FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* Levy James R.					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Laredo Petroleum Holdings, Inc. [LPI]									ck all app Dired	tionship of Reporti all applicable) Director		10% C	Owner	
	`	NCUS LLC	Middle)		08/	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) below) be 08/15/2013										below)			
(Street) NEW YC			.0017 Zip)		- 4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Line) X Form filed by One Report Form filed by More than O									porting Pers	son			
	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																		
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transa Date (Month/D				Execution Date,			Transaction Disposed Of Code (Instr. 5)			es Acquired (A) or Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
									Code	v	Amount	(A) (D)	(A) or (D) Price		Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(111501. 4)
Common	Stock			08/15	/2013				A		643(1)	A	1 4	23.3	3 24,780 D				
Common Stock															83,993,854			(2)(3)	See footnote ⁽⁴⁾
Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)																			
Derivative Conversion Date Execuse Security Or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any			3A. Deem Execution if any (Month/D	n Date, Transaction Code (Inst					6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		e	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		De Se (In	Price of rivative curity str. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	y	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisa		Expiration Date	Title	or Numb of Share	er					

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. These restricted shares are granted under the Issuer's 2011 Omnibus Equity Incentive Plan in lieu of cash payments for director fees at the election of the director.
- 2. The stockholders of Laredo Petroleum Holdings, Inc., a Delaware corporation (the "Issuer") are Warburg Pincus Private Equity IX, L.P., a Delaware limited partnership ("WP IX", and together with an affiliated partnership, the "WP IX Funds"), and Warburg Pincus Private Equity X O&G, L.P., a Delaware limited partnership (together with an affiliated partnership, the "WP X Funds"). The total number of shares of Common Stock of the Issuer owned by the WP IX Funds is 66,977,479 shares of Common Stock and the total number of shares of Common Stock of the Issuer owned by the WP X Funds is 17,016,375 shares of Common Stock. Together, the WP IX Funds and the WP X Funds own 83,993,854 shares of Common Stock of the Issuer.
- 3. Warburg Pincus IX LLC, a New York limited liability company ("WP IX 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 the WP X Funds. Warburg Pincus X LLC, a Delaware limited liability company ("WP X LLC"), is the general partner of WP X GP. Warburg Pincus Partners LLC, a New York limited liability company ("WP Partners"), is the sole member of WP IX GP and WP X LLC. 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 the WP IX Funds and the WP X Funds. Charles R. Kaye and Joseph P. Landy are the Managing General Partners of WP and the Co-Presidents and Managing Members of WP LLC and may be deemed to control the WP IX Funds, WP IX GP, the WP X Funds, WP X GP, WP X LLC, WP Partners, WP and WP LLC.
- 4. Because of Mr. Levy's affiliation with the Warburg Pincus entities, he may be deemed to have an indirect pecuniary interest (within the meaning of Rule 16a-1 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act")) in an indeterminate portion of the shares of Common Stock of the Issuer owned by the WP IX Funds and the WP X Funds. Mr. Levy disclaims beneficial ownership of all shares of Common Stock of the Issuer in which he does not have a direct pecuniary interest. This Form 4 shall not be deemed an admission that any reporting person or any other person referred to herein is a beneficial owner of any securities of the Issuer for purposes of Section 16 of the Exchange Act, or for any other purpose or that any reporting person or other person has an obligation to file this Form 4.

Remarks:

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

08/19/2013

Levy

** 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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