FORM 4

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person [*] Curth Patrick J						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Laredo Petroleum, Inc. [LPI]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner V Officer (give title Other (specify							
(Last) (First) (Middle) 15 W. SIXTH STREET, SUITE 900							3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/17/2017								- X Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) Sr. VP - Exploration & Land						
(Street) TULSA OK 74119 (City) (State) (Zip)						4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person							
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1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Trans Date (Month/I				saction	ear)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Transaction Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (A) or			or 5. An and 5) Secu Bene Owne		ount of rities ficially d Following		: Direct Indirect str. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership			
									v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	e (Instr.		ction(s) 8 and 4)			(Instr. 4)			
Common S	Stock			02/17	/2017	(1)					20,872	A \$1		12(1)	⁽¹⁾ 193,798		D				
			Table II								oosed of, convertik				vned						
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deeme Execution if any (Month/Day	ed Date,	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		5. Number of		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		sable and	7. Title and Amo of Securities Underlying Derivative Secu (Instr. 3 and 4)		nt a	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Numbe derivativ Securitie Beneficia Owned Following Reported Transact (Instr. 4)	e s ally g	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisa	ble	Expiration Date	Title	Amoun or Numbe of Shar	er							
Stock Option (Right to buy)	\$14.12	02/17/2017 ⁽²⁾			A		31,571		02/17/20	18 ⁽²⁾	02/17/2027	Common Stock	31,57	71	\$0 ⁽²⁾	31,571		D			
Performance Units	(3)	02/17/2017 ⁽³⁾			A		41,744		02/17/2	020	(3)	Common Stock	41,74	44	\$ <mark>0</mark>	41,744		D			
Stock Option (Right to buy)	\$4.1								02/19/20	17 ⁽²⁾	02/19/2026	Common Stock	84,17	73		84,173		D			
Performance Units	(4)								02/19/20	019	(4)	Common Stock	105,5	36		105,536		D			
Stock Option (Right to buy)	\$11.93								02/27/20	16 ⁽²⁾	02/27/2025	Common Stock	45,57	74		45,57	74	D			
Performance Units	(5)								02/27/2	018	(5)	Common Stock	43,47	72		43,47	72	D			
Stock Option (Right to buy)	\$25.6								02/27/20	15 ⁽²⁾	02/27/2024	Common Stock	26,06	58		26,06	58	D			
Performance Units	(6)								02/27/20	017	(6)	Common Stock	21,06	58		21,06	58	D			
Stock Option (Right to buy)	\$17.34								02/15/20	14 ⁽²⁾	02/15/2023	Common Stock	33,33	30		33,33	30	D			
Stock Option (Right to	\$24.11								02/03/20	13 ⁽²⁾	02/03/2022	Common	21,13	31		21,13	31	D			

Explanation of Responses:

buy)

1. These restricted shares are granted under the Issuer's Omnibus Equity Incentive Plan and will vest in three equal annual installments beginning on the first anniversary date of the grant.

2. This stock option was granted under the Issuer's Omnibus Equity Incentive Plan and is exercisable as to 25% on each of the first four anniversaries of the date of the grant.

3. These performance share units are granted under the Issuer's 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, 2019. The final number of shares of common stock granted can range from 0% to 200% of the performance share units.

4. These performance share units are granted under the Issuer's 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, 2018. The final number of shares of common stock granted can range from 0% to 200% of the performance share units.

5. These performance share units are granted under the Issuer's 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, 2017. The final number of shares of common

stock granted can range from 0% to 200% of the performance share units.

6. 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. As their performance criteria were satisfied, 75% of the shares will be issued during the first quarter of 2017 if the February 27, 2017 vesting criteria is satisfied.

Remarks:

<u>Kenneth E. Dornblaser, as</u>

attorney-in-fact for Patrick J. Curth 02/22/2017

Date

** Signature of Reporting Person

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).

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