DEBOER BRYAN B

Form 4

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FORM 4

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

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and DEBOER 1	Symbol	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol LITHIA MOTORS INC [LAD]			5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First) (I	Middle) 3. Date of	of Earliest T	ransaction	(Che	ск ан аррпсаот	c)	
360 E. JAC	`	(Month/Day/Year) 11/18/2011			Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below) President & COO			
	4. If Am	4. If Amendment, Date Original			6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
MEDFORI	Filed(Mo	onth/Day/Yea	ır)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tak	ole I - Non-	Derivative Securities Acq	uired, Disposed o	of, or Beneficia	lly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired on(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	

1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Transaction(A) or D Code (Instr. 3, (Instr. 8)		(A) or		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)	
Class A Common	11/18/2011		Code	V	Amount 5,231	(D)	Price \$ 19.24	71,831	D	
Class A Common	11/18/2011		F(1)		4,885	D	\$ 0	66,946	D	
Class A Common	08/08/2011		L	V	54	A	\$ 17.65	54	I	By Custodian For Child
Class A Common	08/15/2011		L	V	26	A	\$ 18.06	80	I	By Custodian For Child
	09/01/2011		L	V	60	A		140	I	

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Class A \$ By
Common 17.68 Custodian
For Child

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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)			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
Stock Option (2001nq) (right to	\$ 19.24	11/18/2011		M		5,231	12/26/2006	12/26/2011	Class A Common	5,231

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

DEBOER BRYAN B 360 E. JACKSON ST. MEDFORD, OR 97501

President & COO

Signatures

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By: Cliff E. Spencer, Attorney in Fact 11/21/2011

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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- * 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) This disposition to the issurer was executed pursuant to prior approval by the compensation committee in accordance with Section 16b-3(e).

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