LPL Financial Holdings Inc.

Form 4

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FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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See Instruction

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Helliker Mark

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

LPL Financial Holdings Inc. [LPLA]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

Issuer

(Last)

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

Director

10% Owner

C/O LPL FINANCIAL HOLDINGS INC., 75 STATE STREET, 24TH **FLOOR**

(First)

(Month/Day/Year)

03/06/2015

X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)

MD, Client Support Services

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

(Instr. 8)

A

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

D

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

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

BOSTON, MA 02109

(City)

1. Title of

Security

(Instr. 3)

(State) (Zip) 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Beneficial Ownership Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

(A) or

Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

(D) Price Code V Amount

Common Stock

03/06/2015

2,634 \$0 $7,001 \frac{(2)}{}$ (1)

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

(Month/Day/Year)

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number of or 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 |
| Option to purchase Common Stock | \$ 45.55 | 03/06/2015 | | A | 18,445 | (3) | 03/06/2025 | Common Stock | 18,445 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationsnips | | | | | |
|--------------------------------|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|--|--|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | | |

Helliker Mark C/O LPL FINANCIAL HOLDINGS INC. 75 STATE STREET, 24TH FLOOR BOSTON, MA 02109

MD, Client Support Services

Signatures

/s/ Mark R.

Helliker 03/10/2015

**Signature of Date
Reporting 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).
- These shares represent restricted stock units. Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of common stock (1) on the applicable vesting date. These restricted stock units will vest ratably on each of March 6, 2016, March 6, 2017 and March 6, 2018. Vested shares will be issued to the reporting person as soon as practicable after the applicable vesting date.
- Consists of (i) 1,338 shares of Common Stock; (ii) 1,661 restricted stock units that vest ratably on February 22, 2016 and February 22, 2017; (iii) 1,368 restricted stock units that vest ratably on February 24, 2016 and February 24, 2017; and (iv) the reported restricted stock units on this Form 4.
- (3) This option becomes exercisable in three equal annual installments on each of March 6, 2016, March 6, 2017 and March 6, 2018.

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