

LACLEDE GROUP INC

Form 4/A

December 12, 2013

**FORM 4**
**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
**Washington, D.C. 20549**

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1(b).

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF  
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
Darrell Mark C

(Last) (First) (Middle)

720 OLIVE STREET

(Street)

ST. LOUIS, MO 63101

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading  
Symbol  
LACLEDE GROUP INC [LG]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
12/02/2013

4. If Amendment, Date Original  
Filed(Month/Day/Year)  
12/03/2013

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to  
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

Senior Vice President

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	12/02/2013		A	Amount <u>1,875</u> (1)	(A) or (D) A \$ 0	30,258	D
Common Stock	12/02/2013		A	<u>1,096</u> (2)	A \$ 0	31,354	D
Common Stock	12/02/2013		F	<u>500</u> (3)	D \$ 45.85	30,854	D
Common Stock	12/02/2013		A	<u>1,140</u> (4)	A \$ 45.85	31,994	D
Common Stock	12/02/2013		F	<u>2,047</u> (5)	D \$ 45.85	29,947	D

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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 Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Own Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares

## Reporting Owners

### Reporting Owner Name / Address

### Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Darrell Mark C  
720 OLIVE STREET  
ST. LOUIS, MO 63101

Senior Vice President

## Signatures

/s/ Mark C.  
Darrell

12/12/2013

\*\*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 award of time vested restricted stock that vests on 12/02/2016.

(2) Represents strategic award of time-vested restricted stock that vests on 12/2/2014.

(3) This line represents the number of shares withheld for the payment of taxes incident to the vesting of 1,500 shares of time vested restricted stock.

(4) Represents restricted stock performance units that vested and settled in stock based on performance metrics not tied to the market price of the Company's stock. Prior report indicated 6,140 performance contingent stock units vested, net of 2,047 units withheld for taxes.

(5)

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This line represents the number of shares withheld for the payment of taxes incident to the vesting of performance based restricted stock and units. Prior report identified these as units (netted against those previously reported as vested) instead of shares.

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