LEAP WIRELESS INTERNATIONAL INC

Form SC 13G/A February 14, 2002

SECURITIES & EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

SCHEDULE 13GA* (Rule 13d-102)

INFORMATION TO BE INCLUDED IN STATEMENTS FILED PURSUANT TO RULES 13d-1(b), (c) AND (d) AND AMENDMENTS THERETO FILED PURSUANT TO 13d-2(b)

Leap Wireless International, Inc. (Name of Issuer)

Common Stock (Title of Class of Securities)

521863100 (CUSIP Number)

December 31, 2001 (Date of event which requires filing of this statement)

Check the appropriate box to designate the rule pursuant to which this Schedule 13GA is filed:

- [] Rule 13d-1(b)
- [X] Rule 13d-1(c)
- [] Rule 13d-1(d)

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The information required in the remainder of this cover page shall not be deemed to be "filed" for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 ("Act") or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section of the Act but shall be subject to all other provisions of the Act (however, see the Notes).

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(1) NAMES OF REPORTING PERSONS
I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NO.
OF ABOVE PERSONS (ENTITIES ONLY)

Lone Spruce, L.P.

(2)	CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER	R OF A GROUI	(a)	[X]
(3)	SEC USE ONLY			
(4)	CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION Delaware			
NUMBER OF	(5) SOLE VOTING POWER	-0-		
SHARES				
	(6) SHARED VOTING POWER	46,460		
OWNED BY				
EACH REPORTING	(7) SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER	-0-		
	(8) SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER	46,460		
(9)	AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON	46,460		
	CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES	·*		[]
	PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (9)	0.1%		
(12)	TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON **	PN		
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	NAMES OF REPORTING PERSONS I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NO. OF ABOVE PERSONS (ENTITIES ONLY) Lone H	Balsam, L.P		
(2)	CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER		(a)	[X]
(3)	SEC USE ONLY			
(4)	CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION Delaware			
	(5) SOLE VOTING POWER			

		-0-
SHARES		
BENEFICIALLY	(6) SHARED VOTING POWER	101,962
OWNED BY		
EACH	(7) SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER	0
REPORTING		-0-
PERSON WITH	(8) SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER	101,962
(9)	AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED)
	BY EACH REPORTING PERSON	101,962
	CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES	** []
	PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (9)	0.3%
(12)	TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON **	PN
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	NAMES OF REPORTING PERSONS I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NO. OF ABOVE PERSONS (ENTITIES ONLY) Lone	Sequoia, L.P.
(2)	CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBE	CR OF A GROUP ** (a) [X] (b) []
(3)	SEC USE ONLY	
(4)	CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION Delaware	1
NUMBER OF	(5) SOLE VOTING POWER	

SHARES

OWNED BY _____

BENEFICIALLY (6) SHARED VOTING POWER

EACH (7) SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER

-0-

85,178

-0-

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REPORTING		
PERSON WITH	(8) SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER	5,178
(9)	AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON	25,178
(10)	CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES **	. []
(11)	PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (9)	.2%
(12)	TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON **	·N
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	NAMES OF REPORTING PERSONS I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NO. OF ABOVE PERSONS (ENTITIES ONLY) Lone Pi	ne Associates LLC
(2)	CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER	OF A GROUP ** (a) [X] (b) []
(3)	SEC USE ONLY	
(4)	CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION Delaware	
NUMBER OF SHARES	(5) SOLE VOTING POWER	0-
BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY	(6) SHARED VOTING POWER	33,600
EACH REPORTING	(7) SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER	0-
PERSON WITH	(8) SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER	33,600
	AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON	33,600
(10)	CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT	

	IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES **	[]
(11)	PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (9)	
	0.6%	
(12)	TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON **	
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(1)	NAMES OF REPORTING PERSONS I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NO. OF ABOVE PERSONS (ENTITIES ONLY) Lone Pine Capital LLC	
(2)		[X]
(3)	SEC USE ONLY	
(4)	CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION Delaware	
	(5) SOLE VOTING POWER -0-	
SHARES		
BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY	Y (6) SHARED VOTING POWER 1,057,000	
EACH	(7) SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER -0-	
REPORTING PERSON WITH	(8) SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER 1,057,000	
(9)	AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON 1,057,000	
	CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES **	[]
	PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (9) 2.9%	
(12)	TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON **	

