

Laredo Petroleum Holdings, Inc.  
 Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
**Foutch Randy A**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
**Laredo Petroleum Holdings, Inc. [LPI]**

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  
 (Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
**15 W. SIXTH STREET, SUITE 1800**  
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
**08/19/2013**

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  
**Chairman & CEO**

**TULSA, OK 74119**

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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(City) (State) (Zip)

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code V Amount (A) or (D) Price			
Common Stock	08/19/2013		S	5,000 D \$ 23.75	95,037	I	By Foutch Family Trust A <sup>(1)</sup>
Common Stock	08/19/2013		S	5,000 D \$ 23.75	95,037	I	By Foutch Family Trust B <sup>(1)</sup>
Common Stock	08/19/2013		S	5,000 D \$ 23.75	95,037	I	By Foutch Family Trust C <sup>(1)</sup>
Common	08/19/2013		S	5,000 D \$	95,037	I	By Foutch

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Stock					23.75				Family Trust D <sup>(1)</sup>
Common Stock	08/19/2013		S	80,000	D	\$ 23.75	450,119	I	By Lariat Ranch LLC <sup>(1)</sup>

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 Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title or Number of Shares	

**Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Foutch Randy A 15 W. SIXTH STREET, SUITE 1800 TULSA, OK 74119	X		Chairman & CEO	

**Signatures**

/s/ Kenneth E. Dornblaser as attorney-in-fact for Randy A. Foutch 08/21/2013

<sup>\*\*</sup>Signature of Reporting Person Date

**Explanation of Responses:**

- \* 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).
- (1) By reason of the provisions of Rule 16a-1 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act"), Mr. Foutch may be deemed to be a beneficial owner of the 380,148 shares of common stock of the Issuer held by the Foutch Family Trusts and the 450,119

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shares of common stock held by Lariat Ranch LLC. Pursuant to Rule 16a-1(a)(4) of the Exchange Act, Mr. Foutch herein states that this Form 4 shall not be deemed an admission that he is the beneficial owner of such shares of common stock. Mr. Foutch disclaims beneficial ownership of the common stock of the Issuer, except to the extent that he has a pecuniary interest in such shares of common stock.

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