

Dornblaser Kenneth E
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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 *
 Dornblaser Kenneth E

(Last) (First) (Middle)

15 W. SIXTH STREET, SUITE 900

(Street)

TULSA, OK 74119

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
 (Month/Day/Year)
 02/15/2019

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
 Sr. VP, Legal & Admin. Svcs.

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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 Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|
| | | | Code | V | Amount (A) or Price (D) | | |
| Common Stock | 02/15/2019 | | F | | 17,293 (1) \$ 3.86 | D | |
| Common Stock | 02/19/2019 | | F | | 4,892 (1) \$ 3.76 | D | |
| Common Stock | 02/19/2019 | | M | | 0 (2) \$ 0 | D | |

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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) | | |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|--------------|----------------------------|
| | | | | Code | V (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares |
| Performance Units | (3) | | | | | 02/16/2021 | (3) | Common Stock | 67,935 |
| Stock Option (Right to buy) | \$ 14.12 | | | | | 02/17/2018(4) | 02/17/2027 | Common Stock | 29,472 |
| Performance Units | (5) | | | | | 02/17/2020 | (5) | Common Stock | 38,968 |
| Stock Option (Right to buy) | \$ 4.1 | | | | | 02/19/2017(4) | 02/19/2026 | Common Stock | 77,528 |
| Performance Units | (2) | 02/19/2019 | | M | 0 | 02/19/2019 | (2) | Common Stock | 0 |
| Stock Option (Right to buy) | \$ 11.93 | | | | | 02/27/2016(4) | 02/27/2025 | Common Stock | 41,976 |
| Stock Option (Right to buy) | \$ 25.6 | | | | | 02/27/2015(4) | 02/27/2024 | Common Stock | 24,010 |
| Stock Option (Right to buy) | \$ 17.34 | | | | | 02/15/2014(4) | 02/15/2023 | Common Stock | 26,348 |
| Stock Option (Right to buy) | \$ 24.11 | | | | | 02/03/2013(4) | 02/03/2022 | Common Stock | 13,971 |

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Reporting Owners

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Director 10% Owner Officer Other

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TULSA, OK 74119

Sr. VP,
Legal &
Admin.
Svcs.

Signatures

/s/ Kenneth E. 02/20/2019
Dornblaser

 **Signature of Reporting Date
Person

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) Represents shares of common stock withheld by the Issuer to satisfy tax withholding obligations of the Reporting Person in connection with the vesting of a portion of restricted shares previously granted to the Reporting Person under the Issuer's Omnibus Equity Incentive Plan.
The performance share units were granted under the Issuer's Omnibus Equity Incentive Plan and were originally reported on a Form 4 filed by the Issuer on May 27, 2016. Each performance unit represented a share of common stock. The performance units vested on February 19, 2019, and became payable 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. Based on the actual market criteria, 0% of the 97,204 performance units were issued, resulting in the issuance of 0 shares of common stock.
 - (2) 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 (i) against an industry peer group, (ii) on an absolute share return basis and (iii) based on a return on average capital employed metric, over a three-year performance period ending December 31, 2020. The final number of shares of common stock granted can range from 0% to 200% of the performance share units.
 - (3) 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.
 - (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, 2019. The final number of shares of common stock granted can range from 0% to 200% of the performance share units.
 - (5)

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