth 03/03/2014

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person Date

#### **Explanation of Responses:**

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
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- (1) These restricted shares are granted under the Issuer's 2011 Omnibus Equity Incentive Plan and will vest in three equal annual installments beginning on the first anniversary date of the grant.
- (2) These restricted shares are granted under the Issuer's 2011 Omnibus Equity Incentive Plan and will vest on the first anniversary date of the grant.
- (3) This stock option is granted under the Issuer's 2011 Omnibus Equity Incentive Plan and is exercisable as to 25% on each of the first four anniversaries of the date of the grant.
- These performance share units are granted under the Issuer's 2011 Omnibus Equity Incentive Plan. Each performance share unit represents a share of common stock. The performance share units will be payable, if at all, in common stock, based upon the Issuer's total shareholders return measured against an industry peer group, over a three year performance period ending December 31, 2016. The final number of shares of common stock granted can range from 0% to 200% of the performance share units.
- These performance units were granted under the Issuer's 2011 Omnibus Equity Incentive Plan. Each performance unit has a value of \$100. The performance units will be payable, if at all, in cash, based upon the Issuer's total shareholders return measured against an industry peer group, over a three year performance period ending December 31, 2015. The final value of the performance units granted can range from 0% to 200% of the target value.
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