

LITHIA MOTORS INC  
Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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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 \*  
**GRAY R BRADFORD**

(Last) (First) (Middle)

150 N. BARTLETT

(Street)

MEDFORD, OR 97501

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
**LITHIA MOTORS INC [LAD]**

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
**02/25/2014**

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

Executive Vice President

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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**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)	(A) or (D)	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	Price		
Class A Common Stock	02/25/2014		M		2,600	\$ 9.375	D	
Class A Common Stock	02/25/2014		S		617	\$ 62	D	
Class A Common Stock	02/25/2014		S		800	\$ 62.02	D	
Class A Common	02/25/2014		S		183	\$ 62.03	D	

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Stock								
Class A Common Stock	02/25/2014	S	500	D	\$ 62.05	25,016	D	
Class A Common Stock	02/25/2014	S	500	D	\$ 62.06	24,516	D	
Class A Common Stock	02/26/2014	M	11,400	A	\$ 9.375	35,916	D	
Class A Common Stock	02/26/2014	S	1,164	D	\$ 61.78	34,752	D	
Class A Common Stock	02/26/2014	S	1,591	D	\$ 61.8	33,161	D	
Class A Common Stock	02/26/2014	S	168	D	\$ 61.93	32,993	D	
Class A Common Stock	02/26/2014	S	100	D	\$ 61.94	32,893	D	
Class A Common Stock	02/26/2014	S	595	D	\$ 61.98	32,298	D	
Class A Common Stock	02/26/2014	S	407	D	\$ 62	31,891	D	
Class A Common Stock	02/26/2014	S	142	D	\$ 62.01	31,749	D	
Class A Common Stock	02/26/2014	S	831	D	\$ 62.02	30,918	D	
Class A Common Stock	02/26/2014	S	100	D	\$ 62.03	30,818	D	
Class A Common Stock	02/26/2014	S	1,709	D	\$ 62.04	29,109	D	
Class A Common Stock	02/26/2014	S	100	D	\$ 62.29	29,009	D	

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Class A Common Stock	02/26/2014	S	1,371	D	\$ 62.3	27,638	D
Class A Common Stock	02/26/2014	S	725	D	\$ 62.61	26,913	D
Class A Common Stock	02/26/2014	S	2,397	D	\$ 62.62	24,516	D

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 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 Underlying Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Am or Num of S
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 9.375	02/25/2014		M	2,600	03/10/2012	03/10/2014	Class A Common Stock	2,
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 9.375	02/26/2014		M	11,400	03/10/2012	03/10/2014	Class A Common Stock	11

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
GRAY R BRADFORD 150 N. BARTLETT MEDFORD, OR 97501			Executive Vice President	

## Signatures

Larissa McAlister,  
Attorney-in-Fact

02/26/2014

\_\_Signature of Reporting Person

Date

## Explanation of Responses:

\* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).

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