

ADAMS MICHAEL G  
Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

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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 \*  
ADAMS MICHAEL G

(Last) (First) (Middle)

16 SOUTH PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE

(Street)

OKLAHOMA CITY, OK 73107

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
LSB INDUSTRIES INC [LXU]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
12/22/2011

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_ 10% Owner  
\_X\_ Officer (give title below) \_\_\_ Other (specify below)

VP/Corporate Controller

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person  
\_\_\_ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

**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)
Common Stock	12/22/2011		M	V Amount (A) or (D) Price \$ 7.86	22,025	I	By Trust (1)

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)**

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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)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code	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.			
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Incentive Stock Option <sup>(2)</sup>	\$ 7.86	12/22/2011		M		7,425	<u>(2)</u>	11/13/2018		Common Stock	7,425

### Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
ADAMS MICHAEL G 16 SOUTH PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE OKLAHOMA CITY, OK 73107			VP/Corporate Controller	

### Signatures

Michael G. Adams  
12/23/2011

<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) These shares are held by the reporting person's revocable trust of which he is the settlor and trustee and possesses a pecuniary interest in the securities held by the trust.
  - Incentive Stock Options ("ISO") granted by the Issuer to the reporting person under the Issuer's Incentive Stock Option Plans. An ISO for 15,000 shares of the Issuer's common stock exercisable at \$7.86, with an expiration date of November 13, 2018, was granted to the reporting person on November 13, 2008. This ISO vests at the end of years one through six in the following amounts: 16.5%, 16.5%, 16.5%, 16.5% and 17.5%. This ISO will be fully vested at the end of year six. As of the date of this report, the total number of shares underlying the ISO held by the reporting person is 7,575.

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