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	NAMES OF REPORTING PERSONS I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NO. OF ABOVE PERSONS (ENTITIES ONLY)	Stephen F. Mandel, Jr.	
(2)	CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBE	(a) [X] (b) []	
(3)	SEC USE ONLY		
(4)	CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION United States		
NUMBER OF SHARES	(5) SOLE VOTING POWER	-0-	
BENEFICIALLY	(6) SHARED VOTING POWER	1,290,600	
EACH REPORTING	(7) SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER	-0-	
	(8) SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER	1,290,600	
(9)	AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON	1,290,600	
(10)	CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES	** []	
(11)	PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (9)	3.5%	
(12)	TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON **	IN	
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Item 1(a). Name of Issuer:

The name of the issuer is Leap Wireless International, Inc. (the "Company").

Address of Issuer's Principal Executive Offices: Item 1(b).

The Company's principal executive offices are located at 10307 Pacific Center Court, San Diego, California 92121-2779.

Item 2(a). Name of Person Filing:

This statement is filed by:

- (i) Lone Spruce, L.P., a Delaware limited partnership ("Lone Spruce"), with respect to the shares of Common Stock (defined in Item 2(d) below) directly owned by it;
- (ii) Lone Balsam, L.P., a Delaware limited partnership ("Lone Balsam"), with respect to the shares of Common Stock directly owned by it;
- (iii) Lone Sequoia, L.P., a Delaware limited partnership ("Lone Sequoia"), with respect to the shares of Common Stock directly owned by it;
- (iv) Lone Pine Associates LLC, a Delaware limited liability company ("Lone Pine"), with respect to the shares of Common Stock directly owned by Lone Spruce, Lone Balsam and Lone Sequoia;
 - (v) Lone Pine Capital LLC, a Delaware limited liability company ("Lone Pine Capital"), which serves as investment manager to Lone Cypress, Ltd., a Cayman Islands exempted company ("Lone Cypress"), with respect to the shares of Common Stock directly owned by Lone Cypress;
- (vi) Stephen F. Mandel, Jr. ("Mr. Mandel"), with respect to the shares of Common Stock directly owned by each of Lone Spruce, Lone Balsam, Lone Sequoia and Lone Cypress.

The foregoing persons are hereinafter sometimes collectively referred to as the "Reporting Persons". Any disclosures herein with respect to persons other than the Reporting Persons are made on information and belief after making inquiry to the appropriate party.

Item 2(b). Address of Principal Business Office or, if None, Residence:

The address of the business office of each of the Reporting Persons is Two Greenwich Plaza, Greenwich, Connecticut 06830.

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Item 2(c). Citizenship:

Lone Spruce, Lone Balsam and Lone Sequoia are limited partnerships organized under the laws of the State of Delaware. Lone Pine Associates LLC and Lone Pine Capital LLC are limited liability companies organized under the laws

of the State of Delaware. Mr. Mandel is a United States citizen.

Item 2(d). Title of Class of Securities:

Common Stock, \$0.0001 par value (the "Common Stock")

Item 2(e). CUSIP Number:

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Item 3. If this statement is filed pursuant to Rules 13d-1(b) or 13d-2(b) or (c), check whether the person filing is a:

- (a) [] Broker or dealer registered under Section 15 of the Act,
- (b) [] Bank as defined in Section 3(a)(6) of the Act,
- (c) [] Insurance Company as defined in Section 3(a)(19) of the Act,
- (d) [] Investment Company registered under Section 8 of the Investment Company Act of 1940,
- (e) [] Investment Adviser in accordance with Rule 13d-1 (b) (1) (ii) (E),
- (f) [] Employee Benefit Plan or Endowment Fund in accordance with 13d-1 (b) (1) (ii) (F),
- (g) [] Parent Holding Company or control person in accordance with Rule 13d-1 (b) (1) (ii) (G),
- (h) [] Savings Association as defined in Section 3(b) of the Federal Deposit Insurance Act,
- (i) [] Church Plan that is excluded from the definition of an investment company under Section 3(c)(14) of the Investment Company Act of 1940,
- (j) [] Group, in accordance with Rule 13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(J).

If this statement is filed pursuant to Rule 13d-1(c), check the box. [X]

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Item 4. Ownership.

