ROONEY L F III Form 4/A March 26, 2012

# FORM 4

#### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

See Instruction

1. Name and Ad	^	orting Person *	Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading  Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer				
			Laredo Petroleum Holdings, Inc. [LPI]	(Check all applicable)				
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)	X Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below)				
15 W. SIXTH STREET, SUITE 1800			12/19/2011					
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check				
			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line)				
TULSA, OK 74119			12/21/2011	_X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities A	cquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owne				


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. Securitie on(A) or Disp (Instr. 3, 4	osed o	of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	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	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			
Common Stock	12/19/2011		J <u>(1)</u>	5,827 (4)	A	\$ 0 (1)	5,827	D		
Common Stock	12/19/2011		J <u>(1)</u>	140,147 ( <u>4)</u>	A	\$ 0 (1)	140,147	I	By Rooney Capital LLC (3)	
Common Stock	12/20/2011		P	294,118 ( <u>4)</u>	A	\$ 17 (2)	434,265	I	By Rooney Capital LLC (3)	

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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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Titl	e and	8. Price of	9
Derivativ	e Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transacti	orNumber	Expiration Da	ate	Amou	nt of	Derivative	J
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Under	lying	Security	,
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative	e		Secur	ities	(Instr. 5)	]
	Derivative				Securities			(Instr.	3 and 4)		(
	Security				Acquired						J
					(A) or						J
					Disposed						-
					of (D)						(
					(Instr. 3,						
					4, and 5)						
									Amount		
									or		
						Date	Expiration	Title			
						Exercisable	Date	Title			
				Code V	(A) (D)						
				Code V	(A) (D)		*	Title	Number of Shares		

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

ROONEY L F III 15 W. SIXTH STREET, SUITE 1800 X TULSA, OK 74119

### **Signatures**

/s/ Kenneth E. Dornblaser, as attorney-in-fact for Francis Rooney

03/26/2012

\*\*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).

These shares were received in connection with a corporate reorganization completed prior to the closing of the Issuer's initial public offering described in the prospectus dated December 14, 2011, in which Laredo Petroleum, LLC ("Laredo LLC") merged with the Issuer, with the Issuer being the surviving entity. In accordance with the limited liability company agreement of Laredo LLC, the reporting

- person received common stock of the Issuer in exchange for his vested and unvested units in Laredo LLC. The number of shares that the reporting person received was based on the value that the reporting person would have received under the distribution provisions of the Laredo LLC agreement upon a liquidation of Laredo LLC at a liquidation value determined by reference to the initial offering price. To the extent any such units were subject to vesting requirements, the common stock issued in exchange therefor is also subject to such requirements.
- (2) The price to the public in the Issuer's initial public offering.

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- By reason of the provisions of Rule 16a-1 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act"), Mr. Rooney may be deemed to be a beneficial owner of the 434,265 shares of common stock of the Issuer held by Rooney Capital LLC. Pursuant to Rule
- (3) 16a-1(a)(4) of the Exchange Act, Mr. Rooney 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. Rooney 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.
- The previously filed Form 4 mistakenly reported these 440,092 shares of common stock as all being directly held by Mr. Rooney. This amendment corrects the ownership to show that Mr. Rooney holds (i) 5,827 shares directly and (ii) 434,265 indirectly through Rooney Capital LLC.

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