

RANKIN JEAN F
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FORM 4

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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 *
RANKIN JEAN F

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
LSI CORP [NYSE:LSI]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
C/O LSI CORPORATION, 1621 BARBER LANE

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
02/01/2012

____ Director
 Officer (give title below)
____ 10% Owner
____ Other (specify below)
EVP

(Street)
MILPITAS, CA 95035

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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(City) (State) (Zip)

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)
Common Stock	02/01/2012		M	(A) or (D) A	216,000 (1) \$ 6.1644	402,142	D
Common Stock	02/01/2012		S	(A) or (D) D	216,000 (1) \$ 7.956 (2)	186,142	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 Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title Amount Number Shares
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 6.1644	02/01/2012		M	216,000	<u>(3)</u> 11/30/2012	Common Stock 216,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
RANKIN JEAN F C/O LSI CORPORATION 1621 BARBER LANE MILPITAS, CA 95035			EVP	

Signatures

Susan Solner Janjigian, by power of attorney
Date: 02/02/2012

__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) These shares are subject to a stock option grant that was scheduled to expire on November 30, 2012. These shares were sold at prices ranging from \$7.94 to \$7.97. Upon request by the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer, the undersigned will provide full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price.
- (3) 1/4th of the shares became exercisable on December 1, 2006; 1/48th of this option became exercisable monthly for the remaining three years of the vesting period.

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