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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Stearns Esther M</u> (Last) (First) (Middle) <u>C/O LPL INVESTMENT HOLDINGS INC.</u> <u>ONE BEACON STREET</u> (Street) <u>BOSTON MA 02108</u> (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>LPL Investment Holdings Inc. [LPLA]</u>	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) X <u>President & COO</u>
	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) <u>02/22/2012</u>	
	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	

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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock	02/22/2012		M		627,918	A	\$0.00	900,934	D	
Common Stock	02/22/2012		F		284,008	D	\$32.6	616,926	D	

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 Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date						Title
Restricted Stock Units	\$0.00	02/22/2012		M		627,918		(1)	(2)	Common Stock	627,918	\$0.00	0	D	

Explanation of Responses:

- Each stock unit is a bookkeeping entry of which one stock unit is the economic equivalent of one share of Issuer's common stock.
- Restricted Stock Units are fully vested, except that accounts are forfeited if the holder is terminated for cause. Distribution of units occurs at the earliest to occur of death, disability, change in control (as defined in the 2008 Deferred Compensation Plan) or February 22, 2012. Settlement is made within 90 days of the distribution event (or, with respect to the settlement in 2012, by the end of the calendar year).

Remarks:

/s/ Peggy L. Ho, attorney-in-fact 02/24/2012

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

* 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).

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