LEAP WIRELESS INTERNATIONAL INC Form 3 February 29, 2008 **FORM 3 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION** Washington, D.C. 20549

INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and A Person <u>*</u> INGRAM			 Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year) 	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol LEAP WIRELESS INTERNATIONAL INC [LEAP]				
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	02/27/2008	4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	
10307 PAC	IFIC CEN	ΓER						
COURT								
(Street) SAN DIEGO, CA 92121				Director 10% Owner X_Officer Other (give title below) (specify below) Sr.VP Strategy & Financial Ops		6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - I	Non-Derivat	tive Securit	ies Be	neficially Owned	
1.Title of Secu (Instr. 4)	rity		2. Amount o Beneficially (Instr. 4)		3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)		ture of Indirect Beneficial ership . 5)	
Common St	ock		37,500		D	Â		
Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities benefit owned directly or indirectly. Persons who respond to the collection o				of SEC 1473 (7-02)				
information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB control number.								

Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security	4. Conversion or Exercise	5. Ownership Form of	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
		(Instr. 4)	Price of	Derivative	(Instr. 5)
		Title	Derivative Security	Security: Direct (D)	

OMB APPROVAL

OMB Number: 3235-0104 Expires: January 31, 2005 Estimated average burden hours per response... 0.5

Edgar Filing: LEAP WIRELESS INTERNATIONAL INC - Form 3

	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date		Amount or Number of Shares		or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	(1)	12/22/2017	Common Stock	15,000	\$ 51.51	D	Â
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy)	(2)	09/19/2017	Common Stock	65,000	\$ 79	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
, o the second sec	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
INGRAM WILLIAM 10307 PACIFIC CENTER COURT SAN DIEGO, CA 92121	Â	Â	Sr.VP Strategy & Financial Ops	Â		
Signatures						

By: Robert J. Irving, Jr., Attorney-in-Fact For: William Ingram

**Signature of Reporting Person

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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) The option vests in four equal installments on December 22, 2008, December 22, 2009, December 22, 2010 and December 22, 2011, respectively.

The option vests as to all the shares on September 19, 2012. The option is subject to acceleration of vesting of up to 30% of the total(2) shares covered by the option in each of 2009, 2010 and 2011 upon the Company's announcement of its financial results for the previous fiscal year, if the Company meets certain performance goals in such previous fiscal year.

02/29/2008

Date

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, *See* Instruction 6 for procedure. Potential persons who are to respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB number.