FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* Pierce Pamela S						2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol Laredo Petroleum, Inc. [ LPI ]									neck all a	hip of Reportir pplicable) ector	ng Person(s) to	ssuer Owner
(Last) (First) (Middle) 15 W. SIXTH STREET, SUITE 900						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/16/2017										icer (give title low)	Other below	(specify /)
(Street) TULSA (City)	OI (St	( 7	4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6. Lin	e) <mark>X</mark> Fo	ividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
		Tabl	e I - No	n-Deriv	ative	Sec	curitie	s Ac	quired,	Dis	posed o	f, or	Bene	eficia	ly Ow	ned		
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transac Date (Month/Date)						Execution Date,			3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)  4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4)  5)				Sec Ben Owr	mount of urities eficially ned Following orted	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
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Common Stock 08/16/					/2017	2017		A		2,322(1)		A	\$11.8	.84 158,152		D		
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security  3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)  3. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		n Date,	Transaction Code (Instr. B) S A (A C C C C C C C C C C C C C C C C C		of Deriv Secu Acqu (A) o Disp	r osed ) r. 3, 4	6. Date E Expiratio (Month/D	n Dat	e Amount of		ount	3. Price o Derivativo Security (Instr. 5)		Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		

## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. These shares are granted under the Issuer's Omnibus Equity Incentive Plan in lieu of cash payments for director fees at the election of the director.

## Remarks:

/s/ Kenneth E. Dornblaser, as 08/18/2017 attorney-in-fact for Pamela S. **Pierce** 

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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