Instruction 1(b)

FORM 4

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## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

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Name and Address of Reporting Person*     Levy James R.						2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol Laredo Petroleum, Inc. [ LPI ]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)						
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(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O WARBURG PINCUS LLC					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/19/2015								Officer (give title Other (below) below)					(specify		
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		Tabl	e I -	Non-Deriv	ativ/	e Sec	urities	Acq	uir	ed, [	Disposed	of, or l	Benefici	ally Own	ed					
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Yea					2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Co	Transaction Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			Beneficially Owned Follov		Form: Direct (D) or Indirect		Indirect			
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Common Stock 05/				05/19/20	15			A	4		13,030(1)	A	\$13.43	57,9	95 I		)			
Common Stock													87,670	,127	I		See foot	note <sup>(2)(3)(4)</sup>		
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## Explanation of Responses:

1. These restricted shares are granted under the Issuer's 2011 Omnibus Equity Incentive Plan with a portion granted as an annual stock grant and the remainder in lieu of cash payments for director fees at the

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- 2. The stockholders are (i) Warburg Pincus Private Equity IX, L.P., a Delaware limited partnership ("WP IX"), including an affiliated partnership, (ii) Warburg Pincus Private Equity X O&G, L.P., a Delaware limited partnership ("WP X O&G"), and (iii) Warburg Pincus X Partners, L.P., a Delaware limited partnership ("WP X Partners"). Warburg Pincus IX GP L.P., a Delaware limited partnership ("WP X GP") is the general partner of WP IX. Warburg Pincus X, L.P., a Delaware limited partnership ("WP X GP") is the general partner of WP X O&G and WP X Partners. Warburg Pincus X GP L.P., a Delaware limited partnership ("WP X LP"), is the general partner of WP IX GP and WP X GP.
- 3. Warburg Pincus Partners, L.P., a Delaware limited partnership ("WP Partners"), is the managing member of WPP GP. Warburg Pincus Partners GP LLC, a Delaware limited liability company ("WP Partners") GP"), is the general partner of WP Partners. Warburg Pincus & Co., a New York general partnership ("WP"), is the managing member of WP Partners. Warburg Pincus LLC, a New York limited liability company ("WP LLC"), manages each of WP IX, WP X O&G and WP X Partners. Charles R. Kaye and Joseph P. Landy are each Managing General Partners of WP and Managing Members and Co-Chief Executive Officers of WP LLC and may be deemed to control the Warburg Pincus entities. Messrs. Kaye and Landy disclaim beneficial ownership of all shares held by the Warburg Pincus entities. The address of the Warburg Pincus entities is 450 Lexington Avenue, New York, New York 10017.
- 4. James R. Levy is a director of the Company, a Partner of WP and a Member and Managing Director of WP LLC. All shares indicated as owned by Mr. Levy are included because of his affiliation with the Warburg Pincus entities. Mr. Levy disclaims beneficial ownership of all shares held by the Warburg Pincus entities.

## Remarks:

Kenneth E. Dornblaser, as attorney-in-fact for James R.

of Shares

Title

05/21/2015

<u>Levy</u>

Expiration

Date

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

- \* 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).

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