- A. Lone Spruce, L.P.
 - (a) Amount beneficially owned: 46,460
- (b) Percent of class: 0.1% The percentages used herein and in the rest of Item 4 are calculated based upon the 36,863,156 shares of Common Stock issued and outstanding as of November 8, 2001 as reported in the Company's Form 10-Q for the period ending September 30, 2001.
 - (c) (i) Sole power to vote or direct the vote: -0-

- (ii) Shared power to vote or direct the vote: 46,460
- (iii) Sole power to dispose or direct the disposition: -0-
 - (iv) Shared power to dispose or direct the disposition: 46,460
- B. Lone Balsam, L.P.
 - (a) Amount beneficially owned: 101,962
 - (b) Percent of class: 0.3%
 - (c)(i) Sole power to vote or direct the vote: -0-
 - (ii) Shared power to vote or direct the vote: 101,962
 - (iii) Sole power to dispose or direct the disposition: -0-
 - (iv) Shared power to dispose or direct the disposition: 101,962
- C. Lone Sequoia, L.P.
 - (a) Amount beneficially owned: 85,178
 - (b) Percent of class: 0.2%
 - (c)(i) Sole power to vote or direct the vote: -0-
 - (ii) Shared power to vote or direct the vote: 85,178
 - (iii) Sole power to dispose or direct the disposition: -0-
 - (iv) Shared power to dispose or direct the disposition: 85,178
- D. Lone Pine Associates LLC
 - (a) Amount beneficially owned: 233,600
 - (b) Percent of class: 0.6%
 - (c)(i) Sole power to vote or direct the vote: -0-
 - (ii) Shared power to vote or direct the vote: 233,600
 - (iii) Sole power to dispose or direct the disposition: -0-
 - (iv) Shared power to dispose or direct the disposition: 233,600
- E. Lone Pine Capital LLC
 - (a) Amount beneficially owned: 1,057,000
 - (b) Percent of class: 2.9%
 - (c)(i) Sole power to vote or direct the vote: -0-
 - (ii) Shared power to vote or direct the vote: 1,057,000
 - (iii) Sole power to dispose or direct the disposition: -0-
 - (iv) Shared power to dispose or direct the disposition: 1,057,000

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- F. Stephen F. Mandel, Jr.
 - (a) Amount beneficially owned: 1,290,600
 - (b) Percent of class: 3.5%
 - (c) (i) Sole power to vote or direct the vote: -0-
 - (ii) Shared power to vote or direct the vote: 1,290,600
 - (iii) Sole power to dispose or direct the disposition: -0-
 - (iv) Shared power to dispose or direct the disposition: 1,290,600
- Item 5. Ownership of Five Percent or Less of a Class.

Not applicable.

Item 6. Ownership of More than Five Percent on Behalf of Another Person.

Lone Pine, the general partner of Lone Spruce, Lone Sequoia and Lone Balsam, has the power to direct the affairs of Lone Spruce, Lone Sequoia and Lone Balsam, including decisions respecting the disposition of the proceeds from the sale of shares. Mr. Mandel is the Managing Member of Lone Pine and in that capacity directs its operations. Lone Cypress, a client of Lone Pine Capital of which Mr. Mandel is the Managing Member, has the power to direct the receipt of dividends from or the proceeds of the sale of shares.

Item 7. Identification and Classification of the Subsidiary Which Acquired the Security Being Reported on by the Parent Holding Company.

Not applicable.

Item 8. Identification and Classification of Members of the Group.

See Item 2.

Item 9. Notice of Dissolution of Group.

Not applicable.

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Item 10. Certification.

Each of the Reporting Persons hereby makes the following certification:

By signing below I certify that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the securities referred to above were not acquired and are not held for the purpose of or with the effect of changing or influencing the control of the issuer of the securities and were not acquired and are not held in connection with or as a participant in any transaction having that purpose or effect.

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SIGNATURES

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of our knowledge and belief, the undersigned certify that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

DATED: February ___, 2002

LONE SPRUCE, L.P.

By: Lone Pine Associates LLC, General Partner

/s/ Stephen F. Mandel, Jr. By: Stephen F. Mandel, Jr. Managing Member LONE BALSAM, L.P. By: Lone Pine Associates LLC, General Partner By: /s/ Stephen F. Mandel, Jr. Stephen F. Mandel, Jr. Managing Member LONE SEQUOIA, L.P. By: Lone Pine Associates LLC, General Partner By: /s/ Stephen F. Mandel, Jr. Stephen F. Mandel, Jr. Managing Member LONE PINE ASSOCIATES LLC /s/ Stephen F. Mandel, Jr. By: _____ Stephen F. Mandel, Jr. Managing Member LONE PINE CAPITAL LLC By: /s/ Stephen F. Mandel, Jr. Stephen F. Mandel, Jr. Managing Member STEPHEN F. MANDEL, JR. /s/ Stephen F. Mandel, Jr.