HUTCHESON STEWART D

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * **HUTCHESON STEWART D**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

LEAP WIRELESS INTERNATIONAL INC [LEAP]

(Check all applicable)

(Last)

(First)

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

_X__ Director X_ Officer (give title

10% Owner Other (specify

C/O LEAP WIRELESS INTERNATIONAL, INC., 5887

(Street)

COPLEY DRIVE

(Month/Day/Year) 03/25/2012

below)

CEO & President

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

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SAN DIEGO, CA 92111

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities Acquired 5. Amount of 7. Nature of Indirect Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Securities Ownership (Instr. 3) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Beneficially Form: Direct Beneficial (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) Owned (D) or Ownership **Following** Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) Reported (Instr. 4) (A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) (D) Price Code V Amount \$ Common D 03/25/2012 $S^{(1)}$ 03/26/2012 9,400 9.7934 219,920 D Stock (2)

Common Stock

123,316

by Trust

(9-02)

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	le and	8. Price of	9. Nu
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transacti	orNumber	Expiration D	ate	Amou	ınt of	Derivative	Deriv
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						2			of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
reporting Owner Name, Names	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
HUTCHESON STEWART D C/O LEAP WIRELESS INTERNATIONAL, INC. 5887 COPLEY DRIVE SAN DIEGO, CA 92111	X		CEO & President				

Signatures

By: Kristopher L. Hanson, Attorney-in-Fact For: Stewart Douglas
Hutcheson

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).
- (1) Represents the sale of shares to cover taxes due on vesting of restricted stock award pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 Sales Plan dated as of December 10, 2010, which plan is intended to comply with Rule 10b5-1.
- (2) The sale prices for this transaction ranged from \$9.72 to \$9.97. The filer hereby agrees to provide, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.

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